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Constituting the Borough of Featherston, County of Featherston.

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

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of section thirteen of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1913, a petition was presented to the Governor-General praying that the area described in the Schedule hereto be constituted a new borough: And whereas the provisions of the said section thirteen have been complied with in respect thereto, and the result of the poll taken on the proposal contained in the said petition was in favour thereof:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, as amended by the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1913, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area described in the Schedule hereto shall be constituted a borough under the said Acts on and from the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen; that the name of such borough shall be the Borough of Featherston; that the said borough shall be an undivided borough; and that the number of Councillors to be elected thereto shall be nine, exclusive of the Mayor.

And I do further proclaim and declare that Francis Edwin Merlet, of Featherston, shall be the Returning Officer to conduct the first election of Mayor and Councillors of the said borough; and that the said Francis Edwin Merlet shall

be the Town Clerk and the person to prepare the district electors roll for the purposes of the said first election.

And, lastly, I do proclaim and declare that the first election of Mayor and Councillors of the said borough shall be held on Wednesday, the nineteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen; and that the first meeting of the Council of the said borough shall be held on Wednesday, the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at half past seven o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Featherston Town Board, Featherston.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded towards the north-west generally, commencing at the north-western corner of Section 81, Featherston Town District; thence by a right line to the south-eastern corner of Section 86, Featherston Town District, across Watt, Waterfield, Johnston, Lyon, and Hickson Streets, across Brown Street, and by a public road to the south-eastern corner of Section 285, Featherston; towards the south generally by Sections 289 and 288, across a street, and by Sections 287 and 286 to Brown Street; thence by the south-east side of that street to a point in line with the north-east boundary of Section 212, across Brown Street, by Section 212 to Lyon Street, across that street and by the Otairua Stream to the northern boundary of Section 338, and by the north-eastern boundary of that section to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of Section 464, across a public road, and by Sections 464 and

ERRATUM.—In Supplement to *New Zealand Gazette* of 16th August, 1917, No. 130, Postmasters authorized to take and receive statutory declarations in connection with the war loan, on page 3272, New Plymouth District, for "Burton, Charles Herbert," read "Burton, Charles Hebert."

516 to the south-west boundary of Section 66, and by the south-west boundary and south-eastern boundary of that section to the north-western boundary of Section 81, the place of commencement.

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
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-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the areas of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND AND NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Section.	Block.	District.	Area.	
2899	V	Brunner ..	653 0 0	National endowment.
3348	III	Kanieri ..	142 2 0	National endowment.
			24 0 0	Crown land.
2799	I	Waiwhero	300 0 0	National endowment.
			37 0 0	Crown land.
3206	VIII	Kopara ..	153 0 0	Crown land.
3340	V	Mawheraiti	173 0 0	National endowment.
			36 0 0	Crown land.
2902	VII	Mawheranui	332 1 0	National endowment.
2750	"	"	157 0 0	National endowment.
			127 0 0	Crown land.

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-General 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 eighteenth day of August, 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 Land set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Southland Land District.

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

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of

Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the areas of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

Southland County.—New River Hundred.

SECTION	Block	Area	A.	R.	P.
2	X	.. .. .	80	1	3
3	"	.. .. .	80	1	3
18	"	.. .. .	80	0	4
17	"	.. .. .	80	0	4
16	"	.. .. .	80	0	4
23	"	.. .. .	79	0	2
24	"	.. .. .	77	0	10
25	"	.. .. .	79	0	2
29	"	.. .. .	79	0	1
51A	Block VIII	.. .. .	39	0	7
52A	"	.. .. .	59	0	37

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-General 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 eighteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Wairau Block.

SECTIONS 18, 19, and 24, Block XIII, Waoku Survey District: Area, 423 acres 0 roods 1 perch.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 5/62, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor-General 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 fifteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.
Marakeke Settlement.—Takapau and Motuotaria Survey Districts.

SECTION	Is	Area.		SECTION	10s	Area.	
		A.	R. P.			A.	R. P.
	1s	225	0 0		10s	203	0 0
	2s	220	0 0		11s	215	3 0
	3s	192	1 0		12s	265	0 0
	4s	201	1 0		13s	177	0 0
	5s	207	0 0		14s	205	0 0
	6s	196	0 0		15s	210	2 0
	7s	242	1 0		16s	254	2 0
	8s	239	0 0		17s	256	0 0
	9s	223	2 0				

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-General 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 sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
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-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

MATAMATA NORTH No. 1E Block: Approximate area, 23 acres; Wairere 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-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XVII, Jacob's River Hundred, Wallace County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
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-General 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 Wallace County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Jacob's River Hundred, 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
2	2	0	Section 1.
0	0	15	2.

Coloured on plan: Pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 3 acres 0 roods 33 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 2.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block XVII, Jacob's River Hundred (Southland R.D.).

All in the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40124, 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-General 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 thirteenth day of August, 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 IX, Russell Survey District, Bay of Islands County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
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-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and lessees of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Bay of Islands County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Russell Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
11	2	0	Section 81 E.R., Ruapekepeka Parish; coloured red.
4	3	8	Section 1, Crown land; coloured blue.

Situated in Block IX, Russell Survey District. (S.O. 17539.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42437,

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-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of August, 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 Blocks I and II, Pakaumanu, and XIV, Mangaorongo Survey Districts, Waitomo County.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a road in Blocks I and II, Pakaumanu, and XIV, Mangaorongo Survey Districts, Waitomo County:

And whereas the Waitomo County Council has laid before the Governor-General 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-General 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 fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 9 0 11	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 26F No. 2D (S.O. 18651)	I	Pakaumanu	Blue.
10 0 30	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35E No. 1	XIV	Mangaorongo	Blue.
8 1 21	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35E No. 2	{XIV II	Mangaorongo Pakaumanu	Red.
4 3 19	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 35G 2 No. 1 (S.O. 18652)	I & II	Pakaumanu	Red.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39127, 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-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of August, 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 Blocks VII and VIII, Ngautuku, and II, Ateamuri Survey Districts.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a road in Blocks VII and VIII, Ngautuku, and II, Ateamuri Survey Districts:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General 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 a road; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A. R. P.	Portion of
7 2 31	Whakamaru - Maungaiti (M 3), Block VII, Ngautuku Survey District.
22 0 28	Whakamaru - Maungaiti, Blocks VII and VIII, Ngautuku, and II, Ateamuri Survey Dists.
0 0 12	Whakamaru - Maungaiti (M 3), Block VII, Ngautuku Survey District.
0 0 2	Whakamaru - Maungaiti (M 3), Block VII, Ngautuku Survey District.
3 3 32	Whakamaru - Maungaiti (M 1), Block VII, Ngautuku Survey District.
16 2 8	Pt. Tokoroa E.R. No. 2 (Section 6), Block VII, Ngautuku Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41629, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink. (S.O. 18977.)

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-General 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 eighteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for the Purposes of Street-widening in Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District, City of Wellington.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under the Public Works Act, 1908, and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land or any part thereof is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, or that any error in form or substance exists in or in relation to that Proclamation or the making or gazetting thereof, the Governor-General may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation, either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary:

And whereas it is found that portion of land taken for the purposes of street-widening in Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District, City of Wellington, by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, dated the sixteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 77, page 2118, of the twenty-fourth day

of the same month, is not now required for the purpose for which it was taken :

And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded :

Now, therefore, I, William Arthur de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the said Proclamation as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land not required : 0.16 perches.

Portion of Lot 52 on D.P. 145, being part of Original Section 5, City of Wellington, Evans Bay Registration District. Situated in Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 37957, 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-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for a Further Portion of the Otago Central Railway, Portion of Cromwell Section, and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under the Public Works Act, 1908, and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land or any part thereof is not required for the purpose for which it was taken, or that any error in form or substance exists in or in relation to that Proclamation or the making or gazetting thereof, the Governor-General may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation, either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary : And whereas it is found that portion of the land taken for a further portion of the Otago Central Railway, portion of Cromwell Section, by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, dated the sixteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 142, page 3885, of the twenty-first day of the same month, is not now required for the purpose for which it was taken :

And whereas compensation in respect of the taking of the said land has not been paid or awarded :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the said Proclamation as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land not required : 1 road 19 perches.

Portion of Reserve Area No. 2888, situated in Block I, Cromwell Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40253 (sheet 6), deposited in the office of the Minister of Public

Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured blue.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block XV, Omapere Survey District.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped :—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	2	0.7	Taraire No. 1b No. 2.
0	0	0.05	" 1b No. 1b No. 4.
0	0	0.004	" 1x No. 1a.

Situated in Block XV, Omapere Survey District. (S.O. 19535.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42389, 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-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping Government Roads in Blocks IX, Pakauamu, and II, Mapara Survey Districts.

[L.S.] LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas the Government roads described in the Schedule hereto are no longer required for the purpose of roads :

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the above-in-part-

recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim as stopped the roads described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of roads hereby stopped:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	0.02	Rangitoto-Tuhua 68f 4c.*
0	0	0.05	" 68f 4b.*
0	1	20	" 68f 4a.†

* Situated in Block IX, Pakaumau Survey District (Auckland R.D.).

† Situated in Block II, Mapara Survey District (Taranaki R.D.).

In the Auckland and Taranaki Land Districts; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41090, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon coloured green. (S.O. 19058.)

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-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Regulation under the Tramways Amendment Act, 1910.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by section five of the Tramways Amendment Act, 1910, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following additional regulation for the purposes of paragraph (g) of the said section five; and doth hereby declare that the regulation hereby made shall form part of and be read with the regulations under the said section five made and gazetted on the second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

REGULATION.

1. WHERE a tramway district is or has been defined after the gazetting of the said regulations of the 2nd day of February, 1911, the notice to be published by the Clerk, as provided in paragraph (a) of clause 5 of the said regulations, shall be published not later than the twenty-eighth day after the definition of the tramway district or the gazetting of this regulation, whichever is the later, and the provisions of the said clause 5 with respect to the appointment of members of the Board of that tramway district shall accordingly be read subject to this amendment.

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

Amendment of the Regulations under the Apiaries Amendment Act, 1913, relating to the Export of Honey from New Zealand.—Notice No. 1895.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twenty-second day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the

twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, regulations were made relating to the export of honey from New Zealand:

And whereas by the said regulations the export of honey is permitted only from certain specified ports, and certain stores are appointed grading-stores for honey at the places indicated therein:

And whereas it is deemed expedient to extend the list of ports from which honey may be exported from the Dominion, and to appoint an additional store to be a grading-store for honey:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Apiaries Amendment Act, 1913, and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General 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 the regulations hereinbefore mentioned to the extent set out in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby declare that this Order in Council shall come into force on the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

CLAUSE 3: By omitting the word "and," and inserting after the word "Dunedin" the words "and Bluff."

Clause 4: By inserting the word "Bluff" under the heading "Place," and the words "Bluff Harbour Board's Cool Store" under the heading "Store."

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

Amending Regulations under the National Provident Fund Act, 1910.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General. ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this thirteenth day of August, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the National Provident Fund Act, 1910 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General 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 hereinafter set forth the regulations made under the said Act on the fourth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the thirteenth day of the same month.

FORMS 1 and 4 of the said regulations are hereby revoked, and the following substituted therefor:—

Form 1.

FORM OF APPLICATION BY LOCAL AUTHORITY TO BECOME A CONTRIBUTOR.

APPLICATION is hereby made by the _____ to become a contributor to the National Provident Fund on behalf of [all*] the following persons in the employment of the said local authority:—

Total staff:

Total number proposed to be entered:

1. Identification number:
2. Name of person:
3. Date of birth:
4. Occupation:
5. Rate of salary or wages:
6. Age at which pension to be payable:
7. Date of commencing service:
8. Other particulars (if required):

[Seal and signature.]

* If the whole staff is not included, the word "all" should be struck out.

Form 4.

FORM OF ELECTION TO INCREASE OR REDUCE RATE. THE _____, being a contributor to the National Provident Fund on behalf of the undermentioned persons, hereby notifies that the rates of the salaries thereof are increased [or reduced] as set out hereunder, so as to increase [or reduce] the pension rates accordingly.

Name of person:

Present rate of salary:

Increased [or reduced] rate of salary:

Date of increase [or] reduction]:

[Seal and signature.]

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

Declaring Portions of the South Road, and the Maungaturoto to Cove, via Rowsell's, in the Waipu Road District, Waipu County, to be a District Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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-General 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 district road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL the portions of the South Road and the Maungaturoto to Cove via Rowsell's, situated in the Waipu Road District, Whangarei County, Auckland Land District. Commencing at its junction with the Waipu Cove Road, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections 50, 25, 26, 43, 333, Block III; Section 129, Blocks III and VI; Section 35, Waipu Kauri-gum Reserve; Sections 266, 119, 123, 122, 390, 388, 365, 341, 366, 364, 381, Block VI; and Sections 350, 350A, and 7, Block X, Waipu Parish, Waipu Survey District, to the southern boundary of the last-named section: being a distance of eight miles, more or less. As the said portions of road are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42726, 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.

Extension of Time for Preparation of County Rolls, &c., County of Manukau.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighteenth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that the preparation of the rolls for the County of Manukau, and the taking of certain steps consequent on such preparation, cannot be made and taken within the times mentioned in the Counties Act, 1908, and it is expedient to extend the said times respectively :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said Counties Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the several steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. For preparing the rolls for the ridings within the County of Manukau: Until the 22nd day of August, 1917.
2. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 27th day of August, 1917, to the 15th day of September, 1917.
3. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 22nd day of September, 1917.
4. Revision Courts may sit for hearing applications with reference to the said rolls, and adjourn: Until the 29th day of September, 1917.
5. Time when the said rolls, having been corrected and signed, shall come into force: On the 3rd day of October, 1917.

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

License authorizing the Christchurch Tramway Board to erect Electric Lines from the Tramway Trolley-wire in Nayland Street, Sumner, to the Town Hall, near the Corner of Nayland Street and Wakefield Avenue, Sumner.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Christchurch Tramway Board (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee") desires to erect electric lines from the tramway trolley-wire in Nayland Street, Sumner, to the Town Hall, near the corner of Nayland Street and Wakefield Avenue, Sumner (hereinafter referred to as "the said electric lines"), and it is expedient accordingly to issue a license in respect thereof under the said section :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred on him by the said section, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, hereby authorize the said licensee to erect and maintain the said electric lines for the purpose of operating a five horse-power motor generator for the purpose of a picture-theatre at the said Town Hall, such electric lines and the position of the motor being indicated by white lines marked "supply-mains" and "motor" respectively on the plan marked P.W.D. 42234, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

SCHEDULE.

CONDITIONS.

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

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

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

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

"Minister" means Minister of Public Works.

"Telegraph" includes telephone.

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

2. The conductors shall not be less than 7/18 S.W.G. hard-drawn copper wires, firmly attached to porcelain insulators, and erected on supports placed not more than 150 ft. apart. The positive conductor shall be covered throughout, and the covering may consist of vulcanized indiarubber or of triple braiding thoroughly impregnated with weatherproof compound. The negative conductor may be bare.

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

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

5. A single-pole fuse cut-out shall be inserted in the positive conductor, and arranged to operate with an overload of

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

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

7. At telegraph-line crossings the conductors shall pass over or under, as may be decided by the Minister of Telegraphs. In every crossing-span the maximum tension in any conductor shall not exceed one-half the elastic limit of the conductor under the conditions of a minimum temperature of 20° F. and wind-pressure as specified in clause 3 occurring simultaneously. Efficiently earthed guard-wires, to the satisfaction of the Minister of Telegraphs, shall be erected where such protection may be considered necessary by the Minister of Telegraphs, and earth-wires where led down poles shall be protected by a casing for a distance of 8 ft. from the ground. Guard-wires shall be carried on substantial supports at a height of 2 ft. above the said electric lines if the telegraph lines pass over the said electric lines, or 2 ft. above the telegraph lines if they pass under the said electric lines. In addition to the above precautions, telegraph lines shall be suitably insulated if deemed necessary by the Minister of Telegraphs. The cost of all necessary guard-wires and special provisions required to comply with this clause, or deemed to be necessary as a protection to telegraph lines generally, shall be borne by the licensee when the telegraph lines are erected before the said electric lines. In cases where the said electric lines are erected before the telegraph lines the licensee, on receipt of notice from the District Telegraph Engineer of the Post and Telegraph Department, or his deputy, that it is proposed to run a telegraph line along the route, shall forthwith make the necessary changes required to comply with this clause at any points at which the said electric lines already cross such routes, the cost of such changes being borne by the Post and Telegraph Department.

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

9. The construction of the works hereby authorized shall be substantially commenced on or before the 1st day of July, 1917, and shall be completed on or before the 31st day of August, 1917.

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

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

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

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

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

to the Crown. The cost of such inspection shall be borne by the licensee.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

License authorizing the Patea Borough Council to erect Electric Lines within the Borough of Patea and Portion of the Patea County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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-General in Council under that Act :

And whereas the Patea Borough Council (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee"), desires to erect electric 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-General 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, such electric lines at present proposed to be erected being indicated by means of broken red and yellow lines shown on the plans marked P.W.D. 39351 and 41009, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District.

SCHEDULE.

1. AREA OF SUPPLY.

THE area of supply comprises the Borough of Patea as at present constituted, and portions of the Patea County. Bounded towards the south-west by the sea-coast from the mouth of the Patea River to a point in line with Spence Road; thence towards the north-west by a right line to Spence Road; thence along Spence Road and the road on the north-western boundaries of Sections 512 and 475, Block II, Carlyle Survey District, to the railway-line; thence generally towards the north-east by the railway-line to Patea Road; thence by Patea Road to Kaharoa Road; thence by Kaharoa Road until it runs in a north-westerly direction; thence by a line running in a south-easterly direction through part Section 23 to the mouth of the Patea River, being the point of commencement. As the said area is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42260, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Provincial District, and thereon bordered red.

2. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

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

The generating voltage shall be approximately 3,000 and 3,300 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 twelve 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 Wellington.

5. CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC ENERGY.

The charge for electrical energy shall not exceed 10d. 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.

7. REQUIREMENTS OF PATEA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the licensee shall not be entitled to erect, maintain, or use any electric lines within the County of Patea, except subject to such conditions, not inconsistent with the provisions of this license and the regulations relating thereto, or any variation of the license or the regulations, or new regulations which may take the place of these regulations, as may from time to time be agreed upon between the licensee and the Patea County Council.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Licensing the Whangarei Freezing Company (Limited) to occupy a Portion of the Land between High and Low Water Marks in the Whangarei Harbour, and to reclaim such Land.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by section thirty-nine of the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that in the case of lands between high and low water marks which belong to the Crown, and on which at high-water spring tides the depth of water is not sufficient for purposes of navigation, the Governor-General in Council may grant occupation licenses for periods not exceeding

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twenty-one years, at such rent and on such conditions as he thinks fit, and any such lease may contain a provision authorizing the lessee to reclaim the land the subject of the lease without complying with the requirements of section forty-one of the said Act:

And whereas it is desirable to license the Whangarei Freezing Company (Limited) to occupy a part of the land between high and low water marks, belonging to the Crown, in the Whangarei Harbour on which at high-water spring tides the depth of water is not sufficient for purposes of navigation:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby license the Whangarei Freezing Company (Limited) (hereinafter called the "company"), to occupy the piece of land between high and low water marks of spring tides in the Whangarei Harbour inside the red line shown on plan marked M.D. 4801, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington; and doth also authorize the said company to reclaim the land subject to this license by constructing a wall over it as shown by the red line on the said plan, without complying with the requirements of section forty-one of the said Act, this license to be subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS.

1. THE company shall pay to the Marine Department an annual rent of £10, the first of such payments to be made on the issue of this Order in Council, and subsequent payments to be made on the 1st day of September in each year.

2. The company shall keep any retaining-wall which it may construct for the purpose of reclaiming the land included in this license in good order and condition, and shall provide and maintain all necessary outlets for storm-water.

3. The company shall keep the land included in this license free from noxious weeds.

4. The company shall not assign, charge, or part with any right, power, or privilege granted by this license without the previous written consent of the Minister of Marine.

5. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for twenty-one years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority.

6. If the company commits or suffers a breach of any of the conditions of this license, the license may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council; and publication of a notice of such revocation in the *New Zealand Gazette* shall be sufficient notice thereof to the company, and all persons concerned or interested in this license, that it has been revoked and determined.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and ninety-six of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under Part XVI of that Act, or under Part II of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, may be at any time revoked, either wholly or as to any part or parts of the land included therein, by the Governor by Order in Council:

And whereas the block or parcel of land known as Otangaroa No. 1c No. 2 became subject, by virtue of an Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, to the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909:

And whereas the Tokerau District Maori Land Board has recommended that such land be no longer subject to Part XVI aforesaid:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, in so far as such Order in Council affects Otangaroa No. 1c No. 2.

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

Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienations in favour of the Crown.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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-General 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.

NGAITAMATERA Reserve B No 2: Approximate area, 377 acres 2 roods 23 perches; Aroha Survey District.
Ngaitamatera Reserve 1B (otherwise known as Te Aroha Block III, Section 1B): Approximate area, 400 acres; Ohinemuri Survey District.

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

Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Lands other than Alienations in Favour of the Crown.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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-General 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.

WAIRERE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.	A. R. P.		
		A.	R.	P.
MATAMATA North No. 1A	91 2 26			
" 1B	613 0 0			
" 1C	206 1 0			
" 1D	11 3 0			

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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-General 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-General by Order in Council thinks fit to impose :

And whereas the Stoke Road Board being the local authority having control of the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto, has passed the following resolution—viz., "That that portion of Station Road adjoining Section 52, Block VII, Waimea Survey District, between the Richmond and Nelson main road and Section 52A in the said block and Survey District is, in the opinion of the Board, of sufficient width for all necessary traffic, and the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act should not apply to this road" :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Station Road, in the Nelson Land District, Stoke Road District, abutting on Section 52 and part 57, Block VII, Waimea Survey District, and extending from Richmond and Nelson main road to Section 52A, Block VII aforesaid. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42129, 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.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighteenth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

KAITAIA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 34 acres 1 rood 39 perches, more or less, being Allotment 69, Parish of Ahipara. Bounded towards the north-east generally by a public road, 904.6 links, by the crossing of the said road, 108 links, by Old Land Claim 7, 406.6 links; again by a public road, the crossing of a road, and by the said public road, 226.5, 126.3, 903.9, and 355.4 links; towards the south-east and south-west by Allotment 60, Ahipara Parish, 1477 and 2116.2 links respectively; and towards the north-west by Allotment 71 of the aforesaid parish, 1306.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on plan marked L. and S. 1/475A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of One Thousand One Hundred Pounds (£1,100) to be raised by the Masterton County Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this thirteenth day of August, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Masterton County Council did on the twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, pursuant to the Local Bodies' Loans Act,

1913, take a poll of the ratepayers of the said County Council on a proposal of the said County Council to raise a loan of one thousand one hundred pounds (£1,100), for the purpose of constructing an additional reservoir and filter-bed and cleaning out the existing pipe service connected with the Lansdowne High-pressure Water-supply, and discharging the remaining liability amounting to two hundred and sixty-five pounds ten shillings and seven pence (£265 10s. 7d.): And whereas the said poll was duly carried, and the said County Council is desirous of borrowing the sum of one thousand one hundred pounds (£1,100) so authorized by the poll of the ratepayers as aforesaid: And whereas irregularities or defects occurred both in the notices published in pursuance of section nine of the said Act and in the voting-paper used at the poll upon the said proposal, in that the term of the said loan (namely, thirty-six and one-half years) was not set forth in such notice and voting-paper, nor was provision made for the repayment thereof by a sinking fund of one pound per centum per annum: And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the said County Council have not been misled by such irregularities or defects, and it is expedient to validate the said proceedings:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that all proceedings in connection with the said poll shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said term had been published as required by section thirty-three of the said Act and provision had been made for the said sinking fund, and that the said proceedings shall not be called into question by reason only of the said irregularities or defects.

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

Lands temporarily reserved.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Acts, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 0 roods 22 perches, more or less, being Section 74, Block II, Whangape Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section 4, Village of Mamari, 418.3 links; towards the east by Section 4, Block I, Whangape Survey District, 496.7 links; towards the south-east by Section 1, Village of Mamari aforesaid, 326.7 links; towards the south-west by Section 2, Village of Mamari aforesaid, 649 links; and towards the north-west by a public road, 312.9 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 2/334, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan No. 1548B.) For a public cemetery.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, being Section 10, Block III, Ruataniwha Survey District, Springhill Settlement. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 1064.5 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 1064.5 links; and towards the north-west by Section 9, Block III

aforesaid, 1095.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. & S. 19462A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a site for a public school.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing 2,045 acres 1 rood 27 perches, more or less, situated in Block XIII, Tararua Survey District. Bounded towards the east by Section 2, 6524.6 links, by the abutment of Kaiparoro Road, by the crossing of Makakahi River, by the abutment of a river-bank reserve, and by Section 1, 8953.5 links and 519.9 links, all in Block XIII aforesaid; again towards the east, south, and west generally by Crown land, by State forest reserve, and again by Crown land: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/134, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For water-supply purposes.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being Section 37, Block I, Wakamarina Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 36, Block I aforesaid, 400 links; towards the north-east by Section 36 aforesaid, 500 links; towards the south-east by Section 49, Block I aforesaid, 400 links; and towards the south-west by a public road one chain wide, 500 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 2/335, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a public cemetery.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 2 roods, more or less, being Reserve 4005, situated in Block IX, Rolleston Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north-east and south-east by the Springfield-Christchurch Railway Reserve, 1800 links and 250 links respectively; towards the south-west by a public road and Section 36811, 1800 links; and towards the north-west by Section 36811, 250 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/1/163, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For railway purposes.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section 8, Block X, Township of Forbury. Bounded towards the north-west by Macandrew Road, towards the north-east by Section 7, towards the south-east by Section 24, and towards the south-west by Section 9, all in the said township. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/3/120, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. For police purposes.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 8 perches, more or less, being Section 41, Town of Tuatapere Extension No. 2. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 34, Block XIII, Waiau District, 100 links; towards the south-east by Section 40 of said town, 300 links; towards the south-west by Birch Street in said town, 100 links; and towards the north-west by Section 42 of said town, 300 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/6/138, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered purple. For an addition to a public-school site.

All that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres, more or less, being Section 79, Block VI, Town of Wyndham. Bounded towards the south-east by a road, 1160 links; towards the south by Cardigan Road, 720 links; and towards the north-west by reserve along Mataura River: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/5/49, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For gravel purposes.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this eighteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

Notice of Intention to change the Purpose of Portion of a Quarantine Reserve in Waimea Survey District, Nelson Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms portion of a reserve heretofore duly set apart for quarantine purposes...

And whereas it is expedient that the purpose of the portion of the said reserve should be changed to a reserve for a rifle range:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, aforesaid, declare my intention to change the purpose of the portion of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto from quarantine purposes to a reserve for a rifle range.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 48 acres, more or less, and being part of Section 34 of Square 1 in Block III, Waimea Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by high-water mark along the shore of Tasman Bay; towards the north-east generally by a road forming the north-west boundary of the Public Hospital Reserve (being part of Section 34), by the said reserve, and by a proposed road leading thereto through the said Section 34; towards the south-east by a road forming the north-west boundary of Section 86; and towards the south generally by high-water mark along the shore of an inlet from the estuary of the Waimea River.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this tenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

Trustees for the Torere Public Cemetery appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

WILLIAM PRIME and JOSEPH ARTHUR CASEY

to be trustees for the maintenance and care of the Torere Public Cemetery, in the places of Alfred Collard, deceased, and Alfred James Isdale, who has left the district, to act in conjunction with Robert Campbell, George James Allen, and Montague Goldsbury, previously appointed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this eighteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

National Provident Fund.—Additional Regulation under Part IX (Social Insurance) of the Finance Act, 1916.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by section seventy-seven of the Finance Act, 1916, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, doth hereby make the following additional regulation for the purpose of Part IX (Social Insurance) of the said Act; and doth declare that the regulation hereby made shall form part of the regulations made under the said section seventy-seven on the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and shall come into operation on the thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

REGULATION.

17. In paying sums out of the Fund to approved societies a friendly society may authorize the Superintendent to pay such moneys into the society's bank account in Form A.S. hereunder, to be signed by the trustees of the society.

Form A.S.]

Signature of Bank Manager.

We hereby authorize the manager of the [Name of bank] (whose signature appears in the margin) to receive all moneys payable out of the National Provident Fund to the , and to sign on our behalf receipts for same.

Trustees.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

ARTHUR M. MYERS, Minister in Charge.

Appointing Public Trustee to be Administrator of an Estate under the Reformatory Institutions Act, 1909.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section thirty-seven of the Reformatory Institutions Act, 1909, it is enacted that when an order has been made against any person (whether before or after the commencement of that Act) for her detention in an institution, the Public Trustee may be appointed as the administrator or interim curator of her estate, in accordance with Part III of the Prisons Act, 1908, and all the provisions of sections fifty-five to seventy-five of that Act shall, so long as the order of detention remains in force, apply to that person accordingly in the same manner in which those provisions apply to persons imprisoned:

And whereas on the twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, an order was made by the Stipendiary Magistrate at Christchurch for the detention of Ethel Maud Hampton, of Ashburton, in the certified Inebriates Home situate at Pakatoa Island:

And whereas it is expedient to appoint the Public Trustee as the administrator of the estate of the said Ethel Maud Hampton:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the before-mentioned powers and authorities, doth hereby appoint

THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE

to be the administrator of the estate of the said Ethel Maud Hampton during the Governor-General's pleasure.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, at Wellington, this thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

J. A. HANAN, Minister of Justice.

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

JESSIE ELIZABETH McLAREN ROBINSON,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at Woodend, is authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

As witness my hand this seventeenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

Postmaster appointed to take and receive Statutory Declarations.

PURSUANT to the authority conferred upon me by the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of

the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify and declare that

EDWARD JOHNSTON,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at Beaumont, is authorized to take and receive statutory declarations under the two-hundred-and-eighty-eighth section of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

As witness my hand this seventeenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

Arrangements for First Election, &c., Otekaike Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE ARNOLD TRAVIS, of Oamaru,

to be Returning Officer for the purpose of conducting the first election of five members of the Board of Trustees of the Otekaike Drainage District, as constituted under the Land Drainage Act, 1908; also to appoint Wednesday, the 5th day of September, 1917, to be the time, and the Shelter-shed at the Public School, Otekaike, to be the place, for holding such election; also to appoint Wednesday, the 12th day of September, at eight o'clock in the afternoon, to be the day and the hour, and the Schoolhouse, Otekaike, to be the place, at which the first meeting of trustees shall be held.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Appointment of Acting Consul of Sweden at Wellington recognized provisionally.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 18th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that he has recognized provisionally the appointment by the Acting Consul-in-Chief of Sweden at Sydney of

WALTER ISAAC NATHAN, Esq.,

as Acting Consul of Sweden at Wellington, vice Mr. A. E. Pearce, resigned.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Bastings Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

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

THOMAS WILLIAM ROBINSON

to be a member of the Bastings Domain Board, in the place of Jason Cartwright, deceased.

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

Inspector of Police appointed.

Police Department,
Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES JOHNSTON, Esq.,

to be an Inspector of the New Zealand Police Force; the appointment to take effect from 1st September, 1917.

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

Shorthand Reporter appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

IDA MAY SMITH

to be a Shorthand Reporter under the Shorthand Reporters Act, 1908.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Deputy Official Assignee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES BLAND CHRISTIAN

to be Deputy Official Assignee at Ashburton, vice Davison, deceased.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 18th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK WILLIAM HART

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wanganui, vice C. E. Taylor.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Auditor under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, licensed.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 15th August, 1917.

IN pursuance of the 10th section of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to license

VALENTINE DUFF,

of New Plymouth, to act as a Public Auditor under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister in Charge.

Members of State Fire Insurance Board appointed.

State Fire Insurance Office,
Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JOHN WILLIAM ALLMAN MARCHANT, Esq., of Wellington, and
GEORGE ROBERT NICOL WRIGHT, Esq., of Wellington,

to be members of the State Fire Insurance Board, under the State Fire Insurance Act, 1908, as from 1st September, 1917.

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

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 21st August, 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.
MICHAEL PATRICK ANDERSON ..	Whangamomona.
ARTHUR WOLLESTON PYM HEWITT ..	Drury.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 17th August, 1917.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge the receipt of £1, forwarded to the Marine and Inspection of Machinery Department, as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government.

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

Registrars of Births, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

THE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointments in the Public Service.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Name.	Position.	District.	Date.
Albert Arneas Chittenden ..	Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Vaccination Inspector, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris	Otorohanga..	11th August, 1917.
William Martin Hayes Diamond	Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Vaccination Inspector	Te Aroha ..	25th July, "
Patrick John Eccleton ..	Ditto ..	Ellesmere ..	8th August, "
David John Graham ..	Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Vaccination Inspector, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris	Mercer ..	13th " "

*Registrar of Births, &c., appointed.*Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

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

CHARLES JAMES STEEL

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Birmingham, as from the 8th August, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.*Appointment of Agent of the Public Trustee at Tauranga.*Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

IT is hereby notified for general information that

MR. WALTER JAMES BAIGENT

has been appointed agent for the Public Trustee at Tauranga, *vice* Mr. Alfred F. Tunks, resigned.FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.*Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the Permanent Staff and Territorial Force.*Department of Defence,
Wellington, 16th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the Permanent Staff and Territorial Force.

APPOINTMENTS.

Captain Charles Victor Leeming, N.Z. Field Artillery, E Battery, is appointed Adjutant to the Canterbury Field Artillery Brigade. Dated 7th August, 1917.

Major George Searight Hardy, 8th (South Canterbury) Mounted Rifles, performed the duties of District Attesting Officer under the Military Service Act from 9th June, 1917, to 30th June, 1917.

Captain Frank Percival Osmond Smith, 1st (Canterbury) Regiment (Reserve of Officers), appointed District Attesting Officer under the Military Service Act on the 30th January, 1917, resigns his appointment. Dated 30th June, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant Rupert Cecil Wood, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (Earl of Liverpool's Own) (Territorial), is appointed an Attesting Officer under the Military Service Act. Dated 9th August, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant Joseph Hadfield Westley Sheppard, Unattached List (b), General List, is appointed Base Cashier, War Expenses Branch, Wellington, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant (temp.), and is attached to the New Zealand Army Pay Department whilst so employed. Dated 4th July, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE TRAINING CAMPS.

Honorary Lieutenant Albert Arthur Luckham, Temporary Staff, is granted the honorary rank of Captain whilst employed as Assistant Camp Adjutant, Trentham Camp. Dated 1st August, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant Andrew Melville Jameson, Unattached List (b), General List, is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst employed as Assistant Provost Marshal. Dated 1st August, 1917.

PROMOTIONS, RESIGNATIONS, AND TRANSFERS.

NEW ZEALAND PERMANENT STAFF.

2nd Lieutenant Arthur James King, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Staff Sergeant-major, as from 1st May, 1912; to date from 31st August, 1916.

1ST MOUNTED RIFLES (CANTERBURY YEOMANRY CAVALRY).

Lieutenant William Deans, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Captain, as from 3rd July, 1916 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 107, of 21st September, 1916); to date from 31st January, 1917.

4TH (WAIKATO) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Major Alfred Tattersall, 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 the 16th May, 1911 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 97, of the 23rd November, 1911); to date from 13th February, 1916.

CORPS OF NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

New Zealand Post and Telegraph Corps (North Island).

Captain Louis Carmine (South Island Battalion) is attached for duty. Dated 3rd August, 1917.

2ND (SOUTH CANTERBURY) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant Percy Seymour Stephens is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 7th August, 1917.

4TH (OTAGO) REGIMENT.

Captain William Fleming, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed into the Establishment with his original rank and seniority—viz., Major, as from the 3rd July, 1916 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 126, of the 9th November, 1916); to date from 2nd July, 1916.

9TH (HAWKE'S BAY) REGIMENT.

Captain William H. Fraser, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, with effect from 17th September, 1917, and absorbed into the Establishment with his original rank and seniority—viz., Honorary Captain and Quartermaster, as from the 14th May, 1901 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 60, of the 20th June, 1901).

NEW ZEALAND ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Lieutenant William Northey Lace, No. 7 Company, to be Captain, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 4th August, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Lieutenant-Colonel Philip Oswald Andrew is appointed a member of a Special District Medical Board. Dated 8th August, 1917.

Major John Craig, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength as from the 8th February, 1917, and absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Captain, as from 20th October, 1915 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 6, of the 27th January, 1916); and retains the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst acting as a member of a Special District Medical Board. Dated 7th June, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) Edward William Sharman, L.R.C.P. Edin., L.R.C.S. Edin., N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength as from the 30th July, 1916, and absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Captain, as from

the 12th July, 1915 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 109, of the 16th September, 1915); and retains the temporary rank of Major whilst employed as Principal Medical Officer, Narrow Neck Camp. Dated 14th December, 1916.

Captain Francis Lidderdale Scott, L.R.C.P. Edin., L.R.C.S. Edin., N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is struck off the strength, and absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Captain, as from the 20th April, 1915 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 73, of the 10th June, 1915); to date from 20th June, 1916.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) James Alfred Jenkins is confirmed.

2nd Lieutenant James Alfred Jenkins to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th June, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend William Curzon-Siggers, Chaplain to the Forces, 2nd Class, retires under the provisions of paragraphs 126 and 127, General Regulations, 1913, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 9th August, 1917.

The undermentioned Chaplains to the Forces, 4th Class, retire under the provisions of paragraph 127, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 19th June, 1917:—

The Reverend Robert Wood.
The Reverend Thomas Tait.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY PAY DEPARTMENT.

22/10, Staff Sergeant Cecil Stuart Robertson to be Staff Paymaster, and is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant (temp.) whilst so employed. Dated 13th July, 1917.

UNATTACHED LIST (b).

2nd Lieutenant Eric Raymond Hudson, from the Unattached List (b), General List, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1917.

UNATTACHED LIST (b), GENERAL LIST.

2nd Lieutenant Eric Raymond Hudson is transferred to the Unattached List (b). Dated 6th August, 1917.

ERRATA.

With reference to the notification in the *N.Z. Gazette* No. 120, of the 26th July, 1917, relating to Captain (temp.) Alfred Coutts, 3rd (Auckland) Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own), delete the words "Captain (temp.) Alfred Coutts," and substitute "Captain Alfred Coutts, temporarily attached."

With reference to the notification in the *N.Z. Gazette* No. 98, of the 14th June, 1917, relating to Captain T. Cowlshaw, Military Representative, for the words "Captain T. Cowlshaw" read "Captain Frank Cowlshaw."

ADDENDUM.

With reference to the notification in the *N.Z. Gazette* No. 107, of the 21st September, 1916, relating to Lieutenant (temp.) John William Fletcher, N.Z. Permanent Staff, after the word "Onehunga" add the words "and is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force."

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Appointments of Officers proceeding on Active Service with the New Zealand Expeditionary Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 16th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments of the undermentioned officers proceeding on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 13th August, 1917, unless otherwise specified.

STAFF.

Lieutenant Donald Hamish William Hawken Donaldson, New Zealand Staff Corps.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

2nd Lieutenant Augustine Georgetti, Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 22nd November, 1916.
2nd Lieutenant John Anderson, Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 21st December, 1916.
2nd Lieutenant Leslie McKay, Paterson, Unattached List (b), General List.

NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

2nd Lieutenant Douglas Endell Wanklyn, Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 11th June, 1916.
2nd Lieutenant Robert Forster Vial, Unattached List (b), General List, returns to duty with seniority as from 1st March, 1916 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 75, of 6th July, 1916).

INFANTRY.

Captain Henry Seddon Hills, Unattached List (b).
Captain Thomas Murray Charters, 1st (Canterbury) Regiment.
Captain Lancelot Tuckwell Herbert, Corps of N.Z. Engineers, Mounted Signal Troops.
Lieutenant James William Hugh Bannerman, 8th (Southland) Regiment.
Lieutenant John Murray, Unattached List (a.)
2nd Lieutenant Charles Edward Taylor, Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 14th February, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant Gerald Arthur Arnold Barton, Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 19th March, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant Francis Leslie Gordon Jolly, Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 11th May, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant Austin Robert McIvor, Unattached List (b).
2nd Lieutenant Eric Frank Borrington Waters, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Guy Millar Burn, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Arthur Frederick Laidlaw, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant James Quinn, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Harry Vause, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant William Thomas Stanley Edwards, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Guy Stanley Bridgwood Eversleigh, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Henry John White Beck, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Andrew Leonard Caughey, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Geoffrey Pitt Beadel, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Richard John Bedingfield, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant John McGregor, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Sydney Elliott Beattie, 17th (Ruahine) Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant Harry Roberts, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Claud Oswald Pratt, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant Andrew Smith, Unattached List (b), General List.
2nd Lieutenant John Duncan McArthur, 7th (Southland) Mounted Rifles, returns to duty.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE.

Lieutenant Marcus David Smith, Unattached List (b).
2nd Lieutenant Frederick Arthur Jones, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.). Dated 11th May, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant John Finlayson, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.). Dated 29th May, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant Vernon Augustus Norrish, 14th (South Otago) Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant Cuthbert Henry Adams, Unattached List (b).
2nd Lieutenant Bryce Conrade Hart, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.).
2nd Lieutenant Edward Roland Nutter, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.).
2nd Lieutenant Percival Moore Beattie, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.).
2nd Lieutenant Grodon Rae Cowie, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.).
2nd Lieutenant Cecil Polson, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.).
2nd Lieutenant James Edward Stokes, New Zealand Rifle Brigade (T.).
Lieutenant Percy Alexander McDowell, 15th (North Auckland) Regiment, returns to duty, with seniority as from 16th January, 1915 (*vide N.Z. Gazette* No. 19, of 11th February, 1915).

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain Sidney Harland Ward, M.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.
Captain Alexander Todd McCaw, F.R.C.S. Eng., L.R.C.P. Lond.
Captain Walter William Moore, B.S. M.R.C.P. Lond., F.R.C.S. Eng.
Captain William Huston Dodd McKee, M.B., B.S., N.Z.
Lieutenant James Alfred Jenkins, M.B., B.S., N.Z.

The undermentioned are posted for duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 2nd August, 1917:—
Captain Charles McBeath Dawson, M.B., M.S., Aberd.
Captain James Roberts Boyd, M.B., B.S., Edin.

NEW ZEALAND DENTAL CORPS.

Captain Frederick Charles Tibbs.
Captain Cyril Elias Trayton Woods.

PIONEER UNIT.

2nd Lieutenant Hamiora Parakura, Unattached List (b), General List.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Patrick O'Flynn, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class.

The Reverend Hoani Parata, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class.

The Reverend Leslie Albert Knight, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class.

The Reverend Eric Ellerslie Bamford, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, is posted for duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 2nd August, 1917.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Colonel) Charles Ernest Randolph Mackesey returns to duty with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with seniority as from 14th September, 1916 (*vide* N.Z. Gazette No. 138, of 7th December, 1916).

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of Long-service and Good-conduct Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 16th August, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General 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. 2 Armourer Quartermaster-Sergeant JOHN ALEXANDER ADAMSON, New Zealand Army Ordnance Corps.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Notice respecting Proposed Alteration of Boundaries of the South Orari River District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 21st August, 1917.

IT is hereby notified that a petition has been presented to His Excellency the Governor-General, under the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913, praying that the area described in the Schedule hereto may be included in the South Orari River District. All persons affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to or petitions against the proposed alteration within fourteen days from the first publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE.

AREA PROPOSED TO BE INCLUDED IN THE SOUTH ORARI RIVER DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded by a line along the right bank of the Orari River from the Main Trunk Railway line to a point in line with the south-western side of the road forming the north-eastern boundary of Rural Section 13901; thence to and along the western side of that road passing Rural Sections 13901, 22626, 16736, 16737, 13902, 16365, 938, 11101, 32685, 22105, 14843, 12182, 14774, 14775, 26697, 23228, 2686, 26694, 14772, 3826, and the production of the said road northerly to the Main Trunk Railway line, and along the said railway-line to the right bank of the Orari River, the place of commencement.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

authorizing the Laying-off of Main East Coast Road, in the Town of Opotiki Extension No. 2, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 20th August, 1917.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Main East Coast Road, in the Town of Opotiki Extension No. 2, Auckland Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

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

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 18th August, 1917.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF GORE.

In the matter of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

I, DAVID McDougall, Mayor of the Borough of Gore, do hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Gore was taken on Wednesday, the 8th day of August, on the following proposal—namely, to raise by way of special loan a sum of £20,000 for the following undertaking, that is to say: protection of the Town of Gore from floods.

And to secure the above loan and the repayment thereof, and the payment of interest thereon, by the issue of debentures of £100 each, bearing interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and a sinking fund of 1 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, such debentures to have a currency of twenty-one years from the 1st day of October, 1917; and that the security for the repayment of the said debentures and payment of interest and sinking fund shall be the particular undertaking enumerated above, and also a special rate on the whole of the rateable property in the Borough of Gore; and to pay out of any moneys realized by the said loan the preliminary expenses in connection with the same.

And I also give notice that there were 342 votes recorded for and 187 votes against the proposal: informal votes, 15.

And I do hereby declare the said proposal carried.

Dated at Gore this 9th day of August, 1917.

DAVID McDUGALL, Mayor.

Prohibition of Money-order and Postal Correspondence for David Ross, Wellington.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand having reasonable ground for supposing that the person whose name and address are shown in the Schedule hereunder is engaged in receiving money as the consideration for an assurance or agreement implied to pay money on events relating to horse races, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, that no money-order in favour of the said person shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person (either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name), or addressed to the address in the Schedule hereunder without a name, shall be registered, forwarded, or delivered by the Post Office of New Zealand.

SCHEDULE.

DAVID ROSS, 215 Ingestre Street, Wellington.

Dated this 21st day of August, 1917.

J. G. WARD,
Postmaster-General.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Block IX, Russell 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 Kawakawa, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

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

- A. R. P. Being portion of
- 0 2 29, Taurangakawau B, plan P.W.D. 42436; coloured yellow.
- 1 3 23, Taurangakawau B, plan P.W.D. 42436; coloured yellow.
- 2 0 34.1, Te Karetu A, plan P.W.D. 42435; coloured blue.

Situated in Block IX, Russell Survey District. (S.O. 17539.)

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 20th day of August, 1917.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Revocation of Appointment of Wharf and Examination Places

IN exercise of the powers in me for this purpose vested by the Customs Act, 1913, I, the Minister of Customs, do by this warrant revoke the appointment (as made by Minister's Order No. 1084, of 28th May, 1914, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 4th June, 1914) of the under-mentioned wharf and examination places:—

PORT OF AUCKLAND.

Quay Street Wharf.
Wharf sheds (two) marked "H" and "I."

Given under my hand, at Wellington, this 18th day of August, 1917.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Customs.

Minister's Order No. 1100.]

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	Ahern, Leonard John	Wanganui	Carpenter	1/6/17	16/8/17	Testate.
2	Beaton, John	Dunedin	Shearer	9/6/17	16/8/17	"
3	Beattie, Robert Avon	Waimamaku	Farmer	14/9/16	17/8/17	"
4	Bennett, Lawrence Eric	Te Mata, Havelock N. ..	Gardener	14/9/16	14/8/17	"
5	Bjerring, Elies Johannes Fred ..	Porirua	Bushman	15/3/17	14/8/17	Intestate.
6	Bobin, Jessie Amelia	Wanganui	Married woman ..	21/7/17	14/8/17	"
7	Castle, Arthur Penfold	Gisborne	School-teacher ..	15/9/16	17/8/17	Testate.
8	Codlin, Percival; also known as Percy Codlin	Wellsford	Fireman	26/11/16	15/8/17	"
9	Chambers, Thomas John	Mount Eden	Retired railway employee	10/7/17	15/8/17	"
10	Critchfield, Mary Ann	North-east Valley, Dunedin	Widow	13/7/17	17/8/17	"
11	Grant, John McPherson	Masterton	Journalist	27/8/15	14/8/17	Intestate.
12	Greenlees, Bertie	Wanganui	Blacksmith	15/9/16	16/8/17	Testate.
13	Hall, Arthur Henry; also known as Alfred Henry Hall	Napier	Barman	8/6/16	16/8/17	"
14	Hay, William	Tatarariki	Settler	17/9/16	15/8/17	"
15	Howson, Margaret	Blackburn, England ..	Married woman ..	10/12/08	17/8/17	Intestate.
16	Kenlock, Ann	Darwen, England ..	Widow	15/10/09	17/8/17	"
17	Leslie, Edward Starkey	Huntly	Fireman	15/9/16	17/8/17	Testate.
18	Mack, Christian John	Takapuna	Commercial traveller	3/7/16	15/8/17	"
19	Marchant, Thomas,	Whakatutu	Cook	7/7/17	14/8/17	Intestate.
20	Marriott, Norman Strathmore ..	Auckland	Chemist	30/9/16	18/8/17	Testate.
21	McAnnally, Herbert John; or McAnnalley, Herbert John	Manurewa	Railway employee ..	8/5/17	17/8/17	"
22	McFarlane, William Vivian	Gisborne	Confectioner	7/8/15	14/8/17	"
23	McKinnon, Robert Hugh	Gore	Farmer	15/9/16	18/8/17	"
24	Moffat, Harry	Owhango	Labourer	7/8/15	17/8/17	"
25	Morton, Stanley William Norman	Christchurch	Draper	21/10/16	18/8/17	"
26	Moyle, Trelawney	Piako	Farm hand	23/9/16	17/8/17	"
27	Napier, Percival John	Reefton	Surveyor	30/9/16	17/8/17	"
28	Newth, Walter Joseph	Maxwelltown	Farmer	27/8/15	17/8/17	"
29	Olsen, Albert James	Greymouth	Fireman	25/5/17	16/8/17	"
30	Postgate, Arthur Bateman	Christchurch	Carpenter	7/6/17	17/8/17	"
31	Pilkington, John	Dunedin	Engineer	27/6/17	17/8/17	"
32	Richard, Albert Oliver	Wellington	Signwriter	8/6/17	16/8/17	"
33	Rider, Colin William	"	Linesman	16/9/16	16/8/17	"
34	Sinclair, James Lees	Dunedin	Telegraphist	9/6/17	16/8/17	"
35	Singleton, Matthew	Christchurch	Storeman	22/4/17	15/8/17	"
36	Smith, Matilda Ronaldson	Redcliffs	Married woman ..	16/5/08	15/8/17	Intestate.
37	Stevens, Albert	Pounawea	Engine-driver	19/8/15	14/8/17	"
38	Stainton, Frank Harold Bates ..	Auckland	Post and Telegraph employee	24/6/17	16/8/17	Testate.
39	Smith, Gideon Anderson	Coal Creek Flat	Miner	24/3/17	15/8/17	"
40	Thomas, Fred William	Blenheim	Motor mechanic ..	24/3/17	16/8/17	"
41	Thompson, Claude Wandless	Christchurch	Clerk	—/5/16	18/8/17	"
42	Todd, Alice	Blackburn, England ..	Widow	14/1/79	17/8/17	Intestate.
43	Tomlinson, John Lester	Christchurch	Farmer	7/6/17	17/8/17	Testate.
44	Trythall, Arthur James	Mangere	Farm hand	18/10/16	17/8/17	"
45	Valentine, Gilbert	Auckland	Storeman	26/9/16	17/8/17	"
46	Williams, William Ellis	Keitangata	Railway porter ..	15/9/16	17/8/17	"
47	Winter, George Ernest	Christchurch	Labourer	23/9/16	17/8/17	"

Wellington, 21st August, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT, Public Trustee.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 21st July, 1917, and for the corresponding period 1916:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.				GISBORNE SECTION—continued.			
		1917.	1916.			1917.	1916.
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	GOODS—continued.		Tons.	Tons.
1st Class	..	1,954	1,573	Timber	..	609	804
2nd Class	..	11,788	11,260	Minerals	..	3,046	2,726
Total	..	13,742	12,833	Other Goods	..	1,182	1,191
Season Tickets	..	45	273	Total	..	4,787	4,721
GOODS,—		No.	No.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cattle	..	172	588	Passengers	..	549 8 10	574 0 2
Calves	..	20	33	Parcels	..	77 3 8	£3 13 6
Sheep	..	415	1,831	Goods	..	1,145 9 0	1,212 6 4
Pigs	..	..	..	Miscellaneous	..	47 19 0	30 15 8
Total	..	607	2,452	Rents and Commission	..	93 9 6	92 18 10
		Tons.	Tons.	Total	..	£1,913 10 0	£1,993 14 6
Timber	..	3,786	2,700	NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
Minerals	..	4,736	8,820	PASSENGERS,—		1917.	1916.
Other Goods	..	1,958	1,271	1st Class	..	No.	No.
Total	..	10,480	12,791	2nd Class	..	55,512	76,909
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Total	..	420,400	514,515
Passengers	..	999 4 11	916 17 7	Season Tickets	..	14,184	18,927
Parcels	..	120 15 1	114 14 3	GOODS,—		No.	No.
Goods	..	2,164 14 1	2,512 0 5	Cattle	..	13,623	15,786
Miscellaneous	..	146 3 3	75 9 9	Calves	..	1,069	2,496
Rents and Commission	..	175 17 3	149 3 10	Sheep	..	134,425	88,436
Total	..	£3,606 14 7	£3,768 5 10	Pigs	..	2,307	2,693
		Tons.	Tons.	Total	..	151,424	109,411
Timber	..	1,798	1,194	Timber	..	Tons.	Tons.
Minerals	..	..	..	Minerals	..	17,799	20,519
Other Goods	..	165	191	Other Goods	..	58,041	58,857
Total	..	1,963	1,385	Total	..	60,405	63,781
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	..	107 3 8	117 7 2	Passengers	..	76,392 19 11	84,308 10 5
Parcels	..	24 7 0	29 11 7	Parcels	..	10,275 17 3	8,017 1 3
Goods	..	340 4 0	258 7 5	Goods	..	85,158 8 8	85,437 15 11
Miscellaneous	..	10 4 2	4 9 0	Miscellaneous	..	2,108 14 6	2,894 7 1
Rents and Commission	..	28 9 0	24 13 0	Rents and Commission	..	4,430 19 11	4,589 1 0
Total	..	£510 7 10	£434 8 2	Total	..	£178,367 0 3	£185,196 15 8
KAIHU SECTION.				SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
PASSENGERS,—		1917.	1916.	PASSENGERS,—		1917.	1916.
1st Class	..	No.	No.	1st Class	..	No.	No.
2nd Class	..	136	142	2nd Class	..	42,456	46,018
Total	..	1,645	1,747	Total	..	207,877	235,773
Season Tickets	..	..	10	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
GOODS,—		No.	No.	Passengers	..	76,392 19 11	84,308 10 5
Cattle	..	..	..	Parcels	..	10,275 17 3	8,017 1 3
Calves	..	..	..	Goods	..	85,158 8 8	85,437 15 11
Sheep	..	..	..	Miscellaneous	..	2,108 14 6	2,894 7 1
Pigs	..	..	..	Rents and Commission	..	4,430 19 11	4,589 1 0
Total	..	..	..	Total	..	£178,367 0 3	£185,196 15 8
		Tons.	Tons.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Timber	..	1,798	1,194	Passengers	..	33,384 0 1	35,060 13 1
Minerals	..	..	..	Parcels	..	5,596 14 4	5,692 4 10
Other Goods	..	165	191	Goods	..	57,800 0 10	74,336 17 6
Total	..	1,963	1,385	Miscellaneous	..	2,420 8 0	2,898 19 1
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Rents and Commission	..	3,551 7 4	4,147 7 9
Passengers	..	107 3 8	117 7 2	Total	..	£102,752 10 7	£122,186 2 3
Parcels	..	24 7 0	29 11 7	GISBORNE SECTION.			
Goods	..	340 4 0	258 7 5	PASSENGERS,—		1917.	1916.
Miscellaneous	..	10 4 2	4 9 0	1st Class	..	No.	No.
Rents and Commission	..	28 9 0	24 13 0	2nd Class	..	834	846
Total	..	£510 7 10	£434 8 2	Total	..	4,787	4,853
		Tons.	Tons.	Season Tickets	..	18	42
Timber	..	1,798	1,194	GOODS,—		No.	No.
Minerals	..	..	..	Cattle	..	43	50
Other Goods	..	165	191	Calves	..	28	5
Total	..	1,963	1,385	Sheep	..	2,792	5,175
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Pigs	..	..	28
Passengers	..	107 3 8	117 7 2	Total	..	2,863	5,258
Parcels	..	24 7 0	29 11 7	GISBORNE SECTION—continued.			
Goods	..	340 4 0	258 7 5	GOODS—continued.		1917.	1916.
Miscellaneous	..	10 4 2	4 9 0	Timber	..	Tons.	Tons.
Rents and Commission	..	28 9 0	24 13 0	Minerals	..	8,101	12,575
Total	..	£510 7 10	£434 8 2	Other Goods	..	61,781	62,644
		Tons.	Tons.	Total	..	79,291	122,029
Timber	..	1,798	1,194	Season Tickets	..	7,594	10,567
Minerals	..	..	..	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Other Goods	..	165	191	Passengers	..	33,384 0 1	35,060 13 1
Total	..	1,963	1,385	Parcels	..	5,596 14 4	5,692 4 10
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Goods	..	57,800 0 10	74,336 17 6
Passengers	..	107 3 8	117 7 2	Miscellaneous	..	2,420 8 0	2,898 19 1
Parcels	..	24 7 0	29 11 7	Rents and Commission	..	3,551 7 4	4,147 7 9
Goods	..	340 4 0	258 7 5	Total	..	£102,752 10 7	£122,186 2 3
Miscellaneous	..	10 4 2	4 9 0	GISBORNE SECTION—continued.			
Rents and Commission	..	28 9 0	24 13 0	GOODS—continued.		1917.	1916.
Total	..	£510 7 10	£434 8 2	Timber	..	Tons.	Tons.
		Tons.	Tons.	Minerals	..	8,101	12,575
Timber	..	1,798	1,194	Other Goods	..	61,781	62,644
Minerals	..	..	..	Total	..	79,291	122,029
Other Goods	..	165	191	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Total	..	1,963	1,385	Passengers	..	33,384 0 1	35,060 13 1
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Parcels	..	5,596 14 4	5,692 4 10
Passengers	..	107 3 8	117 7 2	Goods	..	57,800 0 10	74,336 17 6
Parcels	..	24 7 0	29 11 7	Miscellaneous	..	2,420 8 0	2,898 19 1
Goods	..	340 4 0	258 7 5	Rents and Commission	..	3,551 7 4	4,147 7 9
Miscellaneous	..	10 4 2	4 9 0	Total	..	£102,752 10 7	£122,186 2 3
Rents and Commission	..	28 9 0	24 13 0	GISBORNE SECTION—continued.			
Total	..	£510 7 10	£434 8 2	GOODS—continued.		1917.	1916.
		Tons.	Tons.	Timber	..	Tons.	Tons.
Timber	..	1,798	1,194	Minerals	..	8,101	12,575
Minerals	..	..	..	Other Goods	..	61,781	62,644
Other Goods	..	165	191	Total	..	79,291	122,029
Total	..	1,963	1,385	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Passengers	..	33,384 0 1	35,060 13 1
Passengers	..	107 3 8	117 7 2	Parcels	..	5,596 14 4	5,692 4 10
Parcels	..	24 7 0	29 11 7	Goods	..	57,800 0 10	74,336 17 6
Goods	..	340 4 0	258 7 5	Miscellaneous	..	2,420 8 0	2,898 19 1
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Timber	..	1,798	1,194	Timber	..	Tons.	Tons.
Minerals	Minerals	..	8,101	12,575
Other Goods	..	165	191	Other Goods	..	61,781	62,644
Total	..	1,963	1,385	Total	..	79,291	122,029
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	..	107 3 8	117 7 2	Passengers	..	33,384 0 1	35,060 13 1
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Total	..	£510 7 10	£434 8 2	Total	..	£102,752 10 7	£122,186 2 3

WESTLAND SECTION.

	1917.	1916
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	2,274	2,237
2nd Class	20,902	19,173
Total	23,176	21,410
Season Tickets	696	572
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	491	256
Calves .. ..	..	4
Sheep	1,714	1,586
Pigs .. ..	..	..
Total	2,205	1,846
Timber	Tons. 8,016	Tons. 9,638
Minerals	39,336	46,563
Other Goods	2,710	2,964
Total	50,062	59,165
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	1,927 4 5	1,737 10 0
Parcels	329 7 11	362 1 7
Goods	8,822 9 2	10,657 17 0
Miscellaneous	499 10 8	579 6 7
Rents and Commission	386 6 3	370 9 0
Total	£11,964 18 5	£13,757 4 2

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	206	150
2nd Class	5,440	5,423
Total	5,646	5,573
Season Tickets	62	269
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle .. ..	..	2
Calves .. ..	..	..
Sheep	138	204
Pigs	4	..
Total	142	206
Timber	Tons. 132	Tons. 148
Minerals	59,500	59,190
Other Goods	1,127	1,126
Total	60,759	60,464
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	391 2 0	493 3 11
Parcels	70 11 4	81 14 9
Goods	7,226 12 6	7,790 10 5
Miscellaneous	447 11 5	482 12 3
Rents and Commission	93 8 5	87 1 11
Total	£8,229 5 8	£8,935 3 3

NELSON SECTION.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	554	475
2nd Class	6,906	6,752
Total	7,460	7,227
Season Tickets	36	28
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	104	8
Calves .. ..	..	..
Sheep	231	863
Pigs	35	..
Total	370	871

NELSON SECTION—continued.

	1917.	1916.
	Tons.	Tons.
GOODS—continued.		
Timber	124	192
Minerals	703	1,324
Other Goods	1,288	1,871
Total	2,115	3,387
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	610 19 1	585 16 7
Parcels	123 8 6	124 18 0
Goods	1,063 7 7	1,472 1 8
Miscellaneous	278 7 8	147 16 11
Rents and Commission	159 9 2	161 13 9
Total	£2,235 12 0	£2,492 6 11

PICTON SECTION.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	1,133	1,728
2nd Class	6,027	5,043
Total	7,160	6,771
Season Tickets	3	83
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	38	45
Calves .. ..	..	4
Sheep	2,250	2,460
Pigs .. ..	..	40
Total	2,288	2,549
Timber	Tons. 60	Tons. 41
Minerals	1,812	422
Other Goods	2,987	2,829
Total	4,859	3,292
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	534 0 6	590 12 4
Parcels	111 16 7	105 9 6
Goods	1,422 17 7	969 7 6
Miscellaneous	131 2 4	149 11 0
Rents and Commission	85 19 6	84 4 6
Total	£2,285 16 6	£1,899 4 10

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

	1917.	1916.
	No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	217	157
2nd Class	378	428
Total	595	585
Season Tickets	3	2
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle	6	30
Calves	17	..
Sheep	1,634	89
Pigs .. ..	..	..
Total	1,657	119
Timber	Tons. 44	Tons. 13
Minerals	15	199
Other Goods	330	394
Total	527	606
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	107 7 1	89 4 3
Parcels	62 2 7	65 9 10
Goods	244 10 9	243 0 5
Miscellaneous	0 1 3	0 7 4
Rents and Commission	..	..
Total	£414 1 8	£398 1 10

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1917-18.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1917, to 21st July, 1917.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1917	172,221	308,492	995,963	2,043,356	3,520,032	98,857
1916	138,497	434,498	857,183	2,881,402	4,311,580	114,279
Increase	33,724	..	138,780	..	..	..
Decrease .. .. .	..	126,006	..	838,046	791,548	15,422

All Sections.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Pigs.	Total.	Timber.	Minerals.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1917	105,345	13,762	1,907,987	47,683	2,074,777	158,641	735,108	687,478	1,581,227
1916	122,530	12,606	2,200,137	52,978	2,388,301	191,632	907,426	809,979	1,909,037
Increase .. .. .	..	1,156	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Decrease	17,235	..	292,150	5,295	313,524	32,991	172,318	122,501	327,810

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 21st July, 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	£ 3,606 14 7	£ 14,493 4 1	£ 2,818 11 4	£ 10,090 1 4	69·62	£ 636 10 6	£ 443 2 11
Kaihu	20	510 7 10	1,907 6 3	644 19 9	2,304 2 1	120·80	309 18 9	374 8 5
Gisborne	44	1,913 10 0	7,473 11 3	1,533 10 0	5,289 10 2	70·78	552 0 6	390 14 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,108	178,367 0 3	747,418 13 10	113,881 2 1	442,774 16 11	59·24	2,192 6 9	1,298 15 1
Total	1,246	184,397 12 8	771,292 15 5	118,878 3 2	460,458 10 6	59·70		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	102,752 10 7	469,045 0 6	84,869 2 2	324,426 9 3	69·17	1,085 15 0	750 19 9
Westland	157	11,964 18 5	43,170 6 9	7,876 16 3	28,672 16 7	66·42	893 13 1	593 10 11
Westport	36	8,229 5 8	28,107 14 8	3,688 7 3	14,199 1 0	50·52	2,537 10 1	1,281 17 2
Nelson	61	2,235 12 0	9,694 10 6	2,282 15 5	7,889 6 11	81·38	516 10 3	420 6 8
Picton	56	2,285 16 6	9,367 1 6	1,387 3 5	7,227 2 7	77·15	543 12 6	419 8 8
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	414 1 8	1,992 2 9	269 12 11	2,445 5 2	122·74	..	..
Total	1,714	127,882 4 10	561,376 16 8	100,373 17 5	384,860 1 6	68·56		
Grand total	2,960	312,279 17 6	1,332,669 12	1219,252 0 7	845,318 12 0	63·43		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.		Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
NORTH ISLAND,—										
Whangarei	74	£ 3,768 5 10	£ 16,690 13 0	£ 2,760 4 11	£ 10,436 18 5	62·53	£ 733 0 9	£ 458 7 7		
Kaihu	20	434 8 2	1,929 7 1	464 17 8	2,465 19 11	127·81	313 10 5	400 14 6		
Gisborne	44	1,993 14 6	8,415 11 6	1,614 17 8	5,101 5 6	60·62	621 12 4	376 16 0		
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,108	185,196 15 8	809,962 18 11	116,087 4 9	461,142 6 10	56·93	2,375 16 0	1,352 12 6		
Total	1,246	191,393 4 2	836,998 10 6	120,927 5 0	479,146 10 8	57·25				
SOUTH ISLAND,—										
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	122,136 2 3	554,713 7 10	85,044 5 11	338,488 5 6	61·02	1,284 1 8	733 10 9		
Westland	157	13,757 4 2	52,844 1 6	8,590 11 3	30,604 10 2	57·91	1,093 18 1	633 10 8		
Westport	36	8,935 3 3	34,197 15 3	4,595 7 0	16,460 1 5	48·13	3,087 6 0	1,485 19 6		
Nelson	61	2,492 6 11	10,789 1 10	1,684 12 2	7,137 0 7	66·15	574 16 7	380 5 0		
Picton	56	1,899 4 10	8,505 10 10	1,610 15 4	6,434 18 10	76·24	493 12 6	376 7 2		
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	398 1 10	2,120 8 2	186 2 5	1,571 3 5	74·10	..	..
Total	1,714	149,618 3 3	663,170 5 5	101,711 14 1	400,745 19 11	60·43				
Grand total	2,960	341,011 7 5	1,500,168 15 11	222,638 19 1	879,892 10 7	58·65				

ESTIMATED COST OF CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1917, 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	763,410	0 0	180,023	0 0
Kaihu	99,962	0 0	17,244	0 0
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	309,786	0 0
Gisborne	597,241	0 0	246,557	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	15,421,989	0 0	973,881	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	14,541,345	0 0	155,044	0 0
Westland	2,075,217	0 0	644,771	0 0
Westport	602,317	0 0	95,828	0 0
Nelson	542,406	0 0	36,988	0 0
Picton	675,857	0 0	18,593	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	43,708	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—				
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	35,900	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 .. .. .	..	..	77,805	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	15,212	0 0	..	..
Totals	£35,378,664	0 0	£2,808,509	0 0

Railway Department, 20th August, 1917.

J. MACDONALD,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Amendment 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-General 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 the amendments thereof, amend the regulations now in force in the manner and to the extent set forth in the Schedule hereto. Such amendment shall have effect from and after the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

THE first amendment to Regulation 161 as gazetted on the 8th day of April, 1914, is hereby further amended by adding, after the words "no one" where they first appear in that amendment, the words "except he is an honourably discharged member of the Forces as defined in the War Pensions Act, 1915, and any amendment of that Act"

As witness my hand this twenty-fourth day of July, 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-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, approves of the foregoing regulations.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

Approved in Council this twentieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

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

Notice by the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its Amendments.

To the owner of the following land, that is to say: An undivided half-share in all that parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 16 perches, more or less, being Allotment 27, Section 2, Village of Papakura, Parish of Opakeke, in the County of Eden. Bounded on the north-east by Princes Street, 100 links; on the south-east by Lot No. 28, 350 links; on the south-west by Lot No. 34, 100 links; and on the north-west by Lot No. 26, 350 links.

The last registered owners of the land are Thomas Allibone Norman and Frank Hebden Wilson, both of Mongonui, Settlers, the former of whom cannot be traced.

WHEREAS the Public Trustee has instituted inquiries, and has been unable to find the said Thomas Allibone Norman, the owner of undivided half-share in the above-described land, or any agent of such owner in New Zealand:

Now, the Public Trustee hereby calls upon such owner, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his title to the said land; and if he fails or neglects so to do, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its amendments.

Dated this 21st day of August, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT,
Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1917.—Notice No. 27.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 20th August, 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:—

Salvation Army.

Ensign FREDERICK H. CAPORN.
Ensign ALFRED H. CHARKEE.
Adjutant CECIL H. CRESWELL.
Captain CHARLES V. ELFORD.
Commandant CHARLES G. FITNESS.
Captain ERNEST FRIBERG.
Staff-Captain JOHN A. GILES.
Captain WALTER G. GIRLING.
Captain JOHN GRAHAM.
Captain JAMES G. W. GRENLAY.
Staff-Captain WILLIAM S. HAINES.
Major ARTHUR HAMILTON.
Captain WILLIAM J. A. HILDRETH.
Captain HAROLD R. HOLDAWAY.
Adjutant ALBERT E. HOSKINGS.
Captain FRANCIS HUSTON.
Captain ALFRED E. KEMP.
Ensign ROBERT LAMOND.
Commandant ALEX. J. MARSHALL.
Captain THOMAS MOORE.
Major WALTER P. PAGE.
Captain JAMES H. PALMER.
Adjutant JOHN H. POWICK.
Adjutant CHARLES N. RIXON.
Commandant ALBERT SCOTNEY.
Adjutant ROBERT SIMPSON.
Ensign ALFRED J. SUTER.
Captain CHARLES H. THOMAS.

Spiritual Scientists' Church.

Mr. MCLEOD CRAIG.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 73 of 1917.

DERELICT IN PACIFIC OCEAN.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd August, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following reports have been received of derelicts in the Pacific Ocean:—

Position.—On 16th July, 1917, in lat. 5° 9' S. and long. 168° 24½' E. On 8th August, 1917, in lat. 24° 36' S. and long. 176° 33' E.

Description.—A large two-masted schooner which has been burnt out. Two sets of chain-plates were showing above the hull; the derelict was down by the head apparently to her

anchors, and was about one-third submerged. The stern head showed at times, and was painted white; the rest of the hull was painted with red hæmatite, and appeared to be quite fresh. There was no sign of marine growth; the rudder was missing. The hull was estimated to be 150 ft. long by about 30 ft. abeam. The derelict was drifting to the E.N.E. before a moderate wind and sea.

Note.—Probably both reports were of same derelict, which had drifted to eastward 445 miles in twenty-two days at rate of twenty miles a day.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 21st August, 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, Napier, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 10th October, 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 periods 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, Napier, on Thursday, the 11th October, 1917, at 10 o'clock a.m.

The ballot will be held at the conclusion of the examination of applicants.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Waipawa County.—Takapau and Motuotaria Survey District.—Marakeke Settlement.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Annual Instalment on Deferred Payment (excluding Interest).		Half-yearly Rent on Lease.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1s	225 0 0	3,070 0 0	153	10 0	69	1 6
2s	220 0 0	3,210 0 0	160	10 0	72	4 6
3s	192 1 0	2,800 0 0	140	0 0	63	0 0
4s	201 1 0	3,220 0 0	161	0 0	72	9 0
5s	207 0 0	3,560 0 0	178	0 0	80	2 0
6s	196 0 0	3,420 0 0	171	0 0	76	19 0
7s	242 1 0	4,400 0 0	220	0 0	99	0 0
8s	239 0 0	3,370 0 0	168	10 0	75	16 6
9s	223 2 0	3,300 0 0	165	0 0	74	5 0
10s	203 0 0	3,060 0 0	153	0 0	68	17 0
11s	215 3 0	3,190 0 0	159	10 0	71	15 6
12s	265 0 0	3,930 0 0	196	10 0	88	8 6
13s	177 0 0	2,620 0 0	131	0 0	58	19 0
14s	205 0 0	3,040 0 0	152	0 0	68	8 0
15s	210 2 0	3,110 0 0	155	10 0	69	19 6
16s	254 2 0	3,580 0 0	179	0 0	80	11 0
17s	256 0 0	3,730 0 0	186	10 0	83	18 6

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

The Marakeke Settlement, formerly part of the Awanui Estate, is situated on the southern edge of the Ruataniwha Plains, about three to six miles from Takapau. The portion north of the Awanui Stream (1,950 acres) is level country, watered by the Porangahau and Maharakeke Streams, on north and east. The internal portion is not watered, but water could probably be got by sinking shallow wells.

The southern portion is more or less undulating, watered by Maharakeke Stream. In places there are indications of a hard pan under the top soil. Generally speaking the land is in native grasses, and requires renewing.

The elevation ranges from 600 ft. to 750 ft. above sea-level. The land is well adapted for mixed farming.

SPECIAL CONDITION.

The main fence along the Maharakeke Stream has been used as a boundary by former owners of the settlement and the lessees affected on the Hatuma Settlement under mutual arrangements, and the selectors of the allotments in Marakeke Settlement traversed by this fence will require to make their

own agreements with adjoining owners for the continuation or otherwise of such boundary fence.

DESCRIPTIONS OF SECTIONS.

Section 1s.—Distant three miles from Takapau by formed and metalled road. Level country, with terraces near Porangahau River. Soil light loam, with shingle in places, resting on gravel formation; watered by Porangahau Stream. Pine plantation on west boundary. About 170 acres of this section was in rape last spring, and the northern half of this area has been sown in standard grasses by the Government.

Section 2s.—Distant three miles and a half from Takapau, about half a mile of which is not yet formed. Mostly level country, with river terraces. Soil light loam, resting on gravel formation; watered by Porangahau Stream. General quality of the section is fair.

Section 3s.—Distant four miles from Takapau, one mile of which is not yet formed. Level ploughable country, with river terraces. Soil is fair loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by Porangahau Stream and shallow well. General quality of the section is fair.

Section 4s.—Distant four miles and a half from Takapau and one mile from Marakeke Railway-station by formed and metalled road. Level country, with river terraces. Soil fair loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by Porangahau Stream. General quality of the section is fair.

Section 5s.—Distant four miles and three-quarters from Takapau and half a mile from Marakeke Railway-station by formed and metalled road. Level country, swampy near frontage, and smaller swamp near back boundary. Soil good loam, resting on clay formation; watered by swamps. Two pine plantations along western boundary. General quality of the section is good.

Section 6s.—Distant five miles from Takapau and a quarter of a mile from Marakeke Railway-station. All level country. Soil light loam in front and heavy swamp land in back; watered by swamp and non-permanent stream. Pine plantation near frontage. General quality of the section good.

Section 7s.—Distant five miles and a half from Takapau, and adjoins Marakeke Railway-station. Generally level, with terraces along stream. Soil good to heavy loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; well watered by Maharakeke Stream. General quality of the section is good.

Section 8s.—Distant three miles and a quarter from Takapau by good road. All level, ring-fenced. Soil light to fair loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; water will probably be obtained by sinking shallow wells. Pine plantation in centre. General quality of the section is fair.

Section 9s.—Distant three miles and three-quarters from Takapau by good road. About 90 acres flat, balance gully and easy undulating country. Soil is good loam, resting on clay formation; watered by Awanui Stream and branch. Pine plantation near Awanui Stream. General quality of the section is good.

Section 10s.—Distant four miles and a quarter from Takapau by good road. Mostly level, with river terraces. Soil good loam, resting on clay formation; well watered by Maharakeke Stream.

Section 11s.—Distant four miles and a half from Takapau, of which one mile is by unformed road. Level to slightly undulating, intersected by small gullies. Soil good loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by non-permanent streams. General quality of the section is good.

Section 12s.—Distant four miles and a half from Takapau, of which one mile is by unformed road. Level country, intersected with small gullies. Soil good loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by Maharakeke Stream and several non-permanent gullies. General quality of the section is good.

Section 13s.—Distant four miles and a half from Takapau, of which one mile is by unformed road. Undulating country, intersected by gullies. Soil good loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by springs. General quality of the section is good.

Section 14s.—Distant four miles and three-quarters from Takapau, of which a mile and a quarter is by unformed road. Level to slightly undulating country. Soil is good loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by Maharakeke Stream. General quality of the section is good.

Section 15s.—Distant five miles from Takapau, of which about a mile and a half is by unformed road. Country generally level, rising towards the west. Soil is good loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by Maharakeke Stream. General quality of the section is good.

Section 16s.—Distant five miles and a quarter from Takapau, of which about a mile and three-quarters is by unformed road. Country level to undulating, much intersected by deep gullies. Soil is good loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; well watered by Maharakeke and other streams. General quality of the section is fair.

Section 17s.—Distant six miles from Takapau, of which about two miles is by unformed road. Mostly undulating

ploughable country, intersected by gully. Soil is good loam, resting on clay and gravel formation; watered by Maharakeke Stream. General quality of the section is good.

IMPROVEMENTS.

Improvements which are included in the price of the land comprise fencing valued as follows: Section 1s, £81; Section 2s, £37 10s.; Section 3s, £39; Section 4s, £36 15s.; Section 5s, £37 10s.; Section 6s, £7 10s.; Section 7s, £23 5s.; Section 8s, £150 10s.; Section 9s, £72 15s.; Section 10s, £89 5s.; Section 11s, £52 10s.; Section 12s, £87 15s.; Section 13s, £59 10s.; Section 14s, £47 10s.; Section 15s, £42; Section 16s, £27; Section 17s, £46 10s.

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

W. F. MARSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Invercargill, 2nd August, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases of the undermentioned sections will be offered for sale by public auction at the Courthouse, Gore, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and section 5 (c) of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, on Wednesday, the 12th day of September, 1917, at 11 a.m.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN OF GORE.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.
Allotment 2 of 23	XVI	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
" 3	"	0 1 13	4 0 0
" 4	"	0 1 22	4 0 0
" 5	"	0 1 31	4 0 0
" 6	"	0 0 32	2 0 0
" 7	"	0 0 32	2 0 0
" 8	"	0 0 29	2 10 0
" 9	"	0 1 7	1 10 0
" 10	"	0 1 7	1 10 0
" 11	"	0 1 29	1 10 0
" 12	"	0 0 30	2 0 0
" 13	"	0 0 39	2 0 0
" 14	"	0 0 39	2 0 0
" 15	"	0 1 12	1 10 0
" 16	"	0 1 20	1 10 0
" 1 of 12	"	0 1 29	1 10 0
" 2	"	0 1 1	1 10 0
" 3	"	0 1 1	1 10 0
" 4	"	0 1 1	1 10 0
" 5	"	0 1 16	1 10 0
" 6	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 7	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 8	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 9	"	0 1 5	1 10 0
" 10	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 11	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 12	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 13	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 14	"	0 1 0	1 10 0
" 15	"	0 1 0	1 10 0

Good building-sites, situated eighteen to forty chains from Gore Railway-station and post-office.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, together with rent for the broken period from the date of the sale to the 31st December, 1917, and lease and registration fees (£2 2s.), to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. The term of the lease is twenty-one years, without right of renewal.
3. At the end of term, lease to be offered at auction for further term of twenty-one years, at rent to be fixed by arbitration, the incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements, which is to be handed over to the outgoing lessee.
4. No transfer or sublease allowed without consent of Land Board.
5. Interest at rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
5. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before erecting any building or cutting up or subdividing the allotments.
7. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
8. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

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

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tikitiki.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 18th August, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Tikitiki on the 18th day of September, 1917, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1917-13.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Mohi Turei and others	Hahau.
2	Peta Raroa and others	"
3	P. Ngata	"
4	Wi Hunia Huaki	"
5	Hoani Ngatai and others	"
6	Karepa Taua, Rangi Raroa, and others	Hahau 1.
7	Poeni Huaki, Reihana Tipoki, and others	Hahau.
8	Hapi Haerewa and others	Hahau 1 and Petikitangata.
9	Iritana Kapa, Wi Tupaea, and others	Part of Hahau 2, or Te Rapa.
10	Heni Morete, Wi te Hiamo, and others	Herupara 1.
11	Horomona te o Paipa	" 1.
12	Hirini Pahau and others	" 1.
13	Hohi Tuatara and others	" 1.
14	Henare Peti, Renata Pohatu, and others	" 1.
15	Paora Haenga	Hinetiraha.
16	Hapi Haerewa and others	"
17	Ani Kane Roki and others	"
18	Hakaraia Mauheni and Wiremu Keiha	Hinetiraha and Whakaari.
19	Wiremu Keiha	"
20	P. Ngata	"
21	Paora Haenga	Whakaari (part of Hinetiraha).
22	Peta Raroa, Karepa Taua, and others	Whakaari and Hinetiraha.
23	Paratene Kamure, Tete Korimete, Wi Tupaea and others	Marangairoa 1D, or Kautuku.
24	Hohepa Rairi and Peta Tewa	Kokai.
25	P. Ngata	"
26	Arihia McCoy and Hone Numinumi	Kouranui (Kokai?).
27	Hakaraia Mauheni and Wiremu Keiha	Pohooterangi.
28	Irimana te Kawa and others	"
29	Eruera Maea and others	"
30	Hapi Haerewa and others	"
31	Noho Kopuka and H. O. Paipa	"
32	Pineha Koia, Noa te Ranginui, and others	"
33	Tepene Wenerei, Eruera te Rore, and others	"
34	Eruera te Rore, Poihipi Turei, and others	"
35	Ani Kane Roki and others	"
36	Ane Kani Roki and other applications	Tikitiki.
37	P. Ngata	Turangarahui.
38	Hohepa Rairi, Arapeta Tewa, and others	Okaira (part of Turangarahui)
39	Ameria Huatahi and others	Waitapuakowhai.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
40	Renata Pohatu	Ahikouka 1c.
41	Pahoe Morete	" 1c and 2B.
42	Mohi Tapimaunga	" 2.
43	Nehe Paki Tupenga and others	Hauanu B.
44	Hiria Rangiwaha, Hineititia Tunuwhare, and another	Herenga L.
45	Horomona Teo Paipa	" L 3c.
46	"	" L 3H.
47	Rawinia Tiarete	" L 3K.
48	Aata Henihana, Maraea Ngatoko, and others	Hurakia 7.
49	Te Keepa Wharekura and Hemi Wakarara	" 1.
50	Pehikura Awatere, A. T. Ngata, and others	" 1.
51	M. K. Rapana te Kahuoterangi	" 3.
52	Kake Taare, Ruka Haenga, and others	" 3, or Waitaia.
53	Mereaira Katia	" 4, or Te Whataaoka.
54	Mohi Tapimaunga	Kuratau.
55	Eru Kauri and others	Makarika G (67 acres).
56	Eru Kauri	" G.
57	Hami te Rapu and Warihi Tako	Manutahi 2.
58	Te Paea Hutihuti (Tete)	" 2A.
59	Mohi Tapimaunga	" 2B.
60	Amiria Tawha, and Hera Taratana, or Paku	" 2D.
61	The Tairawhiti District Maori Land Board	Mangahare 2.
62	Mohi Tapimaunga and others	Mangawhariki 5 and 1.
63	Wi Moana, Kake Tiarete, and others	Marangairoa 1A, or Whakararanui.
64	Te o Turangi and Te Waka Turangi	" 1A.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
65	Maraea Ngatoko	Marangairoa 1A, or Whakararanui.
66	Renata Pereto and others	" 1A, "
67	Rupuha Konia	" 1C. "
68	Reweti Kohere and Poihipi M. Kohere	" 1C, or Pakihi.
69	Tuterangiwhiu Puha and others	" 1C 4, "
70	Hoani Kaika	" 1C 6, "
71	Panikena Kaa, Rahera Rairi, and others	" 1C 7, "
72	E. H. Henderson	" 2E. "
73	Lilian Mary Williams	Matahiia.
73A	Mere Whariki and others	" 2.
74	The Tairarawhiti District Maori Land Board	Ngamoe 1C.
75	"	" 1D.
76	"	" 4B 1.
77	Haira te Rango	Orua.
78	Heni Paputene and others	Pahiatua 4.
79	Apikara Puhake, or Pahau, and others	Piritarau B.
80	Wirihau Tatae, Porikapa Awatere, and others	" 1D.
81	Hekiera Takurua, Warahi Waihi Ngakaho, and others	Te Poroporo.
82	Neri Maukau, Mokena Romio, and others	Te Poroporo 2, or Tutuokura.
83	Hone Paputene	Poroporo 2.
84	Penaha Tahu and Hone Haenga	Rahui C 10.
85	Hami te Rapu and Hami Tahata	" C 10.
86	Pekama Pahuru	Rangikohua 5.
87	Mohi Tapimaunga	Reporua 2 and 3.
88	Were Warahi	Rotokautuku 2F 3.
89	Wiremu Karaka	" 2M.
90	Wirihana Tatae and Rutu Tawhiorangi	" 6K 4.
91	Wiki Taingahue and others	Tapuaehikitia.
92	Mereana te Whare	Tapuaeroa 1A 2.
93	Heneriata Whakaiei	" 1B 2.
94	Matire te Ketoi	Tihiomanono.
95	Tapita Purukina, Kake Tiareti, and others	" "
96	Tame Kiwara, Hata Kiwara, and others	Tihiomanono 4.
97	Wi Taotu and Mita Haane	" 4.
98	Ahipene te Maro Paku	Tikapaahinekopeka 3A.
99	Hoani Rangii and others	" 4A.
100	Auiti Haenga	" 4B.
101	Wi Pati	" 4D.
102	G. S. Travers	Tokaroa 2.
103	A. W. Henderson, Hori Mahue, and others	Tokata 4.
104	Maraea Ngatoko	" 4.
105	Rahera Ngatoko	" 4.
106	Piripi Pehe and others	" 5.
107	Rutu Kupenga, Eru Kauri, and others	Totaranui 6B.
108	Mohi Tapimaunga and others	Waiorongomai.
109	Rawhiti Paerata, W. H. Potae, and others	Waipiro 1D.
110	Piripi Waipapa	" 2 (Native Township).
111	"	" 2A.
112	Raniera Wharetuatea	" 4G 2.
113	Piripi Waipapa	" 5.
114	Riwai Puarakau	" J.
115	Mohi Tapimaunga	Wairoa B.
116	Amiria Huatahi and others	Whakaumu and Tikapaahinekopeka 5 and 6.
117	J. Tangitupua Tipene	Wharekahika 1B 4.
118	Ihaka Ngarangioe, Hingangaroa Takaroki, and others	" 10A.
119	Wiremu Arapeta, Himiona Apanui, and others	" 10B.
120	Henare Poananga	" 10B.
121	Hata Kiwara	" 15B.
122	Tuati Taiheru, Hata P. Tipene, and others	" 17 and 18.
123	Paora Totoro and Raniera Tuhore	" 18.
124	Tipiwai Houkamau, Wingara Houkamau, and others	" 18A.
125	W. H. Potae and others	" 18G.
126	Henare Waitaiki	" 18K 2.
127	Wiki Taingahue and others	Wharau 3.
128	Takena Purukina and Kateomata Wanoa	Whetumatarau.
129	Pepata Pariohe	" "

APPLICATIONS UNDER THE NATIVE TOWNSHIPS ACT, 1895, FOR DETERMINATION OF CLAIMS AFFECTING INTERESTS OF NATIVE OWNERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land or Township.
139	Paratone Ngata	Te Araroa Native Township, or Te Harakirereao.
140	Poneke Huihui	Te Araroa Native Township.
141	Manahi Parapara and others	" "
142	Rawinia Hauti, Apirana Hauti, and others	" "
143	Kereopa Potaka, Hoera Potaka, and others	Waipiro Native Township.
144	Ripeka Tawhio Kahotea	" "

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION FOR LAND TAKEN FOR PUBLIC PURPOSES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.	Purpose for which taken.
145	Under-Secretary for Public Works Department	Te Araroa Native Township, Section 34 (part)	A. R. P. 1 2 0	For a police-station site.
146	Ditto	Te Araroa Native Township, Section 60	0 0 39	For a post-office site.
147	The Waipuu County Council ..	Manutahi 2B ..	14 2 11	For a stock-paddock.
148	.. .. .	Marangairoa 2E ..	10 1 0	.. .. .
149	Under-Secretary for Public Works Department	Matarua L ..	1 11 30	For a post-office site.
150	The Waipuu County Council ..	Waipiro 1 and other blocks	{ 95 3 3·5 14 1 18·7	For a road. For a stock-paddock.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
			£ s. d.	
151	Chief Surveyor, Napier ..	Abikouka 2B ..	10 2 8	6 October, 1916.
152	" " ..	Aruhemokopuna 6B ..	4 3 0	11 January, 1917.
		Harongaotekaahu A ..	2 4 0	26 October, 1916.
		" B ..	2 0 0	26 " 1916.
153	" " ..	" C ..	3 3 0	26 " 1916.
		" D ..	0 7 7	26 " 1916.
		" E ..	36 16 0	26 " 1916.
154	" " ..	Herenga B 2 ..	21 17 10	12 January, 1917.
155	" " ..	Kaupekaahaumia ..	85 4 0	16 May, 1916.
156	" " ..	Mangaharei 1A ..	1 7 4	24 November, 1916.
157	" " ..	Marangairoa 1C ..	194 8 0	7 February, 1917.
		" 1D ..	237 8 11	7 " 1917.
158	" " ..	Mangawhariki 1F 1 ..	5 2 0	12 January, 1917.
		" 1F 2 ..	17 9 4	12 " 1917.
159	" " ..	" 4A ..	9 13 7	13 April, 1917.
		" 4B ..	23 7 6	13 " 1917.
		" 5A ..	60 17 0	27 February, 1917.
		" 5B ..	8 8 2	27 " 1917.
		" 5C ..	14 10 0	27 " 1917.
160	" " ..	" 5D ..	7 12 0	27 " 1917.
		" 5E ..	16 5 0	27 " 1917.
		" 5F ..	2 13 3	27 " 1917.
		Marangairoa 2A ..	13 9 2	17 April, 1917.
		" 2B ..	13 9 2	17 " 1917.
		" 1B 3 ..	13 9 2	17 " 1917.
		" 1B 4 ..	40 7 6	17 " 1917.
161	" " ..	Marahara B ..	40 7 7	17 " 1917.
		" A ..	5 1 0	17 " 1917.
		" E ..	2 10 6	17 " 1917.
		" F ..	2 10 5	17 " 1917.
		Potikitangata ..	5 1 0	17 " 1917.
		Hahau ..	5 0 11	17 " 1917.
162	" " ..	Marahara, or Kopu E ..	2 15 0	12 February, 1917.
		" or " F ..	9 1 0	12 " 1917.
163	" " ..	Matahiia 1 ..	62 16 6	2 July, 1917.
		" 2 ..	99 4 0	2 " 1917.
		Matarau 1A 1 ..	3 10 0	9 August, 1916.
		" 1A 2 ..	0 15 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 3 ..	8 13 0	9 " 1916.
164	" " ..	" 1A 4 ..	26 5 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 5 ..	2 6 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 6 ..	1 18 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 9B ..	3 2 6	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 1A ..	1 8 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 1B ..	2 8 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 3A ..	4 8 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 3B ..	4 3 0	9 " 1916.
165	" " ..	" 1A 5A ..	0 15 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 5B ..	0 16 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 5C ..	1 0 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 5D ..	1 8 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 7 ..	5 9 0	9 " 1916.
		" 1A 4A ..	15 1 0	8 May, 1917.
		" 1A 4B ..	2 13 10	8 " 1917.
166	" " ..	" 1A 4C ..	1 0 0	8 " 1917.
		" 1A 4D ..	2 6 0	8 " 1917.
		" 1A 4E ..	1 0 0	8 " 1917.
		" 1A 6A ..	4 10 0	8 " 1917.
		" 1A 6B ..	1 0 0	8 " 1917.
167	" " ..	" 1A 6C ..	1 0 0	8 " 1917.
		" 1A 6D ..	1 0 0	8 " 1917.
		" 1A 9B ..	10 7 0	8 " 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS—continued.

No	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
			£ s. d.	
168	Chief Surveyor, Napier	Matarau 5A	0 10 0	6 December, 1916.
		" 5B 1	1 8 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5B 2	1 4 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5D	8 8 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5E	10 16 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5F	3 8 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5G	3 12 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5H	15 12 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5K	6 6 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5L	10 4 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5M	1 4 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5N	2 18 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5O	4 2 0	6 " 1916.
		" 5P	0 19 11	6 " 1916.
		" 5R	12 0 0	6 " 1916.
		" L 2	0 8 0	9 " 1916.
		" L 3	0 12 9	9 " 1916.
169	" "	" L 4	1 14 0	9 " 1916.
		" L 5	2 18 0	9 " 1916.
		" L 6	6 8 0	9 " 1916.
		" L 7	3 12 0	9 " 1916.
		" L 8	6 10 0	9 " 1916.
		" L 9	5 2 0	9 " 1916.
		Ngamoe 1A	90 12 0	30 January, 1917.
		" 1B	28 12 0	30 " 1917.
		" 1C	49 2 0	30 " 1917.
		" 1D	85 16 0	30 " 1917.
		" 1E	89 16 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3A	3 0 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 3	4 10 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 6	2 16 0	30 " 1917.
170	" "	" 3B 7	5 16 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 8	5 2 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 9	17 8 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 1A	14 14 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 1B	10 10 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 1C	4 4 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 1D	11 2 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 1E	3 4 0	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 1F	6 6 6	30 " 1917.
		" 3B 9A	1 16 0	8 May, 1917.
		" 3B 9B	10 17 0	8 " 1917.
171	" "	" 3B 9C	10 5 0	8 " 1917.
		" 3B 9D	10 7 0	8 " 1917.
		" 3B 9E	5 3 5	8 " 1917.
		" 3B 9F	17 2 0	8 " 1917.
172	" "	Ohineakai 2	37 15 3	25 January, 1917.
173	" "	Paraeroa 2	37 13 1	16 February, 1917.
174	" "	Pukekaahu 2	4 6 0	17 August, 1916.
175	" "	Pukemanuhiri 1	25 16 4	11 January, 1917.
		" 2	4 8 0	11 " 1917.
		Rangikohua 4A	58 10 0	25 November, 1916.
176	" "	" 4B 1	9 12 0	25 " 1916.
		" 4B 2	35 9 6	25 " 1916.
		" 4B 3	98 0 0	25 " 1916.
		Rotokautuku 3A	18 18 0	21 April, 1917.
177	" "	" 3B	18 17 0	21 " 1917.
		" 3E	5 7 11	21 " 1917.
		" 6K 1A	5 1 8	21 " 1917.
178	" "	" 6K 1B	1 10 2	21 " 1917.
		" 6K 1C	8 17 3	21 " 1917.
179	" "	" 6K 2C 1	1 11 9	21 " 1917.
		" 6K 2C 2	9 1 8	21 " 1917.
180	" "	" 6K 4A	2 12 0	11 January, 1917.
		" 6K 4B	4 14 0	11 " 1917.
		" 6K 4C	2 10 0	11 " 1917.
		" 6K 4D	18 4 9	11 " 1917.
181	" "	Tapuaeoteao D 3	3 10 0	28 " 1915.
		Taumataotewhatau 1A	2 4 0	25 " 1917.
182	" "	" 1B	2 8 0	25 " 1917.
		" 1C	7 12 0	25 " 1917.
		" 1D	7 14 6	25 " 1917.
		" 2A	10 7 4	18 " 1917.
183	" "	" 2B	2 10 0	18 " 1917.
		" 2C	10 18 0	18 " 1917.
		Tutuwhinau 1C	24 18 0	1 November, 1916.
		" 1D	9 6 0	1 " 1916.
184	" "	" 1E	10 8 4	1 " 1916.
		" 1F	35 16 0	1 " 1916.
		" 1G	2 8 0	1 " 1916.
		" 1H	3 18 0	1 " 1916.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES—*continue*.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
206	Wierhana Tatea	Reporua 2.
	Rota Tumehe Houia	Rotokautuku 6x 1.
207	Rota Tumehe Houia	Reporua 2.
	Hori Kaiwai	Tokaroa 2 and 4.
208	Ruina Tarawehe	" 2.
	Mihi Kotukutuku	Matarau 1A 5D and 1A 7.
209	Henare Tamati	Totaranui 3B.
	Mereana Tairua	Tutuwhinau 1E.

APPLICATIONS BY NATIVES TO BE DECLARED EUROPEANS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Address.
210	Arthur William Henderson	Te Ararua.
211	Charlotte Henderson	"
212	George Goldsmith	"
213	Horowai Jackson	"
214	William Israel Waitoa	"

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
222	Keapa Wharekura	Ani Kanara Pouri.
223	Mere Karaka Powhiro	Haapi Powhiro.
234	Hoani Taare	Hapi Haerewa.
225	Hoani Huriwai	Hapurona Huriwai.
226	Heni Houkamau	Hatiwira Houkamau, or Hati.
227	Pehikuru Rangiwaha	Hiria Rangiwaha.
228	Henare Tamati Pokiha	"
229	Tuhaka Tautuhi	Hohepa te Piri.
230	Henare Peti	Pohihea Taikahu, or Tiutiumaunga.
231	Henare McClutchie	Ripeka Paeawa McClutchie.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADOPTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Child.
232	Iharaira Pokiha	Hamiara Tamenuitera Totorewa.
233	"	Kataraina te Mahora Totorewa.
234	Maika Taihaki	Maika Tarete.
235	Iharaira Pekiha	Rangi Rerehau Totorewa.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
256	Matehaere Rapana	Hurakia 3	For payment to applicant by the Public Trustee of £78 15s., being money held in trust for Mangakahia Rapana, a minor.
257	Apirana Turupa Ngata	Marangairoa 1B 1 and 1B 4 (part)	To authorize applicant, as administrator in the estate of Maharata te Hui, deceased, to execute mortgages on the security of leases of the said lands, the property of the said estate.
258	Poihipi Kohere and Raiha Tipoki	Hahau	For an injunction order prohibiting Riwai Rarua and family from erecting fences on the said block.
259	Atareta Mauria	Matahiia	For amendment of shares allotted to Tieke Hone Wherehi by succession to Erana Kaunga.
260	Ani Kane Roki	Pakihikura 1	For identification of the name of Ani Kane.
261	Wiremu Kingi Hauraki	Matahiia	For identification of the name of Riria Turupa.
262	The Tairawhiti District Maori Land Board	Waipiro Native Township, Section 10, Block II	To set aside portion (about 1 rood) for a site for an Anglican Church.
263	Horiatia te Rure	Tauwharepara 1A 4	For payment of compensation by F. Williams for his private road on the said block.
264	Panikena Kaa, Raheha Rairi, and others	Marangairoa 1A, or Kautuku	To lay out a road on the said block.
265	Eru Kauri, Hamana Mahuika, and others	Totaranui 5B	To ascertain the ownership of sheep depasturing on the said land.
266	Hoani Rangi and others	Hahau and Arnhemokopuna 4	Ditto.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
267	Wiremu Peihana, Hakaraia Mauheni, and others	Hinetiraha	To ascertain the ownership of sheep depasturing on the said land.
268	Reweti Tuhourouta Kohere and Kerenapu Poata	Marangairoa 1c, or Pakihi	Ditto.
269	Huinga Tunua	Paekawa 1b	To cancel amendment of succession order made on 25th October, 1916, to Henare Potae, or Potahi, in the said block, as Henare Potahi is not the same as Henare Potae.
270	Pehikuru Awatere, Hori Kaiwai, and others	Ngawhakatutu, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	To cancel partition orders and repartition original block.
271	Whaaka Parakau and Mere Hopa	Wharekahika 1	To cancel the partition orders, and repartition the block.
272	J. Tangitupua Tipene	Wharekahika 18k 7 and 18k 8	To amend boundaries.
273	Anaru Ngamu, Poiwa Kakano, and others	Puhunga	Claiming, pursuant to section 12, Act 1915, No. 63, to have been omitted from the title.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 15th August, 1917.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 12th day of September, 1917, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Gisborne, 1917-12.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1431	Maraea Paku and others	Hurimoana A.
1432	Taare Whershi	Kaiti 313 2d 5.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
1433	T. A. Coleman	Apikara Tupara, or Groves.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 15th August, 1917.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board will be held at Shortland, Thames, on Monday, the 10th day of September, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

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

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	5047	Transfer	22 July, 1912	Wharekawa 5B South 3A	Hakiriwhi te Aho and others to Ernest A. Craig.
2	7292	"	5 November, 1914	Moehau 1k 1	Te Atarangi Hori Mangakahia to Malachi Deeble.
3	7781	"	22 July, 1912	Wharekawa 5B South 3c	Hakiriwhi te Aho and others to Ernest A. Craig.
4	7786	"	15 October, 1915	" 5B South 3E	Hiria Hoete and others to Thomas J. Craig.
5	7830	"	5 June, 1915	Hikutaiia 1b and 1b 1	Tamairwhua Rawiri to George Alley.
6	7832	Lease	6 November, 1915	Hikutaiia 1b and 1b 1 (part B)	Tamairwhua Rawiri and others to Ernest Deeble.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.					
7	7838	Transfer	6 September, 1915	Awaiti 1c ..	Mihireana Kimokimo to Hugh Murdoch Campbell.
8	7839	"	"	Waihou West 4B West ..	Rikirangi Tuinga and another to Herbert W. Cooke.
9	7964	"	21 May, 1913	Huruhi 5F ..	Haere Tametame and another to Alfred R. Alison.
10	8063	"	29 September, 1915	Te Raeotepapa North C 2B	Makaurau Ripikoi and another to Merea Wikiriwhi.
11	8067	"	29 August, 1915	" North C 1	Atereta te Hihī and another to Merea Wikiriwhi.
12	8083	"	22 December, 1915	Ngaure and Mangiao ..	Wahu Peeke and others to Alfred A. Preece.
13	8085	"	6 November, 1916	Piraurahi No. 6B ..	Wani Epiha and others to James Handley.
14	8108	"	16 October, 1915	Patutahatika A ..	Tamaiwhiua Rawiri and others to George Cribb.
15	8118	"	"	Piraurahi 6B ..	Ngawiki Potae to James Handley.
16	8227	"	31 December, 1915	Maramarahi 2A ..	Miriama Kipa to Ernest Deeble.
17	8232	"	31 January, 1916	Huruhi No. 5E ..	Te Pokaitara Tamihana and another to F. Kearsley.
18	8273	"	16 June, 1916	Waikaka C 2B 2B 2 ..	Haane te Waiata to Ernest H. Hubbard.
19	8349	"	19 January, 1916	Moehau 1K 3 ..	Wiremu Pita Taurua and others to W. B. Deeble.
20	8366	Lease	5 August, 1916	Aorangi A 4A ..	Rihi Mereana and others to Henry R. Bush.
21	8378	Transfer	3 May, 1916	Waikaka C 2B 2B 2 ..	Ngahiki Hariata and another to E. H. Hubbard.
22	8381	"	"	Awaiti 1B 2B 1B 2 ..	Raiha te Irikowhai and another to R. A. Wiggins.
23	8382	"	"	" 1B 2B 1A ..	Roka Huitoroa and another to R. A. Wiggins.
24	8510	"	21 July, 1916	Waikaka C 2B 2B 1 ..	Riri Peti Rangianewa to Robert Muir.
25	8528	"	20 April, 1916	Wairotoroto No. 1 ..	Meha te Moananui and others to Mary Michie McKenzie.
26	8571	"	"	Moehau 3D No. 2 ..	Hirawa te Moananui and others to Ernest Deeble.
27	8574	"	5 July, 1916	Aorangi A 4E ..	Makaurau Ripikoi to Merea Wikiriwhi.
28	8575	"	15 June, 1916	" A 4B ..	Hera Ripikoi to Merea Wikiriwhi.
29	8576	"	15 May, 1916	Moehau 1H B 1 ..	Tetekura Rapana and another to Ernest Deeble.
30	8577	"	12 " 1916	" 1H C ..	Hirawa te Moananui and others to Ernest Deeble.
31	8595	"	"	Kopuraruwai 3C 5B ..	Tee Nana Ngakai to Emelina Ada Cooke.
32	8603	Lease	26 September, 1916	Hikutaia 1G 5A and 5B ..	Mere Taipari Wiremu and Keke Wiremu to Albert Henry Alley.
33	8606	Transfer	23 May, 1916	Tawhiripukeko 2A ..	Hapatapu Matene and Nepia Maui to Pererangi Maui.
34	8607	"	26 August, 1916	Ahuroa 1c ..	Wiremu Anihana and another to Henry Lowe.
35	8612	"	13 June, 1916	Rurunui D ..	Tamaiwhiua Rawiri to Thomas William Newman.
36	8613	Gift and sale	24 August, 1916	Waikaka C 2c 2A ..	Hariata Parehiko and another to Ngahihi Hughes.
37	8615	Transfer	17 October, 1916	Lot 2A 1, Section 28, Block IX, Te Aroha	Reha Kau Hou and others to Marian Louisa Lapraik.
38	8616	"	17 " 1916	Te Aroha Block 9, Section 28, Lot 2c	Reha Kau Hou and others to Marian Eliza Lapraik.
39	8620	"	"	Waitakaruru 2A 2A 1 ..	Tutawhiao Ngakete and others to Joel Deeble.
40	8624	"	17 October, 1916	Puketutu 1B 4A ..	Patoa Haimona to E. G. Beeson.
41	8641	Mortgage	7 December, 1916	Waiwhau A ..	Moanaroa Parata to Enos Bond and another.
42	8679	Lease	26 June, 1916	Amooterangi 4c No. 2 ..	Mataitai te Aramoana and others to Ernest Deeble.
43	8726	Sale	20 December, 1916	Okauia 4E No. 1 ..	Reha Kau Hou to Te Korowhiti Tutaka.
44	8762	"	31 August, 1916	Waitakaruru 2A 2A 2 ..	Hatara Merina and another to Joel Deeble.
45	8774	"	6 November, 1916	Moanakapiti-Huhuraumati A 1	Hohipera te Kuti Rangaunu to Lewis E. Cassrels.
46	8846	Lease	18 December, 1916	Puamanuka No. 2A ..	Ahua Tipene and another to Eleonore Keys.
47	8854	Sale	18 September, 1916	Te Amooterangi 4c 1 ..	Rawiri te Ua to Ernest Deeble.
48	8864	"	28 February, 1917	Otehenga A ..	Te Hau Apahinitia te Moananui and others to C. Treanor.
49	8876	"	"	Waipipi 279 ..	Henare Kaihau to W. McEwan and H. O. Mellsop.
50	8877	"	"	" 272 ..	Ditto.
51	8878	"	"	" 270 ..	"

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—<i>continued.</i>					
52	8882	Transfer ..	21 February, 1917 ..	Te Aroha, Block IX, Section 29D 2	Tutuhi te Wharau to Marian Eliza Lapraik.
53	8887	.. ..	15 December, 1916..	Hapurukahu B ..	Te Manea te Moanaroa and others to George Cribb.
54	8889	.. ..	16 .. 1916..	Waihi North 2, Section 1A 2b 1	Kiritiana Tamehana and others to Mary Bond.
55	8893	.. ..	14 .. 1916..	Kaimaro ..	Hare Makinihi to Charles McLiver.
56	8903	.. ..	16 April, 1917 ..	Waihou West 4D, Section 1	Merea Wikiriwhi to Henry R. Bush.
57	8905	Lease ..	.. ..	Puketiti 5F and 5G 1 ..	Te Herewini Karena and others to Julia Ross.
NEW APPLICATIONS.					
58	8929	Transfer ..	19 February, 1917	Waihi North, Block 11, Section 1A 2A	Te Ahaiti to Mary Bond.
59	8938	.. ..	11 November, 1916	Waikaka C 2c 2B ..	Tame Puketapu and others to Ernest H. Hubbard.
60	9012	Grant of shingle	18 December, 1916	Papaaroa No. 2 ..	Herewini Oneroa and others to George Winstone.
61	9013	Transfer ..	30 May, 1917 ..	Wharenga A ..	Tetehura Paraku to Rangirumaki Pereniki.
62	9024	.. ..	8 June, 1917 ..	Piraurahi No. 4A ..	Merea Wikiriwhi to John A. Edean.
63	9026	.. ..	12 .. 1917 ..	Te Iwituroa A ..	Hone Ngatara and others to Henry R. Bush.
64	9031	.. ..	27 .. 1917 ..	Waiomu 2B 1c 1 ..	Te Atawhai te Teira to John McLean Cochrane.
65	9040	.. ..	30 .. 1917 ..	Akeake A (part) ..	Anaru Raharuhi to George Darling.
66	9088	.. ..	24 May, 1917 ..	Papaaroa No. 1c ..	Rehara Kapene to Samuel James.
67	9089	.. ..	29 .. 1917 ..	Waikaka C 2c 2A ..	Hawira Taupo to Ernest H. Hubbard.
68	9090	.. ..	31 .. 1917 ..	Te Ranga-o-te-Puruhi No. 2	Te Hira More and others to Robert H. Muir.
69	9091	.. ..	2 July, 1917 ..	Horahia Opou 3B 1A ..	Ira Watene to William McCouat
70	9092	Lease ..	27 January, 1917 ..	Purunui ..	Rihitoto Renata and others to Dennis Egan.
71	9093	.. ..	3 July, 1917 ..	Te Hore No. 3A and 3B 1	Wikitoria to Ngahue to Mary Ann Richards.
72	9097	Transfer ..	25 .. 1917 ..	Whakairorahi No. 1A ..	Hikori Rawiri and others to Joseph Collins.
73	9099	.. ..	21 June, 1917 ..	Ngatimatera, Reserve B 1	Mere Aina Iheihe and others to H. L. Franklin and another.
74	9100	.. ..	19 May, 1917 ..	Ngahutoittoi C ..	Riki Moke to Alfred W. Roe and others.
75	9108	.. ..	19 June, 1917 ..	Tarakewhati 2A 2c 1 ..	Eruera Anihana to James McCormick.
76	9109	.. ..	28 April, 1917 ..	Horete No. 2A ..	Papu Pepene and another to Samuel Kahn.
77	9110	.. ..	19 February, 1917	Waiputukahu-Tapu ..	Riki Tuhaiti to Daniel McClelland.
78	9114	.. ..	28 June, 1917 ..	Okere ..	Te Ngako Tamihana and others to William McCouat.
79	9116	Lease ..	6 August, 1917 ..	Waitakaruru 1B 2A ..	Tuwahakakoranga to Rauroha and others to M. Peters.
80	9122	Transfer ..	18 December, 1916	Titoki ..	Parewheurangiri te Naihi to William Peters.
81	9123	Gift ..	30 May, 1917 ..	Te Aputa 2A 5B. ..	Paraku Rapana to Hera Hopihona.
82	9124	Transfer ..	15 March, 1915 ..	Okewa No. 2 ..	Tutokatea Kune and others to George Cribb.
83	9125	.. ..	15 June, 1917 ..	Waikanae 4A 1 ..	Moananui Peko and others to Ernest Deeble.
84	9126	.. ..	4 July, 1917 ..	Maukoro, Reserve B 1c	Te Kirikiri Tamahere and others to James H. Lee and another.
85	9127	Mortgage ..	.. ..	Ngamahanga No. 2, Kopua 1B 2, and Kakepuku 6B	Tahuna Herangi to the Bank of New Zealand.
86	9128	Lease ..	26 May, 1917 ..	Harataunga West No. 1B	Roka Tamihere and others to Frederick Anderson.
87	9129	Transfer ..	17 .. 1917 ..	Moanakapiti-Huhuraumati D 2	Mokopuna Hirama to Henry R. Bush.
88	9130	.. ..	23 July, 1917 ..	Tukutetaiheke B 2 ..	Apainitia te Moananui and others to Henry R. Bush.
89	9131	.. ..	21 .. 1917 ..	Lot 44, Hastings Township	Te Atawhai te Teira and others to Henry R. Bush.
90	9132	.. ..	6 .. 1917 ..	Makumaku 5A 2D 1 ..	Tupukaheke Piniha and others to Blanch D. Bush.
91	9134	.. ..	25 .. 1917 ..	Rae-o-te-Papa North E 1	Emana Iheihe and others to Irene Maude Brenan.
92	9135	Lease ..	23 .. 1917 ..	.. .. E 3	Harai Haira and others to Irene Maude Brenan.
93	9136	Transfer ..	23 February, 1917	Moanakapiti-Huhuraumati D 1B	Witika Taupo to Henry R. Bush.
94	9137	.. ..	23 July, 1917 ..	Te Tawaatakuao No. 3D	Wharara Meneta and others to William M. Sorenson.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS—continued.					
95	9138	Transfer ..	20 July, 1917 ..	Te Tawaatkuao No. 3c	Tera te Teira and others to William M. Sorenson.
96	9142	Lease ..	8 June, 1917 ..	Whareraurekau C No. 3	Rangitaua Hokiperu and others to John C. Potts.
97	9143	Transfer ..	..	Papaaroa No. 1c ..	Hamiora Mangakahia to Charles A McColl.
98	9144	Lease ..	7 July, 1917 ..	Waitakaruru 2A, Section 3	Wiremu Hoete and others to Margaret Peters.
99	9145	Transfer ..	11 August, 1917 ..	.. 1A 2c ..	Titikawhena Owarere to William Peters.
99A	9148	..	..	Ohura South K 4 2B 2 ..	Wairua Heni Ngapera to L. Kelly.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
100	8097	Maungatautari 3c No. 2	.. Sale to Roka Hariata Hopere for the amount of the Government valuation.
101	8586	Tamahere, Lot 107B ..	.. 1. Sale to Teni Tuhakaraina for the amount of the Government valuation. 2. Lease to Tenei Tuhakaraina for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 5 per cent. on the Government valuation.
102	8621	Hikutaiia 1A 2	.. Sale to H. A. Grubb for the amount of the Government valuation.
103	8895	Whanake ..	.. Sale to George Price and James McCormick at Government valuation.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
104	9077	Maungatautari 4B 3B 1	.. Sale to Frank F. Hockley for the sum of £3 per acre.
105	9079	Kinochaku East 2 4B 2 ..	.. Sale to John Somerville for the sum of £4 per acre.
106	9101	Maraetai No. 3 ..	.. Lease of a portion of block to Victor Adolphus Collins for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 5 per cent. on the unimproved value during the first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. of the unimproved value at the end of the first term during the next twenty-one years.
107	9102	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 15	.. Sale to the Crown for the amount of the Government valuation.
108	9103	" 54D No. 3	.. "
109	9104	" No. 54E	.. "
110	9112	Wairahaki 1B No. 2 ..	.. Lease to John Fasher for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 7s. per acre during the first 21 years, and 5 per cent. of the unimproved value during the remaining twenty-one years.
111	9120	Ngarua 5A No. 1 ..	.. Lease to Cecil Aldridge for a term of ten years at an annual rental of 4s. per acre.
112	9121	Hapurukahu A	.. Sale to George Cribb for the sum of £9 per acre.
113	9133	Rae-o-te-Papa North F	.. Lease to Irene Maud Brenan for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 5s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. on the unimproved value during the next twenty-one years.
114	9139	Te Akau D 6B 3B ..	.. Lease to Margaret Burgess 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 next twenty-one years.

APPLICATIONS UNDER PART XVIII OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, FOR CONFIRMATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
115	7068	Aotea South 3c 2 ..	.. That the land be leased to Tauī Wetere for a term of twenty year at an annual rental of 6s. per acre.
116	7445	Kakepuku 5c 2 ..	.. That the land be sold to Thomas Kelly for the sum of £3 5s. per acre.
117	8409	Rangitoto-Tuhua 2D No. 1	.. That the land be leased to Charles Phillip Smith 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.
118	8480	" No. 2A	.. That the land be leased to George Ernest Edward Bateman for a term of forty-two years at the annual rental of 1s. 9d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 3s. 6d. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.
119	8556	" 80B No. 3	.. That the land be sold to Edith A. Howe for the sum of £1 15s. per acre.
120	8560	Kawhia E No. 2B ..	.. That the land be leased to Tema Pouwhare 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.
121	8630	Manuaitu 1B No. 1 ..	.. That the land be sold to James Henry Phillips for the sum of £2 per acre.

Meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 20th August, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board will be held at Kaikohe on Monday, the 10th day of September, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

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

C. P. NEWTON, Registrar.

[Tokerau, 1917-7.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	1626	Transfer ..	11 July, 1914 ..	Motukaraka West A 1 (part)	Waata Hohepa and others to Maxwell Beazley.
2	1742	Conveyance ..	22 October, 1914 ..	Waitata ..	Wata Paehoke and others to Samuel Radopkovich.
3	1824	Lease ..	.. ..	Whakanekeneke ..	Raunateri Patuone to M. J. Whitelaw.
4	1827	Transfer ..	.. ..	Waitata ..	Kaipara te Heihei and others to K. W. Wright and T. M. W. Laing.
5	2204	" ..	21 January, 1916 ..	Whirinaki 1B 4 ..	Pere Riiwhi and others to Alfred Andrews.
6	2385	" ..	17 June, 1916 ..	Mangapupu B 5 ..	Ngaronoa te W. Kingi Hori and others to L. F. King.
7	2423	" ..	14 July, 1916 ..	Kohatutaka 6A 7 ..	Matu Tane to Nina Fox.
8	2502	" ..	21 September, 1916 ..	Whakarapa 49 ..	Te Paea H. Maika and others to T. Peita.
9	2505	" ..	11 October, 1916 ..	Whirinaki 2c 2A 1 ..	Hana Karora and others to A. Andrewes.
10	2552	" ..	10 " 1916 ..	Whakakoro B 2c ..	Akinihi Paraihe and others to A. Geddes.
11	2561	Mortgage ..	16 August, 1916 ..	Rangaunu 12 ..	Harata Peti and another to E. C. Blomfield.
12	2691	Transfer ..	.. ..	Part Kaingapokeno 3B 1	Haare Roiho to M. Roiho.
13	2692	" ..	6 March, 1917 ..	Kaingapokeno 2E 1 ..	" ..
14	2693	" ..	5 " 1917 ..	" 2c 1 ..	Whero Keina to H. Renata.
15	2696	" ..	5 " 1917 ..	Takou East D 2 ..	Hone Rameka and others to H. E. Mountain.
16	2699	" ..	8 January, 1917 ..	Mangamuka West 3s 2B	Mai Hapeta to V. A. Abraham.
17	2701	" ..	3 March, 1917 ..	Part Mangamuka East F 4B	Te Matangi to D. Cameron.
18	2702	" ..	5 January, 1917 ..	Part Mangamuka West 3U	Auraki Rata to V. A. Abraham.
19	2704	" ..	22 February, 1917 ..	Mangamuka East 2A ..	Mai Hapeta and another to V. A. Abraham.
20	2720	" ..	3 March, 1917 ..	Oromahoe Q. . .	Iti Ngapuhi and others to A. E. Bedggood.
21	2735	Lease ..	26 April, 1917 ..	Whakaaho No. 2 ..	Hone Takerei Tawhai to A. Andrewes.
22	2737	Transfer ..	21 " 1917 ..	Part Waima North A 11	Haora Makiri and others to J. Maxwell.
23	2738	" ..	26 March, 1917 ..	Mangamuka East E No. 1B	Maraea Hone to V. A. Abraham.
24	2739	" ..	27 January, 1917 ..	Whataipu Burial-ground No. 3	Rihari Mete to W. B. Trigg.
25	2740	" ..	30 November, 1916	Part Kohewhata 70 ..	Nareta Kere and another to F. W. Johnston.
26	2741	" ..	1 February, 1917 ..	Whakakoro F 5c 1 ..	Andrew Ngawaka and another to A. Geddes.
27	2742	Transfer of lease	5 May, 1917 ..	Motukiore O. . .	Witana Pairama to H. Makiri.
28	2743	" ..	5 " 1917 ..	" O. . .	Hariata Makiri and another to H. Young.
29	2744	Transfer ..	7 " 1917 ..	Part Herepoho A ..	Wiremu Hapimana to A. Faithful.
30	2747	" ..	18 April, 1917 ..	Epurua B ..	Te Waru Ngapua to W. Clark.
31	2748	" ..	15 March, 1917 ..	Whakanekeneke C ..	Neha Toki to M. J. Whitelaw.
32	2749	" ..	8 May, 1917 ..	Rangaunu 18 ..	Hare Arena Napia and others to J. A. Cook.
33	2756	" ..	2 March, 1917 ..	Omaunu 1B 2A ..	Materoa Tuaru and others to W. E. Murray and H. R. Whitehead.
34	2757	" ..	2 " 1917 ..	" 1B 4 ..	Hare Mita and others to W. E. Murray and H. R. Whitehead.
35	2758	" ..	21 December, 1916 ..	Waikukupa 1H ..	Hetaraka Taniora to M. Connolly.
NEW APPLICATIONS.					
36	2787	Transfer ..	14 April, 1917 ..	Tapapanui A 10B ..	Hiranga Pene to H. E. Mountain.
37	2789	" ..	5 June, 1917 ..	Mangatete (north-western portion of Allotment 42)	Peti Kumeroa to W. H. Richards.
38	2790	" ..	19 March, 1917 ..	Pakinga B 2A ..	Takawai Kautewi to Peri Paraihe.
39	2792	" ..	26 " 1917 ..	Hauturu 302N ..	Riripeti Henare Piripi to F. Holder.
40	2793	Lease ..	14 May, 1917 ..	Motatau 1c 4B ..	Rehu Hohepa to Wiremu Ngawati.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>					
41	2794	Transfer	17 May, 1917	Okahu 4E	Rameka Mawene Kiriwi to H. H. Ostler.
42	2796	"	7 " 1917	Motukaraka West A 5B	Hohaia Hare Maika and another to S. Young.
43	2798	"	2 June, 1917	Taraire Is No. 2	Komene Manihera and another to A. E. Cartier.
44	2800	"	23 May, 1917	Tapapanui C	Erana Irimana to H. H. Mountain.
45	2804	Lease	7 June, 1917	Kohewhata 22B	Herepete Pure to J. J. Bedggood.
46	2805	Transfer	31 May, 1917	Taraire 1B 2A	Here Wi Tute to F. G. Dickeson.
47	2808	"	29 March, 1917	Rotokakahi A 3, B 1, and ten other blocks	Hone Harihana to Guardian Trust and Executors (Limited).
48	2820	"	22 June, 1917	Mangamuka East 2B	Te Waitai Henare and another to V. A. Abraham.
49	2822	"	"	Konoti A 5 North	Hare Popata and another to Alfred Snelgar.
50	2823	"	22 June, 1917	Pahuhu 1B 1	Hare Wire to Meretiana Roiho.
51	2824	"	3 May, 1917	Rawhitiroa 2	Karaihe Mare and others to G. M. Lisle.
52	2828	"	2 July, 1917	Te Touwai C 1A	Hari Pikari to A. R. Phillips.
53	2831	"	21 April, 1917	Wairere 2C	Tokowha Rapana to W. H. Whitehead.
54	2833	"	22 June, 1917	Part Opanake 1D	Raniera Taoho and another to M. G. Baker.
55	2835	"	8 March, 1917	Awaroa 2A 2C	Pere Paraihe and others to I. R. Reid.
56	2836	"	"	Matauri 2H	Hera Hori and others to T. A. Hows.
57	2837	"	15 February, 1917	Waima North A 11 (part)	Tokowha Rapana and another to W. H. Whitehead.
58	2838	"	3 May, 1917	Whakakoro B 2B	Kahi Tipene and others to G. M. Lisle.
59	2839	"	12 June, 1917	" B 2C	Ani Amuketi to G. M. Lisle.
60	2843	"	"	Orongotea B 1	Raiha Henare Matini to Kahi Tipene.
61	2844	Lease	10 March, 1917; 3 March, 1917; and 16 June, 1917	Peria 3 (part)	Atama te Haara and others to T. J. Hayden.
62	2845	Transfer	10 May, 1917	Motuti B 1 (part)	Tatiana Tukurawa to C. H. H. Irvine.
63	2846	"	10 July, 1917; 13 July, 1917; and 21 July, 1917	Waihapa 3B 2A 2	Huia Miriama and others to J. Foley, sen., J. Foley, jun., Edmund Foley, and Ernest Foley.
64	2850	Lease	19 May, 1917	Whakanekeneke 4B	Rehua Tane and others to J. M. Lewis.
65	2851	Transfer	26 April, 1917	Waihou A 5C 3	Roma Pai to Te Hoe Hohepa.
66	2852	"	15 June, 1917	Kaiwhakarau	Wi Peri Wharewaka to A. P. Blundell.
67	2853	"	10 May, 1917	Wairere 2F 6A	Harata Rapana to J. N. Anderson.
68	2854	"	24 " 1917	Mangamuka East D 2	Maraea Hona to V. A. Abraham.
69	2855	"	21 April, 1917	Waima North A 11	Hapeta Makiri and others to J. Maxwell.
70	2856	Lease	17 May, 1917	Horeke A	Paerama Karaka to W. Queenin.
71	2857	Transfer	23 March, 1917, and 11 April, 1917	Whakakoro B 2C	Kiri Pene and another to A. Geddes.
72	2858	"	19 May, 1917	Mataraua C 5A	Harata Maera Kuao and others to Tuwhai Mita Mitai.
73	2859	"	7 June, 1917	Waihapa 2B 4	Herepete Pure to Hemi Riwhi.
74	2860	Lease	4 August, 1917	Wairere 2F, Section 4A	Hore Toe and others. to H. Blundell.
75	2861	Transfer	8 " 1917	Ounuwhao 1B 1A	Te Kani Hau and another to Ngapeka te Hau.
76	2862	"	15 " 1917	Horahora 1A 2	Ripeka Paraone to Eliza Ann Williams.
77	2863	"	11 " 1917	Pukekahikatoa 1B 1	Hone Mare to Kino Hone and Walter Job.
78	2865	"	13 " 1917	Maungaturoto H 2E	Ani Wehi and others to Maunsell Edmonds.
79	2867	"	15 " 1917	Pohoatua No. 2A	Waipoua Wereta Pou to Sidney L. Spanhake.
80	2868	Lease	17 " 1917	Wairere 2F 4A	Ema Hapeta and others to Harry Blundell.
81	2869	"	17 " 1917	" 2F 4B	Haora Makiri and another to William Henry Coxhead Sharland.
82	2870	Transfer	21 June, 1917	Maungakawakawa 13G 2	Pene Tikinui and others to William A. Limbrick.
83	2871	"	18 August, 1917	" 13L	Arapeta Hami Pia to Thomas Rainey.
84	2872	"	21 June, 1917	" 13M	Pene Tikinui and others to William A. Limbrick.
85	2873	"	21 " 1917	Punakitere 2B 7L	Ditto.
86	2875	"	25 May, 1917	Whirinaki 5G No. 1	Wiremu Rawiri to Axel Weydell.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
87	71	Waingarara ..	.. Sale to George Davis and Florence Davis.
88	2566	Waima South B ..	.. Lease to C. L. Dobson, of Kaikohe, stock agent, for a term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further twenty-one years. Rental: 1s. 6d. per acre for first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. of unimproved Government valuation for remainder of term.
89	2694	Kaingapokeno 4d ..	.. That the said land be sold to Meretiana Roiho for the sum of £25 or present Government valuation, whichever is the greater.
90	2725	Paerata No. 2 ..	.. That the said land be sold to Wilfred Francois Ward at Government valuation.
91	2726	" No. 1 ..	.. That the block be revested in the Native owners.
92	2732	Waima North A No. 25B ..	.. That the said land be revested in the Native owners.
93	2734	Utakura 2d No. 11 ..	..
94	2745	Waihou Lower C No. 2..	.. That the land be leased to Rameka Moruuga for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of 1s. 3d. per acre.
NEW APPLICATION.			
95	2864	Ngawhitu A No. 2 ..	.. That the Ngawhitu A No. 2 Block be sold to H. R. Ludbrook or for the price or sum of £3 per acre.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 96 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1913.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.
NEW APPLICATION.			
96	2866	Ninihi No. 1..	.. Mihi Komene and others.

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION 2 OF SECTION 16 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1914.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.
NEW APPLICATION.				
97	2884	Sale, lease, or mortgage	Motatau 2, Section 59B ..	Nau Paraone.

APPLICATIONS UNDER PART XVIII OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, FOR CONFIRMATION OF RESOLUTIONS.

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
98	2677	Ruapekapeka 7c ..	.. That the balance of the said block be sold to John Thomas Pringle at £3 per acre.
99	2434	Otaika 4c West ..	.. That the said land be revested in the Native owners.
100	2462	Kakaramea ..	..
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
101	1971	Puha A No. 2 ..	.. That the said land be leased to John Moka Harris for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of 2s. per acre for the first twenty-one years, and 4s. per acre for the balance of the term, with option to purchase at unimproved Government valuation.
102	2665	Mangamuka East H No. 3 ..	.. That the said land be sold to Mate Knezovich and Mick Vugcich, of Mangamuka, settlers, at the price or sum of £1 per acre or at Government valuation, whichever be the greater.
103	2719	Waimamaku B-2c No. 8 ..	.. That the said land be leased to Thomas Mitchell, of Waiotemarama, farmer, for a term of twenty years at an annual rental of £6 10s.
104	2733	Wairere 2F Section 5B ..	.. That the said land be sold to E. Warmington, of Ivydale, farmer, for the sum of £2 per acre.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Iwituaroa D No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Eliza Bush for the amount of the Government valuation.”

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
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 Lot 213B, Parish of Whangamarino, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the land be sold to Geoffrey Hilton Beale for the sum of £153.”

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
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 Oruarangi will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to George Price and James McCormick for the amount of the Government valuation."

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
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 Ohinemuri No. 18 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 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 £150."

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
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 Waipatukahu No. 1B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 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 £30 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE COTTRELL, of Khyber Pass Road, Auckland, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Saturday, the 1st day of September, 1917, at 10 o'clock a.m.

21st August, 1917.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JACK PAVLOVICH, of Orini, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of August, 1917, at 11 o'clock a.m.

14th August, 1917.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LESLIE SPRAYDON TATNELL, of Mahakipawa, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Havelock, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of August, 1917, at 11 o'clock a.m.

14th August, 1917.

R. WANDEN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD STEWART HARRIS, of Timaru, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Arcade, Timaru, on Friday, the 24th day of August, 1917, at 11 o'clock a.m.

13th August, 1917.

F. A. RAYMOND,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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 Waihou Block IV, Section 4, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to William McDuff for the sum of £4 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharekawa 1D No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to J. E. Douglas for the amount of the Government valuation."

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
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 Waihi North Block II, Section 1A 2B 2, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Thames on Thursday, the 12th day of September, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Mary Bond 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 15th day of August, 1917.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FINLAY McIVOR, of Browns, formerly Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 21st day of August, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

9th August, 1917.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HAROLD CATTON, of Invercargill, Electrical Engineer (trading as "H. Catton and Co."), was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 23rd day of August, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

13th August, 1917.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 24th September, 1917.

6161. CAMPBELL JOHNSTONE.—Allotment 169, Parish of Karamu, containing 20 acres 0 roods 30 perches. Occupied by Applicant. Plan 11195.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 25th day of September, 1917.

ALEXANDER SHUTTLEWORTH. — Section 2078, Town of New Plymouth. Occupied by Loftus I. Rea. No. 1365.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
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 24th day of September, 1917.

Application 4798 (deposited plans 3747, 3748, and 3749). RICHARD JOHN BARTON, EDWARD FURNESS BARTON, and WILFRID TONE BARTON.—12,990 acres 3 roods 37 perches, Sections 430, 439, 440, 443, 444, 449 to 459 (inclusive), 465, 466, 467, 708, 709, 714, 721, 722, and parts Sections 418, 419, 420, 429, 431 to 435 (inclusive), 441, 442, 445, 446, 460 to 464 (inclusive), 468, 469, 707, 710, 715, 720, 723, 796, Whareama District. Occupied by Applicants.

Application 4811 (deposited plan 3784). EMMA JANE STACEY.—3 roods 25·7 perches, part Section 16, Watts Peninsula (Township of Seatoun). Occupied by Applicant and tenants.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of Memorandum of Lease No. 6062, in favour of AUSTIN JOSEPH HOBAN, of Oteramika Road, Invercargill, Farmer, for Section 78, Block II, of the Invercargill Hundred, contained in certificate of title, Vol. 97, fol. 195, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional lease, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue a provisional lease accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, this 13th day of August, 1917.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 262.

NOTICE OF AFFIDAVIT BEING LODGED.

I, ARTHUR VICKERS STURTEVANT, Assistant Registrar of Companies for the District of Taranaki, do hereby give notice that an affidavit, a copy of which is hereunder given, by William George White and George Syme, two of the shareholders of the Hawera Town Hall Company (Limited), has been lodged with me; and that, unless notice of objection be lodged with me within sixty days of this date, I shall proceed to declare the said company to be dissolved in the manner provided by the Companies Act, 1908.

Signed this 20th day of August, 1917.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

COPY OF AFFIDAVIT ON APPLICATION FOR DISSOLUTION OF COMPANY.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the HAWERA TOWN HALL COMPANY (LIMITED).

We, William George White, of Hawera, Settler, and George Syme, of Hawera, Timber-merchant, two of the shareholders of the Hawera Town Hall Company (Limited), incorporated under the Companies Act, 1903, do hereby make oath and say—

1. That the nominal capital of the company is £600, in 600 shares of £1 each.
2. That the shares issued to the number of 325 have been fully paid up.
3. That the company has no assets, and has ceased to carry on business.

And we do hereby apply for declaration of dissolution of such company.

W. G. WHITE.
GEO. SYME.

Severally sworn at Hawera by the said William George White and George Syme this 6th day of August, 1917, before me—Bernard McCarthy, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

WAITOMO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE FOR A LOAN OF £9,150.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of nine thousand one hundred and fifty pounds (£9,150), authorized to be raised by the Waitomo County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of widening, culverting, and metalling the Kopaki Road from the Railway-station to Aratoro, and portions of the Pukerimu Road, North Mapara Road, South Mapara and Kurukuru Road from their junction with the Kopaki Road, the said Waitomo County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny three farthings in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Kopaki Special-rating Area, such special-rating area being bounded as follows,—

Commencing at a point on the northern boundary of Rangitoto-Tuhua 68G on the western side of the railway-line near Kopaki Railway-station; thence along the northern boundary of the said section in a westerly direction, the northern boundaries of Sections 4 and 1, Block IV, Mapara Survey District, to the Aramatai Road; thence along the said road in an easterly direction to a point in a direct line with the eastern boundary of Section 5, Block I, Mapara Survey District, to include 1,000 acres of Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 68E; thence along the eastern boundary of Section 5, Block I, Mapara Survey District, in a southerly direction to the Mangapeehi Road at the north-east corner of Section 8, Block III, Mapara Survey District; thence along the northern and western boundary of the said section to the western boundary of Rangitoto-Tuhua 72B 3D; thence following the western boundaries of sections in a southerly direction to the north-west corner of Section 1, Block XI, Mapara Survey District, so as to include Rangitoto-Tuhua 72B 3D, Rangitoto-Tuhua 72B 3B, Rangitoto-Tuhua 72B 2, Rangitoto-Tuhua 72B 1A, Section 1, Block VIII, Totoro Survey District, Section 10, Block V, Totoro Survey District, Rangitoto-Tuhua 72B 1B Section 1, 72B Section 2, 72B 1B Section 3, Rangitoto-Tuhua 61N; thence along the northern boundary of Section 1, Block XI, Mapara Survey District, in an easterly direction to the north-west corner of Section 28, Block XI, Mapara Survey District; thence along the western and southern boundary of the said section to the southern boundaries of Section 14, the western and southern boundary of Section 23 of Block XI, Mapara Survey District, to the Mapiu Road; thence in an easterly direction along the southern boundary of Sections 18 and 36, the western and southern boundaries of Section 13, the southern boundary of Section 14, part of the western and southern boundary of Section 35, all of Block XII, Mapara Survey District, to the Mapara Road; thence in a southerly direction along the western boundary of Section 1, Block XIII, Mapara Survey District, the southern and north-eastern boundary of the said section to the north-west corner of Section 2, Block XIII, Mapara Survey District; thence along the northern boundary of the said section in an easterly direction to the north-east corner of Section 2, Block XIII, Mapara Survey District; thence an imaginary line from the north-east corner of Section 2, Block XIII, Mapara Survey District, to the south-west corner of Rangitoto-Tuhua 68I Section 2B No. 3, cutting the following sections in half—Rangitoto-Tuhua 68I Section 2A No. 2, 68I 2B No. 6, 68I 2B No. 5, and 68I 2B No. 4; thence along the northern and western boundary of Rangitoto-Tuhua 68I 2B No. 3, part of the western and northern boundary of Rangitoto-Tuhua 68F to the railway-line; thence along the railway-line in a northerly direction to the starting-point.

And that such rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of October 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.

A. SCHOLLES, Chairman.
P. MORA, Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of and a correct extract from the minutes of a meeting of the Waitomo County Council held on Monday, 16th day of July, 1917.

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P. MORA, County Clerk.

WAITOMO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE FOR A LOAN OF £1,300.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Waitomo County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of one

thousand three hundred pounds (£1,300), authorized to be raised by the Waitomo County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of reforming, culverting, and metalling the Te Kuiti - Awakino Road, commencing at Piopio and continuing on to the Mangaotaki Bridge on the Te Kuiti - Awakino Road, such said sum of one thousand three hundred pounds (£1,300) to be allocated as follows,—

(a.) Reforming, culverting, and metalling the portion of road mentioned: £1,000

(b.) Share remetalling the same, say, for five years: £300 the said Waitomo County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five-eighths of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Paemako Special-rating Area, such special-rating area being bounded as follows—

Commencing at the junction of the Wairere and Te Kuiti - Awakino Road at Piopio; thence following the Wairere Road to the northern boundary of Karu-o-te-whenua No. 5c No. 2; thence along the northern boundary of the said section in a westerly direction to a point near the Te Kuiti - Awakino Road in a direct line with a point on the southern boundary of the same section so as to include portion of the block amounting to 725 acres; thence from the point on the southern boundary of the said section in a westerly direction along its southern boundary, the southern boundary of Section 1, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, to the north-east corner of Karu-o-te-whenua B No. 5c No. 4a; thence along the eastern boundary of the said section in a southerly direction to a point parallel with a point on the western boundary of the said section so as to draw an imaginary line cutting the section in half; thence from the point on the western boundary of the said section in a northerly direction along its western boundary, the southern, western, and northern boundary of Karu-o-te-whenua No. 7a, and part of the western boundary of Section 2, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, to the south-east corner of Section 3, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence in an imaginary continuous boundary from the south-east corner of Section 3, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, to a point on the southern boundary of Section 19, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, so as to include half Section 3, Section 3a, and Section 19, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence from the point on the southern boundary of Section 19, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, to a point on the southern boundary of Karu-o-te-whenua B No. 2 No. 7 so as to include 734 acres of this block; thence from the point on the southern boundary of Karu-o-te-whenua B No. 2 No. 7 to a point on the southern boundary of Karu-o-te-whenua B No. 2 No. 5b near the Mokau River, so as to include 853 acres 3 roods 19 perches of Karu-o-te-whenua B No. 2 No. 5b; thence along the Mokau River in a westerly direction to its junction with the Mangaotaki River, in a northerly direction to a point parallel with the south-west corner of Kinohaku East 4h 3, drawing an imaginary line so as to include 1,050 acres of Puketiti No. 5 part; thence along the southern and eastern boundary of Kinohaku East 4h 3, the eastern boundary of Kinohaku East 4h 4, to the north-west corner of Kinohaku East No. 4c; thence along the northern boundary of the said section to a point parallel with a point on its southern boundary, drawing an imaginary line cutting that section in half; thence from the point on the southern boundary of Kinohaku East No. 4c in an easterly direction along the southern boundary of the said section to Hunt's Road; thence along Hunt's Road in a southerly direction to the north-east corner of Section 9, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence along the northern boundary of the said section to a point parallel with a point on the southern boundary of Section 8, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, drawing an imaginary line to include half of Section 8 and 9, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence from the point at the southern boundary of Section 8 in an easterly direction following its southern boundary along the Te Kuiti - Awakino Road to the south-west corner of Section 10, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence in an imaginary line in a northerly direction to a point on the northern boundary of Section 13, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District, so as to include half of Section 10, Section 11, Section 12, and Section 13 of Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence from the point on the northern boundary of the said Section 13 in an easterly direction along its northern boundary to the north-east corner of Section 13, Block XVI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence in an imaginary line from this point to a point on the Mairoa Road at the western boundary of Kaingapipi No. 2 so as to include Kinohaku East 4b Section 3 part, 175 acres, 4b Section 3a, 3 acres 1 rood, Lots 3 and 4 Kinohaku East 4b No. 3, 11 acres 1 rood 19 perches, Lot 2 part Kinohaku East 4b Section 3 part, 38 acres, half of Section Kinohaku East 3b 3, and half Kinohaku East 5b part; thence from the point on the Mairoa Road in a southerly direction following the road to the starting-point.

And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of October in each year 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.

A. SCHOLES, Chairman.
P. MORA, Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of and a correct extract from the minutes of a meeting of the Waitomo County Council held on Monday, 16th day of July, 1917.

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P. MORA, Clerk.

CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER FIXING SPECIAL RATE AND DELEGATING THE MAKING, LEVYING, AND COLLECTION OF THE SAME.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in this behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and amendments, the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1906, and the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1912, and in exercise of all other powers it hereunto enabling, the Christchurch Tramway Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") doth by special order hereby resolve as follows, that is to say:—

That, for the purpose of providing for payment of interest, sinking fund, and charges in respect of the loan of fifteen thousand pounds (£15,000) raised by the Board in connection with the tramway undertaking installed for the benefit of the St. Martins Special-rating Area, and for providing for the repayment to the Board of the sum of six hundred and thirty pounds twelve shillings and eleven pence (£630 12s. 11d.), being the amount of deficiency under section 2, subsection (1), of the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1912, for the year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, in respect of the said tramway undertaking installed for the benefit of the St. Martins Special-rating Area, the said Christchurch Tramway Board doth hereby fix a special rate of 0-599d. in the pound (being a special rate of 0-577d. in the pound in respect of the said interest and sinking fund, and a special rate of 0-022d. in the pound in respect of the balance of the said deficiency, including charges) upon the rateable value of all rateable property (according to the capital rateable value thereof) of and in the St. Martins Tramway Special-rating Area as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at pages 724 and 725. And that such special rate of 0-599d. in the pound be payable on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. And, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers aforesaid, the said Christchurch Tramway Board doth hereby further resolve that the Christchurch City Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, for and on behalf of the Board, to make, levy, and collect the said special rate of 0-599d. in the pound as aforesaid in respect of the said rateable property in that part of the said St. Martins Tramway Special-rating Area as lies within the jurisdiction of the said Christchurch City Council; and that the Heathcote County Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, on behalf of the Board, to make, levy, and collect the said special rate of 0-599d. in the pound as aforesaid in respect of the said rateable property in that part of the said St. Martins Tramway Special-rating Area as lies within the jurisdiction of the said Heathcote County Council.

The above special order was made at a special meeting of the Board called for that purpose on the 16th day of July, 1917, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting held this 13th day of August, 1917.

FRANK THOMPSON,

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General Manager, Christchurch Tramway Board.

HOBSON COUNTY.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hobson 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 one thousand pounds (£1,000), authorized to be raised by the Hobson County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of reforming roads and erection of bridges in the Omana Special-rating District, the said Hobson County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven-sixteenths (7/16ths) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of this Omana Special-rating District, comprising Sections 9 to 40, both inclusive, 11a, 23a, 47a, pt. 41, pt. 47, and Sections 48 to 61, both inclusive, of the Omana Subdivision of Whangomakopuna and Walton's Grant No. 1, 1a, 2, 3, of the Maungaru Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such

loan, and be payable on the first day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Hobson County Council held on the 19th day of July, 1917.

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J. HOGG, County Clerk.

RIVERTON PICTURES COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT the annual general meeting of the members of the above-named company duly convened and held at More's Hall, Riverton, on Monday, 16th July, 1917, the following special resolution was duly passed, and at a second extraordinary general meeting duly convened and held at the same place on the 2nd day of August, 1917, was duly confirmed as a special resolution, viz. :—

"That the company accept Mr. Akhurst's offer of £410 for company's business as a going concern as from 1st June last, and that the company be wound up voluntarily."

At the first-mentioned meeting the following resolution was duly passed :—

"That LEONARD WRIGHT PETCHELL, of Riverton, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator."

Dated this 13th day of August, 1917.

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E. B. PATRICK, Chairman.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the GISBORNE CO-OPERATIVE MEAT SUPPLY COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of members held at the registered office of the above company, 73 Gladstone Road, Gisborne, on the 20th day of July, 1917, the following special resolution was duly passed, viz. :—

That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908; and that the Secretary of the company be hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Further notice is hereby given that at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of members held at the same place on the 6th day of August, 1917, the above resolution was duly confirmed.

Dated this 8th day of August, 1917.

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REG. C. PIESSE, A.P.A. (N.Z.), Liquidator.

HAWKE'S BAY COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION (INTENDED TO TAKE EFFECT AS A SPECIAL ORDER) APPOINTING NEW MANAGERS OF THE NGATARAWA WATER-RACE).

In the matter of the Water-supply Act, 1908, and the Water-supply Amendment Act, 1913; and in the matter of the Ngatarawa Water-race.

THAT this Council hereby revokes the appointment of the present Managers of the Ngatarawa Water-race—to wit, Thomas Talbot, Sween McPhee, Edward James Watt, Robert Sowersby, John Jollie, and Wilfred Gatony Stead; and, in pursuance of a requisition signed by a majority of the ratepayers supplied by the said water-race, hereby appoints the following persons—Hugh Campbell, of Havelock North; Henry Gascoyne, of Maraekakaho; Antonio Mark Georgetti, of Hastings; Henry Jerome Howard Glazebrook, of Clive; William Graham, of Hastings; Archibald McLean, of Greenhills; and Harry McLeod, of Hastings—to be managing ratepayers for the said water-race, to have and exercise all and singular the powers of management thereof possessed by this Council.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Hawke's Bay was hereunto affixed this 13th day of August, 1917, in the presence of—

THOMAS CROSSE, Chairman.

A. H. FERGUSON, Clerk.

The foregoing resolution appointing new Managers of the Ngatarawa Water-race was duly passed by the Hawke's Bay County Council at a special meeting thereof duly called and holden in the county offices in Browning Street, Napier, on Monday, the 9th day of July last, at a quarter past twelve noon; and was duly confirmed as a special order at a special meeting of the said Council notified in accordance with the provisions of section 97 of the Counties Act, 1908, and holden this day at a quarter past twelve noon in the county offices aforesaid.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1917.

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A. H. FERGUSON, County Clerk.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, trading as Livery-stable Proprietors at Cambridge, under the style of "Crowther and Bell," is dissolved by mutual consent from the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

Dated at Cambridge this seventeenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

HAROLD JOSEPH CROWTHER.

Witness to the signature of Harold Joseph Crowther—W. J. Crowther, Secretary, Auckland.

HENRY ALAN BELL.

Witness to the signature of Henry Alan Bell—James Hally, Solicitor, Cambridge. 512

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