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Crown Land set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Auckland 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 area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is 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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 18, Block VI, Waaku Survey District: Area, 117 acres 3 roods 4 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor-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 September, 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

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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.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Pouwhakarua Block.

SECTIONS 13, 14, and 17, Block IX, and Sections 9, 10, and 11, Block XIII, Hautapu Survey District: Area, 770 acres 1 rood 10 perches.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 5/103, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Bennett's Junction taken for the Purposes of the Hurunui-Waitaki Railway (Rangiora-Oxford Branch), and Road-diversion in connection therewith.

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

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Hurunui-Waitaki Railway (Rangiora-Oxford Branch) to take further land at Bennett's Junction, in addition to land previously acquired

for the purposes of the said railway, and to take land for road-diversion in connection therewith:

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

SCHEDULE.
FOR RAILWAY.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land: 2 roods 22·3 perches.
Portion of R.S. 4643, Block VI.

FOR ROAD-DIVERSION.

Approximate area of the piece of land: 1 acre 3 roods 25·8 perches.
Portion of R.S. 4643, Blocks V and VI.

Situated in Mairaki Survey District, Oxford County. (S.O. 240v, red.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 24899, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow and 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 twenty-sixth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

PUTERE A 2 Block: Approximate area, 664 acres 2 roods 36 perches; Mangahopae 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 second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

RANGITOTO-TUHUA No. 38c No. 5 Block: Approximate area, 461 acres; Ongarue and Hurakia Survey Districts.

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 second day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land in Makotuku Survey District taken for the Purposes of the Raetihi Branch of the North Island Main Trunk Railway.

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

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, or enjoyment of the Raetihi Branch of the North Island Main Trunk Railway to take further land in Makotuku Survey District, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken: 1 acre 0 roods 17·1 perches and 21·65 perches.
Portion of Section 24, Borough of Ohakune, situated in Block VIII, Makotuku Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42966, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, 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 twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks IX and XIII, Maungataniwha Survey District, Hokianga 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 Hokianga County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Maungataniwha Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	0	31	Mangamuka West 3d, Block IX; coloured red.
0	0	20	Mangamuka West 3d, Blocks IX and XIII; coloured red.
0	1	2	Mangamuka West 3d, Block XIII; coloured red.
0	0	14	Mangamuka West 3c, Block IX; coloured yellow.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	19.5	Mangamuka West 3d, Block IX.
0	0	1.7	" " XIII.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Maungataniwha Survey District. (S.O. 19434.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42242, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks XXIV and XXV, Waiholo District, Bruce 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 Bruce County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Waiholo District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	20	portion of Section 3, Block XXIV.
0	3	35	" Crown land "
1	1	15	" Section 4 "
1	1	12	" " 5 "
1	1	15	" " 6 "
1	1	19	" " 1, Block XXV.
0	0	37	" " 2 "

Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	0	0	Section 6, Block XXIV.
1	1	19	" 1 " XXV.
0	0	34	" 2 " XXV.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Waiholo District.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39208, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block X, Motueka Survey District, Waimea 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 owner and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Waimea County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Motueka Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2 acres 2 roods 17 perches.

Portion of Section 1 of 53, Square 3, Block X.
Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 2 acres 0 roods 10 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 1 of 53, Square 3, Block X, and Sections 24 and 25, Block XI.
Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Motueka Survey District.
 All in the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42973, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
 Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Road-line proclaimed as a Road in Block VIII, Russell Survey District, Bay of Islands County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section two hundred and forty of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the road-line described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the road-line proclaimed as a road: 13 acres 1 rood 34 perches.
 Adjoining or passing through portion of Tutaeatai B Block, situated in Block VIII, Russell Survey District. (S.O. 16141.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42974, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured 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 twenty-ninth day of September, 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 II and III, Otama 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 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	4.4	Crown land, Block II.
0	0	1.2	" "
0	1	32	" "
3	0	21	" "
7	0	0.3	" "
0	3	26.9	" "
5	2	17.1	" "
3	0	23.8	" "
2	1	17.3	" "
0	0	8.6	" "
0	0	28.8	" "
0	0	3.1	" "
0	1	32	" "
0	0	8.1	" "
0	0	0.7	" "
0	2	16.5	" "
0	0	0.3	" "
0	0	8.1	" "
0	2	16.5	" "
0	0	14.4	" "
0	2	3.5	" "
0	0	5.9	" "
0	0	21.6	Blocks II and III.
0	0	3.6	Block III.
0	0	9.3	" "
0	0	11.5	" "
0	0	14.4	" "
0	1	10.4	" "
0	0	2.3	" "
0	0	6.2	" "
0	0	23	" "
0	0	8.6	" "
0	1	16	" "
0	0	37.4	" "
0	2	7.8	" "
1	3	31	" "
0	0	0.2	" "
1	1	27.5	" "

Situated in Otama Survey District. (S.O. 19702.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42873, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 twenty-fifth day of September, 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 VII, Wakaia 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.	
0	3	13	adjoining or passing through Section 11.
0	3	34	"
0	3	21	"
0	3	0	"
1	2	13	"
2	1	16	"

Situated in Block VII, Wakaia District.

In the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42874, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block II, Mapara Survey District.

[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 Block II, Mapara Survey District:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-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 thirteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
1	2	0	} Portion of Rangitoto-Tuhua 68c, Block II, Mapara Survey District.
0	0	33.2	

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42357, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured purple.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Governor-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 twenty-ninth day of September, 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, V, and VI, Mangaorongo, and IV, Orahiri 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, V, and VI, Mangaorongo, and IV, Orahiri 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 hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-seventh day of October, 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.				
1 2 3	Otorohanga B 2 1d	IV	Orahiri ..	Red.
1 0 32.4	" 1d 2B	"	" ..	Blue.
1 0 20	" 1F 4B	{ IV	Orahiri ..	} Red.
0 3 31	" 1F 4A	{ I	Mangaorongo	
1 2 17.8	Mohoaonui ..	"	"	Blue.
2 1 10.9	Wharereina ..	I, V	"	Red.
3 1 26.2	Mangawhero 3B	"	"	Blue.
3 2 27	" 2A 3B	"	"	Red.
0 1 1.7	Mangawhero 2A 3A 1	"	"	Blue.
2 0 0.7	Mangawhero 2A 3A 2	"	"	Red.
0 3 4.1	Mangawhero 2A 1	"	"	Yellow.
1 3 17.5	Mangawhero 1F Section 1	"	"	Red.
2 0 20.4	Mangawhero 1F Section 2	"	"	Blue.
2 2 30.4	Mangawhero 1G 1	"	"	Red.
0 0 16	" 1G 2	"	"	Blue.
1 0 16.4	" 1d (S.O. 18650)	"	"	Red.
2 3 14.6	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c 2H 2A	"	"	Blue.
2 1 2.4	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c 2H 2B	"	"	Red.
1 3 19.9	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c 2H 2c	V, VI	"	Blue.
5 3 21	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c 2g	VI	"	Red.
6 0 29	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29c 2e	"	"	Blue.
0 3 15.6	Rangitoto-Tuhua 33c 3B (S.O. 18649)	"	"	Red.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42403, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 first day of October, 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 Roads in Whangaparaoa and Whangaparaoa East Survey Districts, Waiapu 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 roads in Whangaparaoa and Whangaparaoa East Survey Districts, Waiapu County:

And whereas the Waiapu 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 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 twenty-seventh day of October, 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	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. [R. P. 6 0 4 10 3 7	Whangaparaoa Block 2N " Block 2P (S.O. 17717.)	V	Whangaparaoa East	P.W.D. 42219	Red. Purple.
21 2 8 14 0 7 14 2 33	Whangaparaoa Block 2L " Block 2K " Block 2K 2 (S.O. 17437.)	IV II, III, IV III, V	" " "	" " "	" Red. Yellow.
17 1 0	Whangaparaoa Block 2G (S.O. 17438.)	III, VII	Whangaparaoa	"	Purple.
9 2 32	Whangaparaoa Block 2L (S.O. 17438.)	VII	"	"	Yellow.
35 0 24	Whangaparaoa Block 2M (S.O. 17438 and S.O. 17436.)	{ VII, XI IV	Whangaparaoa Whangaparaoa East	P.W.D. 42219 P.W.D. 42780	} Red.
5 0 0 0 3 24 0 1 24	Whangaparaoa 3A (S.O. 17438)	III	Whangaparaoa	P.W.D. 42219	Red.
22 1 0	Whangaparaoa 1B (S.O. 17438.)	"	"	"	"

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 Land 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 first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block IV, Otakeke Survey District, 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 Block IV, Otakeke Survey District, 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 twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	0	30.7	Te Kuiti No. 2B No. 12B; coloured blue.
1	1	29.3	" " No. 2B No. 13B " red.

Situated in Block IV, Otakeke Survey District. (S.O. 18285.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42581, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block IX, Whitianga Survey District.

[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 Block IX, Whitianga Survey District:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	1	30	Southern portion Whenuakite No. 2; coloured blue.
7	3	20	Northern portion Whenuakite No. 2; coloured red.
0	3	5	Northern portion Whenuakite No. 2; coloured yellow.
1	3	0	
2	2	13	
0	0	8	

Situated in Block IX, Whitianga Survey District. (S.O. 19361.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42559, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block X, Forest Hill Hundred.

[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 Block X, Forest Hill Hundred:

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 thirteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 roods 17 perches.

Portion of Section 86, Block X, Forest Hill Hundred (Southland R.D.).

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42522,

deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 first day of October, 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 IX and X, Patetere North Survey District.

[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 IX and X, Patetere North Survey District:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-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 thirteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	0	5	Section 40, Block IX; coloured blue.
0	0	21.3	Mangakaretu No. 1E, Block IX; coloured red.
1	0	14.5	Mangakaretu No. 1D 1, Block IX; coloured red.
6	2	38.5	Adjoining Mangakaretu Nos. 1E, 1D 1, 1B No. 1, and 1B No. 2, Blocks IX and X; coloured red.
1	0	33.8	Section 12, Selwyn Settlement, Block X; coloured blue.

Situated in Patetere North Survey District. (S.O. 17323.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41666, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 twenty-ninth day of September, 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 Tramway Purposes in Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District, City of Wellington.

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

A PROCLAMATION. *26/10*

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 tramway in Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District, City of Wellington:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Tramways Act, 1908, the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said tramway, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Wellington as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 6.38 perches. Being part Lot 23 on D.P. 1109, being part of Original Section 7, Evans Bay R.D. (City of Wellington), 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. 42872, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 twenty-ninth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Block V, Takahue Survey District, taken for the Erection of Public Offices for the Transaction of Public Business relating to the Mangonui County.

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

A PROCLAMATION. *5/10/17*

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 erection of public offices for the transaction of public business relating to the Mangonui County:

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-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 erection of public offices for the transaction of public business relating to the Mangonui County, and shall vest in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Mangonui on and after the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 1 rood. Portion of Church Mission Estate at Kaitaia, Block V, Takahue Survey District. (S.O. 19682.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42849, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land 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 twenty-fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Appointment of Whananaki Domain Board revoked.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

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

Extending Prohibition of 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 first day of October, 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 thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of six months the Order in Council dated the sixteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and gazetted the nineteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, prohibiting all alienations of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienations in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

WAIPAOA 5A Block: Approximate area, 2,624 acres; Tuahu Survey District.

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities from the State Advances Office.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-six, subsection one, of the Appropriation Act, 1915, it is provided that, notwithstanding any Act to the contrary, it shall not be lawful or competent for any local authority or for any Harbour Board, during the present war with Germany, to borrow or contract to borrow any money (otherwise than by way of bank overdraft within the limit of its powers, if any, in that behalf) whether from the State Advances Office or from any other source whatever, and whether in pursuance of a special Act or under any other authority whatever, without the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council :

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the several local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto to borrow the sums set opposite the names of the said local authorities respectively, for the several purposes specified in the said Schedule, from the State Advances Office :

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

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 consent to the borrowing from the State Advances Office of the loans hereinafter mentioned by the several local authorities set out in the Schedule hereto for the purposes specified in the said Schedule ; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Appropriation Act, 1915, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor-General in Council to the raising of the loans hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

EGMONT County Council, £1,000 : For reconstructing bridges in reinforced concrete.
Hawera County Council, £500 : For constructing 34 chains of Nowell's Road.
Kaitieke County Council, £1,500 : For reforming and metal-ling portions of the Wanganui Valley Road.
Kirikiriroa Road Board, £100 : For completing the work of forming, draining, and improving a road within the Ruakura Special-rating Area.
Masterton Borough Council, £315 : For completing the construction of two bridges over the Waipoua River and 26 chains of approach thereto.
Moa Road Board, £225 : For reconstructing two bridges on the Norfolk Road.
Te Aroha Borough Council, £525 : For sanitary drainage and sewer construction.
Waipa County Council, £1,500 : For metalling Hawkins Road.
Waipa County Council, £3,000 : For metalling roads within the Mangapiko Riding.
Clutha County Council, £2,000 : For metalling roads within the Katea Special-rating Area.

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-six, subsection one, of the Appropriation Act, 1915, it is provided that, notwithstanding any Act to the contrary, it shall not be lawful or competent for any local authority or for any Harbour Board, during the present war with Germany, to borrow or contract to borrow any money (otherwise than by way of bank overdraft within the limit of its powers, if any, in that behalf) whether from the State Advances Office or from any other source whatever, and whether in pursuance of a special Act or under any other authority whatever, without the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council :

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the several local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto to borrow the loans set out in column B therein : And whereas it is expedient that the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council should issue :

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 consent to the raising of the loans hereinafter mentioned by the several local authorities set out in the Schedule hereto ; provided that the rate of interest at which the loans or any of them are to be raised shall in no case produce to the lender a return exceeding five and one-quarter pounds per centum per annum ; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Appropriation Act, 1915, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor-General in Council to the raising of the loans hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

	Column B.
	£
FRANKLIN County Council	27,000
"	5,000
Bull's Town Board	550
Waitemata County Council	750
"	4,000
"	10,000
Auckland Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	6,000
Paeroa Borough Council	650

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Rawene Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and ten, a Domain Board was appointed to control the Rawene Domain :

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen :

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

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

GEORGE THOMAS CLENDON,
JOHN BEAZLEY,
CHARLES EYES,
FREDERICK TAUTARI BRYERS, and
WILLIAM MAKI COCHRANE

to be the Rawene Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act ; and doth hereby appoint Thursday, the eighth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the County Hall, Rawene, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

RAWENE BOARD.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 0 roods 29 perches, more or less, being Allotments Nos. 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, and 166 of the Town of Rawene. Bounded towards the north by McDonnell Street, 625.7 links ; towards the east by Clendon Esplanade, 211.2, 160.9,

and 140.6 links; towards the south by Nimmo Street, 673.6 links; and towards the west by Parnell Street, 505 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 56691/4, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Also that area in the Auckland Land District, being Sections Nos. 106 to 111 inclusive, Suburbs of Rawene (Block XIV, Mangamuka Survey District), and containing by admeasurement 16 acres 1 rood 36 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by D. Thierry Street, 1618.2 links; towards the east by Maning Street, the crossing of a public road, and again by the aforesaid street, 1101.1 links; towards the south by O.L.C. 63, granted to F. White, the crossing of the public road aforesaid, and again by O.L.C. 63 aforesaid, 2014.3 links; and towards the west by Russell Esplanade, 250.4, 462.5, and 309.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: excepting a public road, 100 links wide, intersecting the area. As the same is delineated on plan marked L. 1328, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Regulations for Trout-fishing, Opotiki Acclimatization District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Fisheries Act, 1908, 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 make the following regulations for the Opotiki Acclimatization District, which consists of the County of Opotiki, together with all town districts and boroughs situate within the boundaries of such district, and the waters thereof; and doth hereby declare that these regulations shall, as from the date of this Order in Council, supersede all regulations at variance therewith.

REGULATIONS.

1. LICENSES to fish for trout in all the waters of the Opotiki Acclimatization District may be issued under the hand of the secretary of the Opotiki Acclimatization Society (hereinafter termed "the said society"), or any one authorized by the said secretary in that behalf.

2. For every such license issued a fee of £1 will be charged, available in any district.

3. Any holder of a license may fish with one rod and line for trout, and may use a landing-net or gaff to secure any trout caught with such rod and line, in the above-named waters, from the 1st day of October in any one year to the 31st day of March in the following year.

4. No license shall authorize any person other than the person named therein to fish, and that with natural or artificial fly, insect, worm, or fish only.

5. No person shall have in his possession any trout between the 1st day of April and the 30th day of September in any year, which period is hereby appointed a close season for all such fish; provided always that this regulation shall not apply to fish caught by the officers of the said society for purposes of acclimatization.

6. No person shall put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any rivers or streams, or at the mouth or entrance of any such river or stream, any dynamite or other explosive substance, or any sawdust or sawmill refuse, or anything of any kind or description whatever poisonous, deleterious, or noxious to fish.

7. Except in rivers proclaimed salmon rivers, no person shall take, fish for, catch, or kill, in any manner whatever, or have in his possession, any salmon, salmon-parr, or smolts, or the ova, young, or fry of any salmon in any stage whatever; and any of the above-named taken by accident or otherwise shall immediately be returned to the water from whence it was taken.

8. No person shall fish for trout without a license, and every person fishing shall, on demand of any ranger, constable, member of the said society, or person producing a license, produce and show to such ranger, member, constable, or person his license, and the contents of his creel or bag, and the bait used by him for taking, catching, or killing such trout.

9. Every trout not exceeding 7 in. in length from nose to tip of tail, taken or caught by any person, shall immediately be returned alive into the water from which the same is taken.

10. No cross-line fishing, stroke-hauling, or any other un-sportsmanlike device shall be used for the purpose of taking, catching, or killing trout; nor shall any of the above-mentioned baits be used with any medicated or chemical preparation whatever.

11. Except as aforesaid, no person shall fish with or use any net or other engine, instrument, or device for taking fish in any of the rivers or streams in the said district, or at the mouth or entrance of any such rivers or streams.

12. For the purposes of these regulations the mouth of every such river or stream shall be deemed to include every outlet of the same and the sea-shore between such outlets, and shall extend over a radius of one-quarter of a mile from the point or line where the waters of such river or stream meet those of the sea or of any harbour at low-water ordinary tides.

13. No person shall buy, sell, or expose or offer for sale, or shall fish for the purpose of obtaining for sale, any salmon, trout, or any part thereof, except as provided for in section 13 of the additional general regulations gazetted 21st September, 1917.

14. The penalty for the breach of any of these regulations shall not be less than £2 or more than £50.

15. If any person shall be convicted of any offence against these regulations, the license (if any) held by the offender shall thereupon become void.

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

Regulations for Trout-fishing, South Canterbury Acclimatization District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities 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 hereby make the following regulations for the South Canterbury Acclimatization District, which district includes the Counties of Geraldine and Levels, and that portion of the County of Mackenzie lying to the east of a line commencing at Mount Cook, and proceeding by a right line over the Ball Hut to the Tasman Glacier, and thence along the western boundary of the Tasman Glacier to the Tasman River; thence by a line along the middle of that river and the middle of Lake Pukaki and the middle of Pukaki River to the Waitaki River, together with the boroughs and town districts within the same.

REGULATIONS.

1. No person shall take or catch more than twenty-five trout, irrespective of weight, in any one day.

2. Any person committing a breach of the above regulation is liable to a fine not exceeding £50.

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

Transfer of certain War Funds to the Horowhenua County Patriotic Association, incorporated under the War Funds Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirteen of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that any person, society, or trustees (whether such society or trustees are incorporated or not) having control of any war fund may, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council, transfer such fund to any other society or

trustees incorporated pursuant to section twelve of the said Act, to be applied by such last-mentioned society or trustees for the purposes for which such last-mentioned society or trustees were incorporated, notwithstanding that such purposes may not be identical with the purposes for which the fund to be transferred was established; provided that consent shall not be given to any application under this section unless the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that the fund to be transferred can be administered by the incorporated society or trustees for substantially the same purposes as those for which the fund was established:

And whereas applications have been made by the persons named in the Schedule hereto for the consent of the Governor-General in Council to the transfer to the Horowhenua County Patriotic Association (incorporated) of the funds (hereinafter referred to as "the said funds") set opposite their respective names in the said Schedule:

And whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that such funds can be administered by the Horowhenua County Patriotic Association for substantially the same purposes as those for which those funds were established:

And whereas it is considered desirable to consent to such transfers:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the transfer of the said funds to the Horowhenua County Patriotic Association (incorporated).

SCHEDULE.

Names of Persons.	Names of Funds to be transferred.
William Hughes Field, M.P., Basil Robertson Gardener, Frederick Horton Bright, and George Watson (as trustees)	West Coast Farmers Patriotic Fund.
George Newgart Stephenson and Charles Palmer (as trustees)	Shannon Belgian Relief and Patriotic Society.
J. H. Andrew and D. R. Bathgate (as trustees)	Manakau Patriotic Society.
F. H. Bright, L. St. George, and Frank Penn (as trustees)	Otaki Patriotic Society.
Tatton G. Fraser and Albert Johnston (as trustees)	Waikanae and District Patriotic Society.
James M. Richards, Alexander McDonald, and S. A. Broadbelt (as trustees)	Ihakara Patriotic Society.
Charles Blenkhorn, P. W. Goldsmith, and C. S. Keedwell (as trustees)	Levin and District Patriotic Society.
Malcolm Maclean and William Wise (as trustees)	Paraparaumu Patriotic Society.

J. F. ANDREWS,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Waimate County Council declared a Leasing Authority under the Public Bodies' Leases Act 1908

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Waimate County Council is a body of persons having power to lease lands held in trust, reserved, or set apart for public purposes, and has requested the Governor-General in Council to declare it to be a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in compliance with such request, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred by the above-mentioned Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the Waimate County Council is a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

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

Riverton Athenæum (Incorporated) declared a Leasing Authority under the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Riverton Athenæum (incorporated) is a body of persons having power to lease lands held in trust, reserved, or set apart for public purposes, and has requested the Governor-General in Council to declare it to be a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in compliance with such request, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred by the above-mentioned Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the Riverton Athenæum (incorporated) is a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £445, proposed to be raised by the Moa Road Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Moa Road Board, acting under and in pursuance of paragraph (e) of section sixteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, lately proposed to raise a loan of four hundred and forty-five pounds for the purpose of forming and metalling the Mangaotea Road within the Mangaotea No. 2 Special-rating Area:

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

And whereas the ratepayers have not been misled by the said irregularity, and it is expedient to validate the same:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on 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 order and declare that the ratepayers' consent to the raising of the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the signatures to the same had been properly witnessed, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

Vesting Control of a Reserve under the Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this first day of October, 1917.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by section five of the Tourist and Health Resorts Control Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "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 vest the control of the reserve for recreation purposes described in the Schedule hereto, in the Minister of the Crown for the time being having the administration of the said Act, and doth hereby declare that the said reserve shall be administered under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.
TASMAN PARK.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by estimation 89,250 acres, more or less, being part of Reserve numbered 2756 and Reserve 4003, situated in Cook, Mueller, and Cass Survey Districts. Bounded towards the north-west by the County of Westland; towards the west by the Hooker Glacier, Recreation Reserve No. 2652; towards the south-west by the Hooker River and by a right line drawn from its confluence with the Tasman River to the Gorilla Creek; to the south-east by the said creek and a straight line drawn to the summit of the Leibig Range; and towards the east by the summit of the said range: save and excepting therefrom part of Run No. 215, containing 4,000 acres, and the whole of Run No. 216, 4,550 acres, which are included within the above-described boundaries.

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

Trustees for the Waimea West 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

SIMEON RUSS,
GEORGE RUSS,
CHARLES FORD, and
WILLIAM JOHN FORD

to be trustees for the maintenance and care of the Waimea West Public Cemetery, in the place of William Dron, resigned; John Ford, Mark Newth, and Charles Frederick Russ, deceased; and Robert Samuel Millard, who has left the district; to act in conjunction with Frederick Ford, previously appointed.

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

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

Trustees for the Mataroa 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

CHARLES CLEAVER and
HARRY WHITEHEAD

to be trustees for the maintenance and care of the Mataroa Public Cemetery, in the place of Patrick Carmody, Francis Joseph Karam, James Cameron, Peter Gallagher, and Austin Philip Sheath, to act in conjunction with William Cleaver and Simon Barakat, previously appointed.

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

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

Trustee for the Rahotu 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

VINCENT SEYMOUR TYRELL

to be an additional trustee to provide for the maintenance and care of the Rahotu Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Thomas Pole Hughson, James Benjamin Groom, Walter Clement Guy Green, Clement Penwarden, Louis Fischer, and Eli Hezekiah Taylor, previously appointed.

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

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

Trustee for the Halcombe 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

ALEXANDER LAIRD PEFFERS

to be a trustee, in the place of John Leonard Macdonald, who has resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Halcombe Public Cemetery, in conjunction with Milo Kew, James Fraser, Charles Henry Managh, and Joseph Heappy, previously appointed.

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

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

Notifying Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the one-hundred-and-twenty-sixth section of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the twenty-first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, as the time at which the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—RURAL LAND.

SECTION 31A, Block VIII, Winton Hundred: Area, 20 acres; upset price, £40.

Low-lying level land of good quality, capable of improvement by clearing and draining. Situated two miles and a half north-east of Winton Township, the last half-mile of road being unformed.

Section 2, Block XVII, New River Hundred: Area, 92 acres 1 rood 20 perches; upset price, £30.

Poor land of wet and peaty nature, covered with swamp grass and moss. Access by formed and gravelled road, except last thirty chains unformed. Situated one mile and a quarter from Taramoa Post-office and nine miles and three-quarters from Invercargill.

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

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto, which have been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, shall be open for sale or selection on Monday, the twenty-sixth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Ohinemuri County.—Waihou Survey District.—Hauraki Plains.
SECTION 30, Block XIII: Area, 9 acres 1 rood 16 perches. Capital value, £150. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3 15s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3.

Weighted with £47, valuation for grassing, house, and fencing.

Altitude, 50 ft. to 80 ft. above sea-level. Level land, originally flax swamp, now in grass. Soil dark loam of very good quality watered by drain on boundary. Distant twenty chains from Patetonga Post-office by tram-line.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Whakatane County.—Rotoma Survey District.

Section 5, Block III: Area, 1,603 acres 1 rood. Capital value, £1,600. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £40. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £32.

Weighted with £22 10s., valuation for fencing.

Altitude, 300 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, about 50 acres light mixed forest comprising tawa, rewarewa, mangeao, tawhero, makomako, &c., with thick undergrowth of scrub. Soil of fair quality of a sandy nature, on pumice formation; well watered by Pikowai Stream. Distant about fifteen miles from Matata by good formed road. The proposed route of the East Coast Railway will pass within ten miles of this section.

Rotorua County.—Maketu Survey District.

Section 5, Block XVI: Area, 494 acres. Capital value, £370. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £9 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £7 8s.

Altitude, 600 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. Fern land, broken to undulating, with flat-topped ridges and deep dry valleys. Soil of a poor pumice sandy nature, on pumice formation; no water on section, and selector will have to depend on tanks for his water-supply. Distant about nine miles from Paengaroa by formed road.

Bay of Islands County.—Kawakawa Survey District.

Sections 75 and 76, Block XVI: Area, 94 acres 3 roods 1 perch. Capital value, £120. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2 8s.

Altitude, 50 ft. to 230 ft. above sea-level. A few acres swamp, remainder undulating to hilly land covered with fern and manuka, a large part being ploughable. Soil of inferior quality, on clay subsoil; well watered by swampy streams. Distant half a mile from Kawakawa Railway-station by formed cart-road.

West Taupo County.—Wharepapa Survey District.

Section 1, Block II: Area, 480 acres. Capital value, £480. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £12. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £9 12s.

Altitude, 400 ft. to 800 ft. above sea-level. About one-third ploughable in patches; balance broken country, with outcrops of rhyolite or sandstone; all covered with fern and scrub. Soil of a light volcanic nature, of poor quality, on rhyolite and sandstone formation; well watered by small streams. Distant about seventeen miles from Kawa Railway-station, or about twenty-two miles from Te Awamutu, by formed dray-road not metalled.

Rodney County.—Te Arai Parish.

Sections 31 and 32: Area, 260 acres. Capital value, £160. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £4. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3 4s.

Altitude, 50 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. About 25 acres rush, flax, raupo, and manuka swamp, drainable; balance fern and manuka scrub, generally undulating, with small portion broken. Soil peaty in swamp, clay on balance of section; fairly watered by swampy gullies. Distant about four miles from Te Arai Post-office by cart-road.

Opotiki County.—Urutaua Survey District.

Section 11, Block XIII: Area, 1,966 acres. Capital value, £1,720. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £43. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £34 8s.

Section 12, Block XIV: Area, 1,275 acres. Capital value, £1,120. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £28. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £22 8s.

Altitude, 650 ft. to 3,130 ft. above sea-level. Broken land, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising miro, tawa, tawhero, hinau, rata, rimu, and birch, with a thick undergrowth of scrub, supplejack, punga, rangiora, &c. Clay soil

of good quality, on sandstone formation; well watered by streams. Distant about sixteen to seventeen miles from the Matawai-Gisborne Railway terminus by about sixteen miles of formed road, balance unformed.

Awakino County.—Maungamangero Survey District.

Section 3, Block X: Area, 605 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £900. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £22 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £18.

Altitude, 800 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level. Broken country, covered with heavy mixed forest comprising tawa, tawhero, rata, rimu, matai, miro, &c., with heavy undergrowth of supplejack, mahoe, konini, makomako, &c. Soil of medium quality, on papa and rubble formation; well watered by small streams. Distant about thirty-two miles from Te Kuiti, of which sixteen miles is metalled road, fifteen miles formed dray-road, and one mile pack-track.

Whangarei County.—Waikare Parish.

Sections 6, 7, 8, S. 9, 10, 11: Area, 480 acres 1 rood 35 perches. Capital value, £300. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £7 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £6.

Altitude, 20 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. About 50 acres rush swamp about 2 ft. deep: 100 acres undulating, balance broken, covered with fern and manuka, and about 7 acres light mixed forest comprising a few kauri-rickers and puriri-trees, manuka, taraire, mahoe, &c., with light undergrowth of ferns and scrub. Soil of good quality on swamp, poor clay elsewhere, on clay subsoil; well watered by stream. Distant about four miles from Parua Bay by cart-road. The swamp is difficult to drain owing to drifting sand.

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

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

Warrant apportioning the Cost of Maintenance of the Matapuna Combined Road and Railway Bridge over the Wanganui River at Matapuna.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and twenty of the Public Works Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), as amended by section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor-General may, by Warrant under his hand publicly notified and gazetted, fix and determine whether all or any (and, if so, what) part of the cost, whether theretofore incurred or thereafter to be incurred, of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any combined road and railway bridge is to be provided and paid by any local authority or local authorities, and, if so, by what local authority or local authorities; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid direct how, when, and to whom such payment is to be made:

And whereas by the said Act it is further enacted that the Governor-General may from time to time, with the view of determining the proportion in which it would be fair and reasonable to fix and determine the amount to be provided and paid by any local authority or local authorities for or towards the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any combined road and railway bridge, direct any Magistrate or other person to be a Commissioner to inquire into and report to him upon any matter which he shall deem necessary to enable him to determine any such question as aforesaid:

And whereas a Commissioner was appointed under the provisions of section one hundred and twenty of the Public Works Act, 1908, and an inquiry was duly held, with a view to determine what proportion of the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the decking of the combined road and railway bridge described in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter referred to as "the said bridge," ought to be paid by any (and, if so, which) local authority or local authorities:

And whereas such Commissioner did report to the Governor-General, after due inquiry, his opinion as to the matters respecting which he was appointed to report:

And whereas it is expedient to make provision under the said Act for the purpose and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

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 power and autho-

erty vested in me by the said Act and its amendments, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the decking of the said bridge shall be borne by the Taumarunui Borough Council, the Manunui Town Board, the Kaitieke County Council, and the Ohura County Council in the following proportions—viz., the Taumarunui Borough Council shall pay fifty-five per centum, the Manunui Town Board sixteen per centum, the Kaitieke County Council twenty-seven per centum, and the Ohura County Council two per centum of such cost respectively:

And I do also hereby further direct that any contributions hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Taumarunui Borough Council, the Manunui Town Board, Kaitieke County Council, and the Ohura County Council (hereinafter referred to as "the said local authorities") shall be paid from time to time in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed out of the funds of the said local authorities, within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Minister of Railways, and such payments shall be made from time to time to the said Minister for and on account of the said local authorities.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Wanganui River known as the Matapuna combined road and railway bridge, between Block II, Piopotea Survey District, Auckland Land District, and Block II, Hunua Survey District, Wellington Land District, the site of the said bridge being more particularly located at the eastern end of the Matapuna Railway-station yard.

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

Warrant vesting Control of Portion of Doralto Road in the New Plymouth Borough Council and apportioning the Cost of the Maintenance of the Same.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section twelve of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that where a road or street lies along the boundary of two or more districts, whether that road or street is wholly within one or is partly within one and is partly within another of those districts, or is within none of those districts, the Governor-General may from time to time, by Warrant under his hand and gazetted, direct which of the local authorities of those districts shall have control of the road or street or of any part thereof; and may in like manner determine from time to time whether any other of those local authorities shall contribute to the cost of construction, maintenance, or widening or reconstructing of that road or street, and, if so, in what proportions:

And whereas the portion of Doralto Road described in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter termed "the said road," forms part of the boundary between the Borough of New Plymouth and the County of Taranaki:

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 power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the said road shall from and after the date of this Warrant be under the control of the New Plymouth Borough Council; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of construction or maintenance or widening or reconstructing the said road shall be borne in the following proportions—viz., the Taranaki County Council to bear half such cost, and the New Plymouth Borough Council to bear half such cost respectively.

I do also further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Taranaki County Council shall be paid from time to time to the New Plymouth Borough Council, in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed, out of the funds of the said County Council, within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the New Plymouth Borough Council, and that such payments shall be made from time to time to the Town Clerk, New Plymouth, for and on account of such County Council.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Doralto Road, in the Taranaki Land District, adjoining or passing through part Allotment 59,

Borough of New Plymouth, comprising a length of 16-87 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42695, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works

Warrant vesting Control of Portions of Frankley, Tukapo, Tarahua, Carrington, and Avenue Roads in the Taranaki County Council, and apportioning the Cost of Maintenance of the Same.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section twelve of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), as amended by section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1910, it is provided that where a road or street lies along the boundary of two or more districts, whether that road or street is wholly within one or is partly within one and is partly within another of those districts, or is within none of those districts, the Governor-General may from time to time, by Warrant under his hand and gazetted, direct which of the local authorities of those districts shall have control of the road or street or of any part thereof; and may in like manner determine from time to time whether any other of those local authorities shall contribute to the cost of the construction or maintenance or widening or reconstructing of that road or street, and, if so, in what proportions:

And whereas portions of Frankley, Tukapo, Tarahua, Carrington, and Avenue Roads described in the Schedule hereto, and hereinafter termed "the said roads," form part of the boundary between the Borough of New Plymouth and the County of Taranaki:

And whereas it is expedient that provision should be made under the said Act for the purposes and in the manner hereinafter set forth:

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 power and authority vested in me by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that, from and after the date of this Warrant, the said roads shall be under the control of the Taranaki County Council; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, I do hereby fix and determine the cost of construction or maintenance or widening or reconstructing the said roads shall be borne in the following proportions—viz., the New Plymouth Borough Council to bear half of such cost, and the Taranaki County Council to bear half of such cost respectively.

And I do also further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the New Plymouth Borough Council shall be paid from time to time, in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed, out of the funds of the said Council, within a period of thirty days after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Taranaki County Council, and that such payment shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Taranaki County Council for and on account of the said Borough Council.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Frankley Road, in the Taranaki Land District, situated on the boundary between the Taranaki County and Borough of New Plymouth, adjoining or passing through part Allotment 42, Borough of New Plymouth. (Approximate length, 4-25 chains.)

Also all that portion of Tukapo Road, in the said land district, situated on the boundary between the Taranaki County and Borough of New Plymouth, adjoining or passing through Lots 25, 24, and part Wallath Road, Borough of New Plymouth. (Approximate length, 11-50 chains.)

Also all that portion of Tarahua Road, in the said land district, situated on the boundary between the Taranaki County and Borough of New Plymouth, adjoining or passing through Section (part) 62, Borough of New Plymouth. (Approximate length, 21-50 chains.)

Also all that portion of Carrington Road, in the said land district, situated on the boundary between the Taranaki County and Borough of New Plymouth, adjoining or passing through part Sub. E of Section 61, Borough of New Plymouth. (Approximate length, 7-85 chains.)

Also all that portion of Avenue Road, in the said land district, situated on the boundary between the Taranaki County and Borough of New Plymouth, adjoining or passing through Sections (parts) 62, 63, and 49, Borough of New Plymouth. (Approximate length, 11.50 chains.)

As the said portions of roads are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42695, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

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

JOHN ROSE,

being a person holding the office of Postmaster under the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, at Makotuku, 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 second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

Trustee for Sandon Public Park appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 27th September, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 2 of the Sandon Public Park Management Act, 1875, been pleased to appoint

HENRY JOHN FAGAN

to be a Trustee of the Sandon Public Park, in the place of James Alexander Bailey, who has resigned; to act in conjunction with George Williams, William John Phillips, Laurie Chesney Ellerm, and John Henry Shore Perrett, previously appointed.

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

Member of Rangiora and Waikuku Beach Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 1st October, 1917.

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

MATHEW HENRY STORES

to be a member of the Rangiora and Waikuku Beach Domain Board, in the place of Nathaniel Barnard Archer, who has resigned.

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

Official Member for Mangonui Maori Council appointed.

Native Office,
Wellington, 27th September, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES MARK O'CONNOR,

of Mangonui, to be the Official Member of the Mangonui Maori Council, under the provisions of the Maori Councils Act, 1900, and its amendments, *vice* W. Sefton, deceased.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd October, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the resignation by

JOHN CUDBY, Esq.,

of Lower Hutt, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Courts, &c., appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 25th September, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable RICHARD THOMAS BEADLE

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts, Receiver of Gold Revenue, and Mining Registrar at Tapanui, as from the nineteenth day of September, 1917, *vice* Constable J. Carroll, transferred.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Justice.

Appointment of Member of Island Council of Niue.

Cook Islands Department,
Wellington, 2nd October, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

FILILI PULEGAHAHA

to be a member of the Island Council of Niue, in place of Vemoa, resigned.

M. POMARE,
Minister for the Cook Islands.

Registrar of Native Land Court appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 26th September, 1917.

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

LUDWIG ARNOLD BERTHOLD TEUTENBERG

to be Registrar of the Native Land Court for the Tokerau District for the purposes of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the amendments thereof, as from the 27th day of September, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 27th September, 1917.

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

JAMES HARRADINE CODDINGTON

to be an Inspector of Factories at Auckland for the purposes of the Factories Act, 1908, as from the 5th day of September, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Inspector for the Purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 27th September, 1917.

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

ROBERT DONALD MUNRO

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908, and the Fertilizers Act, 1908, as from the 24th day of August, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrars of Births, &c., appointed.

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

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

THOMAS POPE

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages and Vaccination Inspector for the District of Mount Cook, as from the 24th September, 1917.

ALFRED ROBERTS

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths and Vaccination Inspector for the District of Petone, as from the 22nd September, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Deputy Registrar of Births and Deaths appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 2nd October, 1917.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned person has been appointed to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district set opposite his name, viz. :—

Name.	District
KENNETH CHARLES HINTON	Kaeo.
W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.	

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 2nd October, 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.
WILLIAM MORRISON ALLAN	Gabriel s.
WILLIAM MCKINNON	Wakat pu.
JOHN PAISLEY MAHON	Porangahau.
ROBERT MARTIN	Huntly.
GEORGE THOMAS LAWSON	Little River.
W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.	

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 25th September, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, and transfers of the undermentioned officers on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, *vide* List No. 41, N.Z. E.F. Orders:—

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Captain S. C. P. Nicholls, N.Z.S.C., to be Brigade Major, N.Z.M.R. Brigade. Dated 17th February, 1917.

Major H. C. Glendining, N.Z.S.C., performed the duties of Brigade Major, N.Z. Divisional Artillery, from 26th December, 1916, to 30th January, 1917.

Major G. Barclay, v.d., performed the duties of C.R.E., N.Z. Division, from 24th March, 1917, to 24th April, 1917.

CANTERBURY MOUNTED RIFLES.

Captain S. C. P. Nicholls, N.Z.S.C., is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst employed as Brigade Major, N.Z. M.R. Brigade. Dated 21st March, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) S. C. P. Nicholls, N.Z.S.C., to be Major, and remains seconded for duty as Brigade Major, N.Z.M.R. Brigade. Dated 30th April, 1917.

OTAGO MOUNTED RIFLES.

2nd Lieutenant J. E. Biggar to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st April, 1917.

Lieutenant G. G. Denniston is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst employed as 11 Anzac Corps Salvage Officer. Dated 30th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

2nd Lieutenant L. S. Carmichael, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant whilst commanding a Medium Trench Mortar Battery. Dated 10th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

Field Companies.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 21st April, 1917:—

4/719, Corporal D. Doake.
4/19, Sergeant B. West.

Lieutenant H. H. Fisher to be Captain. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Major G. Barclay, v.d., performed the duties of C.R.E., N.Z. Division, from 24th March, 1917, to 24th April, 1917.

Signal Services.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) P. B. Cooke relinquishes the command of the N.Z. Signal Reserve Depot and the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 30th April, 1917.

Lieutenant G. T. Kellaway is appointed to command the N.Z. Signal Reserve Depot, and is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst so employed. Dated 30th April, 1917.

AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

Lieutenant H. S. Westmacott to be an Assistant Instructor, 11 Anzac Corps School, and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 24th April, 1917.

Captain C. S. White relinquishes the appointment of Quartermaster, 2nd Battalion. Dated 30th April, 1917.

Lieutenant J. C. Allen to be Quartermaster, 2nd Battalion. Dated 30th April, 1917.

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

12/3342, C.S.M. G. S. Hall.
12/827, Sergeant G. L. Popple.
12/2913, Sergeant E. R. Pountnoy.

2nd Lieutenant A. R. C. Smart to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant F. R. Foster is granted the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 13th April, 1917.

CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

Lieutenant P. A. Keddell to be Officer in Charge, 2nd N.Z. Infantry Brigade Details, N.Z. Base Depot, and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 1st April, 1917.

Major R. A. R. Lawry relinquishes the appointment of Officer in Charge Kits, but remains seconded for duty with N.Z. Section, 3rd Echelon, G.H.Q., B.E.F. Dated 29th March, 1917.

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

6/118, R.S.M. H. A. Perkins.
6/2031, C.S.M. J. A. Toon.

Lieutenant H. M. Foster to be Captain. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant A. W. Wellsted performed the duties of Adjutant, 1st Battalion, from 4th March, 1917, to 15th March, 1917.

OTAGO REGIMENT.

4/150, Driver E. H. Blomfield to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 25th April, 1917.

Captain E. S. McIntyre is granted the temporary rank of Major. Dated 15th April, 1917.

WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

Lieutenant E. Morgan to be Officer in Charge, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade Details, N.Z. Base Depot, and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 1st April, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant S. M. Lang to be Lewis Machine-gun Officer, 3rd Battalion. Dated 30th March, 1917.

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

10/212, Sergeant E. B. Edwards.
10/681, Sergeant G. McSaveney.
10/2305, Lance-Sergeant J. M. Russell.

Lieutenant A. B. Sievwright to be Captain, and ceases to be seconded for duty with a Light Trench Mortar Battery. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant H. R. Biss.
2nd Lieutenant J. Brown.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE.

Captain W. Hobbs ceases to be seconded for duty at N.Z. Dental Hospital. Dated 28th April, 1917.

Lieutenant C. M. Wilford to be Officer in Charge, 3rd N.Z. Rifle Brigade Details, N.Z. Base Depot. Dated 1st April, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant F. S. Goulding to be Adjutant, 3rd Battalion. Dated 17th January, 1917.

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

25/279, Sergeant H. J. Murrell.
23/818, C.Q.M.S. C. E. Makeham.
25/62, C.S.M. B. Tangney.
24/457, C.S.M. S. B. Probert.

NEW ZEALAND PIONEER BATTALION.

Captain W. O. Ennis to be Major, pending absorption for specially good service in the field. Dated 23rd April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MACHINE-GUN CORPS.

2nd Lieutenant J. J. Kernohan to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

The undermentioned are seconded for duty with Royal Flying Corps:—

Captain J. C. Stewart, M.C. Dated 27th April, 1917.
Captain J. Hirschberg. Dated 27th April, 1917.
Captain C. B. Dick-Clelland. Dated 30th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain J. L. Reed, M.B., to be Officer in Charge Medical Division, No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital, and is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst so employed. Dated 30th April, 1917.

Captain W. H. Unwin, M.B., F.R.C.S., to be Officer in Charge Surgical Division, No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital, and is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst so employed. Dated 30th April, 1917.

Sergeant-major Ernest Matthew Finlayson to be Quartermaster, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1916.

NEW ZEALAND VETERINARY CORPS.

Major P. M. Edgar to be O.C., N.Z. Veterinary Hospital. Dated 19th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend H. C. Money, attested in England, is taken on the strength as Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class. Dated 28th April, 1917.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 25th September, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, and transfers of the undermentioned officers on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, *vide* List No. 42, N.Z. Expeditionary Force Orders:—

AUCKLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.

2nd Lieutenant J. D. Stewart is transferred from N.Z. Camel Corps. Dated 20th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant C. E. Mawer is transferred to the N.Z. Camel Corps. Dated 20th March, 1917.

13/2400, Sergeant S. L. Wright to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is seconded for duty as Brigade Transport Officer, N.Z.M.R. Brigade. Dated 5th March, 1917.

CANTERBURY MOUNTED RIFLES.

Cadet J. M. R. Studholme, from Royal Military College, to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 1st May, 1917.

WELLINGTON MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant F. von T. Kettle is seconded for duty as Gas Officer, A. and N.Z. Mounted Division. Dated 19th February, 1917.

Captain A. S. Wilder relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant to Command a Squadron. Dated 20th February, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant E. A. MacIntyre to be Adjutant. Dated 21st February, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 5th April, 1917:—

P. J. Cotton.
E. A. MacIntyre.
E. G. Williams.
E. Levien.

NEW ZEALAND CAMEL CORPS.

2nd Lieutenant C. E. Mawer is transferred from Auckland Mounted Rifles. Dated 20th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant J. D. Stewart is transferred to Auckland Mounted Rifles. Dated 20th March, 1917.

MEMORANDUM.

2nd Lieutenant J. D. Stewart commanded the 15th Company from 5th February to 20th March, 1917.

OTAGO MOUNTED RIFLES.

2nd Lieutenant A. E. C. H. E. Boeufve to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st May, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 6th May, 1917:—

V. Rogers, D.S.O.
T. Farr, M.C., R.N.Z.A.
R. Miles, M.C., R.N.Z.A.
A. E. Horwood, M.C., R.N.Z.A.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

2/1329, Sergeant H. I. Overton. Dated 5th May, 1917.
7/2007, Gunner L. J. Gardner. Dated 5th May, 1917.
2/424, Driver S. Henrys. Dated 10th May, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

Signal Services.

Lieutenant F. C. Hubbard is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst holding the appointment of Officer in Charge Artillery Signals, N.Z. Division. Dated 16th April, 1917.

AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

The undermentioned are transferred from the N.Z. Rifle Brigade as from the 1st May, 1917:—

Lieutenant A. C. A. Sexton; seniority to date from 16th September, 1916.

2nd Lieutenant N. C. McLean; seniority to date from 25th January, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant R. H. Stables is transferred to the Wellington Regiment. Dated 1st May, 1917.

The undermentioned are seconded for training as Machine-gun Officers. Dated 2nd May, 1917:—

Lieutenant J. Penniket.
Lieutenant H. F. Edgecombe.

The undermentioned are seconded for return to New Zealand on duty. Dated 10th May, 1917:—

Lieutenant A. G. McGregor.
2nd Lieutenant G. S. Hall.
2nd Lieutenant C. L. Popple.
2nd Lieutenant E. R. Pountney.

Captain N. A. Duthie relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Battalion. Dated 11th May, 1917.

Lieutenant W. P. Gray, from Lewis Gun Officer, 1st Battalion, to be Adjutant, 1st Battalion. Dated 11th May, 1917.

Lieutenant R. D. McFarland relinquishes the appointment of Lewis Gun Officer. Dated 7th May, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant E. A. Porritt to be Lewis Gun Officer, 2nd Battalion. Dated 8th May, 1917.

Lieutenant H. S. Westmacott to be Captain, and to remain seconded for duty as an Assistant Instructor at 11 Anzac Corps School. Dated 15th May, 1917.

Captain E. C. Parry is granted the temporary rank of Major. Dated 5th May, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) F. L. G. West relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 5th May, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) L. Champion relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 5th May, 1917.

CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

Lieutenant W. E. Grant is transferred to the N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 21st April, 1917.

The undermentioned are seconded for return to New Zealand on duty. Dated 10th May, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant K. De Maus.
2nd Lieutenant H. A. Perkins.
2nd Lieutenant J. A. Toon.

OTAGO REGIMENT.

The undermentioned are transferred from the N.Z. Rifle Brigade, as from 1st May, 1917:—

Lieutenant A. S. Reid; seniority to date from 15th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant N. H. Hogg; seniority to date from 24th June, 1916.

2nd Lieutenant S. Gardner; seniority to date from 23rd September, 1916.

The undermentioned are transferred to the Wellington Regiment. Dated 1st May, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant A. W. Lafferty.
2nd Lieutenant J. S. Marsden.

2nd Lieutenant C. B. Willis is transferred to the Wellington Regiment. Dated 3rd May, 1917.

Lieutenant K. O. De Cent is seconded for duty at No. 2 Training School, Etapes. Dated 2nd May, 1917.

The undermentioned are seconded for training as Machine-gun Officers. Dated 2nd May, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant W. R. King.
2nd Lieutenant F. C. De Lambert.

The undermentioned are seconded for return to New Zealand on duty :—

- 2nd Lieutenant W. Russell. Dated 27th March, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant J. R. Quarton. Dated 10th May, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant E. H. Blomfield. Dated 10th May, 1917.
Lieutenant C. Parr to be Lewis Gun Officer, 1st Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant C. B. Willis is transferred from Otago Regiment. Dated 3rd May, 1917.

The undermentioned are transferred to the regiment from the units shown, with seniority from 13th January, 1917; to date from 1st May, 1917 :—

- 2nd Lieutenant A. W. Lafferty, from Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant J. S. Marsden, from Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant R. H. Staples, from Auckland Regiment.

The undermentioned cease to be seconded for duty at No. 2 Training School, Etaples. Dated 2nd May, 1917 :—
Lieutenant F. C. Chaytor.
2nd Lieutenant A. J. Nimmo.

The undermentioned are seconded for training as Machine-gun Officers. Dated 2nd May, 1917 :—
2nd Lieutenant H. J. W. Lord.
2nd Lieutenant P. Howden.

The undermentioned are seconded for return to New Zealand on duty. Dated 10th May, 1917 :—
2nd Lieutenant S. F. Burgess.
2nd Lieutenant G. McSaveney.
2nd Lieutenant J. M. Russell.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant G. S. Strack performed the duties of Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, from 21st April, 1917, to 3rd May, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE.

Lieutenant W. C. I. Sumner ceases to be seconded for duty with a light trench mortar battery. Dated 1st May, 1917.

The undermentioned are transferred to the units shown opposite their names. Dated 1st May, 1917 :—

- Lieutenant A. C. A. Sexton, Auckland Regiment.
Lieutenant A. S. Reid, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant N. H. Hogg, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant S. Gardner, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant N. C. McLean, Auckland Regiment.

Lieutenant A. Hoggans is seconded for duty at No. 2 Training School, Etaples. Dated 2nd May, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant A. J. Beehan is seconded for duty with a light trench mortar battery. Dated 15th April, 1917.

The undermentioned are seconded for return to New Zealand on duty. Dated 10th May, 1917 :—

- 2nd Lieutenant H. G. Bell.
2nd Lieutenant H. J. Murrell.
2nd Lieutenant C. E. Makeham.
2nd Lieutenant B. Tangney.
2nd Lieutenant S. B. Probert.

Major J. G. Roache is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st April, 1917.

Captain A. I. Walker is granted the temporary rank of Major. Dated 21st April, 1917.

Lieutenant C. E. Bridge is granted the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 14th April, 1917.

PIONEER BATTALION.

Lieutenant (now Captain) H. D. Dansey is seconded for duty as 11 Anzac Corps Tramway Superintendent. Dated 23rd February, 1917.

Captain W. O. Ennis relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant on promotion to the rank of Major. Dated 23rd April, 1917.

Captain C. le F. Young to be Adjutant. Dated 23rd April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MACHINE-GUN CORPS.

Lieutenant W. E. Grant is transferred to the corps from the Canterbury Regiment. Dated 21st April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

- H. Richards. Dated 27th April, 1917.
L. B. Todd. Dated 27th April, 1917.
W. N. Lacey. Dated 30th April, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Lieutenants :—

- 2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) J. Scott. Dated 19th April, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant J. A. Haydon. Dated 27th April, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant W. T. Lloyd. Dated 27th April, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant M. W. Horton. Dated 30th April, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant A. W. Nisbet. Dated 30th April, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) J. Scott relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant; dated 11th January, 1917. And is again granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant while employed as Adjutant, A. and N.Z. Mounted Divisional A.S.C.; dated 24th February, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain A. H. Tovey, transferred from R.A.M.C., is taken on the strength, with seniority from date of transfer. Dated 4th May, 1917.

MEMORANDA.

Lieut.-Colonel D. N. W. Murray, D.S.O., M.D., acted as A.D.M.S., N.Z. Division, from 17th November, 1916, to 14th December, 1916, and as Commandant 11 Anzac Medical Officers' School from 5th January, 1917, to 8th April, 1917.

Major H. J. McLean, M.D., F.R.C.S., acted as O.C. No. 2 N.Z. Field Ambulance from 5th January, 1917, to 8th April, 1917.

Major R. N. Guthrie, M.C., M.B., acted as O.C. No. 3 N.Z. Field Ambulance from 24th October, 1916, to 2nd December, 1916.

Captain (now Major) A. V. Short, M.B., acted as Adjutant 11 Anzac Medical Officers' School from 1st December, 1916, to 5th March, 1917.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 25th September, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, and transfers of the undermentioned officers on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, *vide* List No. 40, N.Z. E.F. Orders :—

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Lieut.-Colonel M. M. Gardner, p.s.c., g., R.N.Z.A., to be D.A.Q.M.G. II Anzac Corps. Dated 10th April, 1917.

Major N. W. B. Thoms, M.C., N.Z.S.C., from Brigade Major, 3rd N.Z. Rifle Brigade, to be Brigade Major, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade. Dated 13th April, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) T. R. Jackson, General List, relinquishes the appointment of Brigade Major, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, and is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 13th April, 1917.

Captain R. G. Purdy, N.Z.S.C., from Staff Captain, 3rd N.Z. Rifle Brigade, to be Brigade Major, 3rd N.Z. Rifle Brigade. Dated 10th April, 1917.

Captain G. C. Dailey, Canterbury Regiment, to be Staff Captain, 3rd N.Z. Rifle Brigade. Dated 10th April, 1917.

Captain T. R. Eastwood, M.C., Rifle Brigade, is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst employed as Brigade Major, 4th N.Z. Infantry Brigade. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Captain R. W. Wrightson, Wellington Regiment, performed the duties of Staff Captain, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, from 17th February, 1917, to 3rd April, 1917.

AUCKLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.

The undermentioned are transferred to the Auckland Regiment. Dated 15th March, 1917 :—

- Lieutenant W. D. Ruddock.
Lieutenant J. Evans.
2nd Lieutenant A. H. Grierson.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants :—

- 13/129, Lance-Sergeant S. C. Reid. Dated 10th March, 1917.
13/403, Sergeant D. S. McCathie. Dated 11th March, 1917.

CANTERBURY MOUNTED RIFLES.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants :—

- 7/1100, S.S.M. C. L. Mathias. Dated 10th March, 1917.
7/250, Sergeant M. J. O'Brien. Dated 11th March, 1917.
7/448, R.S.M. C. Quartley. Dated 15th March, 1917.
7/1119, R.Q.M.S. K. J. McKenzie. Dated 15th March, 1917.

WELLINGTON MOUNTED RIFLES.

Captain P. Oldham is transferred to Wellington Regiment. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants :—

- 11/760, R.S.M. W. J. Hollis. Dated 10th March, 1917.
11/827, Sergeant R. Sutherland. Dated 11th March, 1917.

OTAGO MOUNTED RIFLES.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 1st January, 1917:—

D. McCurdy.
G. R. Mitchell.

Lieutenant R. F. Mitchell to be Captain. Dated 1st January, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant E. R. Wells to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND FIELD ARTILLERY.

Lieut.-Colonel N. S. Falla, D.S.O., to command D.A.C. Dated 10th April, 1917.

Captain J. S. Gill to be Major. Dated 26th January, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

D. G. Johnston. Dated 10th April, 1917.
D. M. Cuthbertson. Dated 11th April, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. T. Jones. Dated 4th April, 1917.
J. J. Kyne. Dated 4th April, 1917.
W. J. Hicks. Dated 10th April, 1917.
W. Pollard. Dated 10th April, 1917.
C. J. K. Edwards. Dated 11th April, 1917.
W. Lucre (temp. Lieutenant). Dated 11th April, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

2/2024, R.S.M. W. R. S. Johnston. Dated 3rd April, 1917.
11/473, Gunner L. E. Grimstone. Dated 3rd April, 1917.
2/1236, Gunner L. J. Ivory. Dated 21st April, 1917.
2nd Lieutenant (temp. Lieutenant) T. J. Ennis relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant. Dated 10th March, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

Field Companies.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

P. St. J. Keenan (temp. Major).
F. W. Skelsey.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

N. Annabell.
F. C. Wilson.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

T. W. Dollimore.
G. V. Russell.
W. S. Rae.

Signal Units.

Captain J. H. Grover, N.Z.S.C., is transferred from Wellington Regiment, and appointed O.C. 4th N.Z. Infantry Brigade, Signal Section. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 15th April, 1917:—

4/562, Q.M.S. L. Moritzson.
4/508, Sergeant R. F. Ellis.

AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

The undermentioned are seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 27th March, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant F. J. Adeane.
2nd Lieutenant F. A. Ellis.
2nd Lieutenant D. Y. Gemmell.
2nd Lieutenant C. M. U. Prime.

The undermentioned to be Seconds in Command of Battalions:—

Major A. G. McKenzie, D.S.O. Dated 15th January, 1917.
Major E. H. Orr. Dated 14th February, 1917.
Major W. C. Sinel. Dated 3rd April, 1917.

Lieutenant C. H. Booth, from Quartermaster, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, Auckland-Wellington Regiments, to be Quartermaster, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, Auckland Regiment. Dated 15th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant J. F. Goulding to be Quartermaster, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant H. N. Clapham to be Lewis Gun Officer, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant D. W. McClurg, from Adjutant, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, Auckland-Wellington Regiments, to be Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, Auckland Regiment; dated 15th March, 1917. And relinquishes the appointment on posting to 3rd Battalion; dated 3rd April, 1917.

Captain J. B. MacFarlane to be Major. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 14th February, 1917:—

L. H. Gillett.
K. W. F. Wood.
C. L. Knight.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

J. E. H. Mewett. Dated 21st February, 1917.
R. F. Ward. Dated 3rd March, 1917.
W. D. Ruddock. Dated 15th March, 1917.
G. Dittmer. Dated 15th March, 1917.
G. B. Macmorran (temp. Captain). Dated 15th March, 1917.
J. Evans. Dated 15th March, 1917.
S. J. E. Closey, M.C. (temp. Captain). Dated 15th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant R. E. O. Coates to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Major (temp. Lieut.-Colonel) A. G. McKenzie, D.S.O., relinquishes the temporary command of a battalion and the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel, and resumes the appointment of second in command. Dated 2nd April, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) F. L. G. West relinquishes the temporary appointment of second in command of a battalion, but retains the temporary rank of Major. Dated 2nd April, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) A. C. Hubbard relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 2nd April, 1917.

CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

Colonel the Hon. G. J. Smith is seconded whilst employed as Second in Command, N.Z. Infantry Reserve Group. Dated 14th February, 1917.

The undermentioned are seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 27th March, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant G. Greig.
2nd Lieutenant R. E. B. Hopkirk.

Captain G. C. Dailey to be Staff Captain, 3rd N.Z. (Rifles) Brigade, and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 10th April, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Seconds in Command of Battalions. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

Major W. L. Robinson, N.Z.S.C.
Major N. F. Shepherd.

Lieutenant A. W. Wellstead to be Adjutant, 3rd Battalion, Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant H. M. Foster, from Adjutant, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, Canterbury-Otago Regiments, to be Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, Canterbury Regiment; dated 15th March, 1917. And relinquishes the appointment on being posted to 3rd Battalion; dated 30th March, 1917.

Lieutenant A. G. Bryan, from Quartermaster, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, Canterbury-Otago Regiments, to be Quartermaster, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, Canterbury Regiment. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant A. G. Bryan, from Quartermaster, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, to be Quartermaster, 3rd Battalion. Dated 30th March, 1917.

Lieutenant J. W. Langridge to be Lewis Gun Officer, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

R. Logan, N.Z.S.C.
R. A. R. Lawry.
N. F. Shepherd.
O. H. Mead.
F. Starnes, D.S.O.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

S. W. B. Brooker (temp. Captain).
J. R. Loudon.
M. J. Morrison (temp. Captain).
J. A. B. Le Mottee.
A. W. Duncan.
H. Campbell (temp. Captain).
L. L. T. Bush.
L. F. Jones.
E. J. Fawcett.
J. F. Tonkin.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

H. S. Gabites.	H. V. Jerred.
T. S. Gillies.	L. B. Hutton.
H. G. de F. Garland, M.C.	W. N. Elliott.
T. E. Y. Seddon.	P. J. Palmer.
S. Natusch.	F. W. French.
A. G. Dean.	W. E. Grant.
McK. Gibson (temp. Lieut.).	C. R. Rawlings.
F. J. Foord.	H. A. Woolf.
J. A. McQueen.	F. A. Anderson.
M. R. Walker (temp. Lieut.).	W. P. Thompson.
F. Richardson.	A. C. Wilson.
P. W. Smith.	D. Ferguson.
W. P. Bell.	W. F. Brothers.

OTAGO REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant E. G. Pilling ceases to be seconded for duty with a light trench mortar battery. Dated 11th April, 1917.

Lieutenant D. J. Walls is seconded for duty with a light trench mortar battery. Dated 11th April, 1917.

Major J. L. Saunders to command 4th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Seconds in Command of Battalions. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

Major J. B. McClymont.
Major J. McCrae.
Major J. Hargest, M.C.

Captain R. H. Nicholson to be Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Captain D. S. Chisholm to be Adjutant, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant K. J. McKenzie to be Quartermaster, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant A. G. Henderson, from Lewis Gun Officer, 1st Battalion, to be Lewis Gun Officer, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Captain W. H. S. Widdowson, M.C., to command 4th N.Z. Infantry Brigade, Light Trench Mortar Battery, and remains seconded whilst so employed. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

S. Rice.
J. McRae.
J. Hargest, M.C. (temp. Major).

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

W. H. S. Widdowson, M.C.
C. M. Littlejohn.
D. S. Chisholm.
J. Thompson (temp. Captain).
J. P. O'Sullivan.
L. Potter, N.Z.S.C.
C. Bryce.
E. F. Selby (temp. Captain).
C. H. Molloy.
F. R. K. Waring.

2nd Lieutenant N. H. Arden to be Captain. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

F. J. Earle.	A. J. Flux.
J. Hines.	D. W. McAlister.
G. W. Insley.	C. F. W. Rasmussen.
J. R. R. Leys.	G. Good.
E. G. Pilling.	T. M. Sim.
J. L. Scoullar.	E. A. Horan.
J. H. Irving.	F. C. Pascoe.
C. Parr.	S. J. Gilman.
S. G. McDonald.	G. Swan.
B. A. Rhodes.	C. D. Gabites.
J. F. Hursthouse.	

WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

The undermentioned cease to be seconded for duty at N.Z. Command Depot. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

Major J. L. Short.
Captain J. S. Mackay.

Lieutenant A. W. Thomas is transferred to N.Z. Engineers. Dated 13th April, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant W. H. Moore is transferred to N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 30th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant W. L. C. McLean is transferred to N.Z. Cyclist Corps. Dated 1st April, 1917.

The undermentioned are seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 27th March, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant R. L. Okey.
2nd Lieutenant J. Courtney.

The undermentioned to be Seconds in Command of Battalions. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

Major H. Holderness.
Major C. H. Weston.
Major J. L. Short.

Captain R. F. Gambrell to be Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant A. S. Muir to be Adjutant, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant W. H. D. Coltman to be Quartermaster, 3rd Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

F. S. Varnham.
J. N. Rauch.
B. H. Morison.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Dated 15th March, 1917:—

C. A. L. Treadwell (temp. Lieut.).	D. W. Curham.
J. T. Dallinger.	M. S. Galloway, M.C.
F. C. Chaytor.	R. Wood.
R. J. L. Thompson.	W. Pollock.
P. J. O'Dowd.	A. W. Thomas.
A. A. Browne.	H. E. Crosse.
	H. F. Arkwright.

Lieutenant F. H. E. Morgan is granted the temporary rank of Captain on resuming command of a light trench mortar battery. Dated 3rd April, 1917.

Captain R. W. Wrightson performed the duties of Staff Captain, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, from 17th February, 1917, to 3rd April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE.

Captain W. C. Drummond ceases to be seconded for duty in England, and is temporarily appointed to command 5th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned are transferred to the N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 30th March, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant K. G. Williams.
2nd Lieutenant L. M. Tansey.

2nd Lieutenant T. D. Barker is transferred to N.Z. Engineers (Field Companies). Dated 13th April, 1917.

The undermentioned are transferred to the units shown opposite their names. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

Major W. L. Robinson, N.Z.S.C., Canterbury Regiment.
Captain K. S. Caldwell, Otago Regiment.
Captain V. H. Baker, Auckland Regiment.
Lieutenant (temp. Captain) G. B. Macmorran, Auckland Regiment.
Lieutenant (temp. Captain) S. J. E. Closey, M.C., Auckland Regiment.

Lieutenant A. W. Smith, Auckland Regiment.
Lieutenant F. R. K. Waring, Otago Regiment.
Lieutenant H. W. Kennedy, Canterbury Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant N. H. Arden, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant J. Brown, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant H. D. Richardson, Auckland Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant H. E. Crosse, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant G. F. Bertrand, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant R. Goldsman, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant O. Magnuson, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant J. G. C. Wales, Canterbury Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant M. D. Rohan, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant L. L. King, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant J. N. Bullard, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant H. S. Kenrick, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant P. F. Armstrong, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant M. J. Scott, Canterbury Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant W. P. Aitken, Auckland Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant L. M. Fairbrother, Otago Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant R. M. Doughty, Wellington Regiment.
2nd Lieutenant J. K. Moloney, Canterbury Regiment.

The undermentioned are seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 27th March, 1917:—

2nd Lieutenant N. G. Parker.
2nd Lieutenant S. A. C. Darby.
2nd Lieutenant N. N. Fraser.

Major G. E. Simeon relinquishes the appointment of Quartermaster, 1st Battalion, and is seconded for duty as Quartermaster, N.Z. Command Depot. Dated 10th April, 1917.

Lieutenant P. E. A. Salmon to be Quartermaster, 1st Battalion. Dated 10th April, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant J. L. H. Kayes to be Lewis Gun Officer, 1st Battalion. Dated 30th December, 1916.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

J. R. Cowles, M.C. (temp. Major).
C. K. Gasquoine.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

E. J. Brammall.
J. Chivers.
B. McLeod (temp. Captain).
K. R. J. Saxon.
N. S. Johnson.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 15th March, 1917:—

N. Angus.	C. E. Bridge.
A. L. Martin, M.C.	C. L. Mullaney.
E. F. J. Reeves.	C. D. P. Topliss.
L. A. J. Emery (temp. Captain).	A. S. Reid.
W. A. Gray, M.C.	J. G. Greenwood.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—
 A. J. Price. Dated 1st November, 1916.
 L. I. Manning. Dated 8th April, 1917.
 E. B. Tustin. Dated 12th April, 1917.

Major E. Puttick is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lieutenant-Colonel C. W. Melville, D.S.O., p.s.c., N.Z.S.C., temporarily commanding 2nd N.Z. Infantry Brigade from 18th January, 1917, to 22nd February, 1917.

The notification published in the *N.Z. Gazette* No. 98, of 14th June, 1917, relating to 2nd Lieutenants N. Angus and L. A. J. Emery, is cancelled.

NEW ZEALAND PIONEER BATTALION.

9/908, Corporal J. D. Cameron to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1917.

Captain L. J. Gibbs is seconded for duty as Divisional Salvage Officer. Dated 6th April, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

J. P. Ferris. Dated 15th March, 1917.
 C. le F. Young. Dated 15th March, 1917.
 W. H. Stainton, M.C. Dated 6th April, 1917.
 J. C. Tikao. Dated 6th April, 1917.
 H. Wilson. Dated 6th April, 1917.
 T. Hiroti, M.C. (temp. Captain). Dated 6th April, 1917.
 H. D. Dansey. Dated 6th April, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 6th April, 1917 :—

A. Macdonald.
 G. A. Fromm.
 H. Karaiti.
 T. R. Overton.

NEW ZEALAND MACHINE-GUN CORPS.

Captain L. M. Inglis, M.C., to be O.C. No. 4 Machine-gun Company. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Captain R. D. Hardie to be Major. Dated 26th March, 1917.
 Lieutenant (temp. Captain) R. P. Harper to be Captain. Dated 24th February, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains :—

H. H. Hayhurst (temp. Captain). Dated 15th March, 1917.
 C. S. Geddis. Dated 15th March, 1917.
 R. G. Gallien. Dated 26th March, 1917.
 2nd Lieutenant W. R. Proffit to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st January, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 15th March, 1917 :—

D. E. Batchelar (temp. Lieutenant).
 P. D. Russell (temp. Lieutenant).
 A. C. Hinman (temp. Captain), and retains the temporary rank of Captain.
 E. Goodwin.
 H. W. Shackelford.
 W. J. Reid.
 B. Palmes.

2nd Lieutenant A. B. Fordyce to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th March, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 14th April, 1917 :—

25/57, C.S.M. J. Carswell.
 23/137, Sergeant C. F. Forsdick.
 8/128, Sergeant A. Young.
 12/2528, Sergeant C. H. Marks.
 6/1838, Sergeant E. Farrell.
 8/3152, Sergeant C. V. Mark.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 20th April, 1917 :—

6/51, C.S.M. J. B. Grey.
 11/783, S. Sergeant J. Knowles.
 9/556, Q.M.S. L. A. Hill.
 23/1159, Sergeant A. W. Reynolds.
 26/93, Sergeant C. V. Ciochetto.
 4/162, Sergeant W. G. Bartlett.
 24/1232, Sergeant D. O. Williams.
 9/245, Sergeant J. Black.
 12/2609, Sergeant R. D. Boyes.
 23/36, Sergeant P. J. Clark.
 6/1917, Corporal D. R. McLean.
 11/649, Private G. N. Bramley.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

2nd Lieutenant V. J. Cornaga, from Quartermaster, N.Z. Command Depot, to be Supply Officer, N.Z. Command Depot. Dated 10th April, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant J. H. Sharp is seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 27th March, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) J. Temple to be Captain. Dated 15th March, 1917.

Lieutenant J. D. Swan to be Captain, and to command No. 4 Company, N.Z.A.S.C. Dated 15th March, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants :—
 J. M. Power. Dated 23rd February, 1917.
 W. R. Dick. Dated 15th March, 1917.
 14/91, C.S.M. (temp. Warrant Officer, Class 1).

P. G. Ford to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 9th April, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Doctor H. P. W. White, M.B., F.R.C.S., attested in England, is taken on the strength, with rank of Captain. Dated 18th April, 1917.

Major A. R. L. D. Carbery, F.R.C.S., relinquishes the appointment of D.A.D.M.S., N.Z. Division, on being posted command a Section of No. 4 N.Z. Field Ambulance. Dated 20th April, 1917.

Major A. V. Short, M.B., to be D.A.D.M.S., N.Z. Division. Dated 20th April, 1917.

3/269, S.S.M. F. W. Moor to be Lieutenant, and is appointed Quartermaster, No. 4 N.Z. Field Ambulance. Dated 15th March, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND DENTAL CORPS.

Captain B. S. Finn, D.S.O., to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1917.

3/982, Sergeant C. H. Bourke to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th March, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend J. J. McMenamin, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class (since killed in action), to be Chaplain to the Forces, 3rd Class.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 15th March, 1917 :—

12/1025, C.S.M. (Acting Sub-Conductor) W. H. D. Colman.
 12/736, Sergeant (temp. C.S.M.) J. F. Goulding.

J. ALLEN,
 Minister of Defence.

Appointments of Officers of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force to the Unattached List (b), General List.

Department of Defence,
 Wellington, 1st October, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned appointments of officers of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force to the Unattached List (b), General List :—

UNATTACHED LIST (b), GENERAL LIST.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants :—

Corporal John Dobson Dryden. Dated 15th January, 1915.

Lance-Corporal Maurice George Robert Newbould. Dated 2nd February, 1915.

Sergeant Ralph John Black. Dated 10th February, 1915.

Sergeant Philip John Ellis. Dated 5th March, 1915.

Company Sergeant-major Philip Hamilton Harper. Dated 13th March, 1915.

Sergeant Charles Buchanan Dick-Clelland. Dated 13th March, 1915.

Sergeant Norman Joseph Levien. Dated 3rd April, 1915.

Company Sergeant-major William Hutahi Walker. Dated 3rd April, 1915.

Sergeant John Charles Tikao. Dated 3rd April, 1915.

Sergeant Stuart Graham Templeton Reid. Dated 5th May, 1915.

Sergeant Richard Frederick Ward. Dated 5th May, 1915.

Sergeant Eric Mountjoy Burnard. Dated 5th May, 1915.

Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Alan Wilson Duncan. Dated 5th May, 1915.

Sergeant John McPherson. Dated 5th May, 1915.

Sergeant Alexander Smith Falconer. Dated 5th May, 1915.

Corporal James Hawthorne Gray. Dated 5th May, 1915.

Sergeant Clarence Taylor Coburne. Dated 19th May, 1915.

Sergeant Arthur Desmond Herrick. Dated 30th May, 1915.

Sergeant Ralph Fitz-Roger Beetham. Dated 30th May, 1915.

Sergeant George Dittmer. Dated 31st May, 1915.

Sergeant Leslie Champion. Dated 31st May, 1915.

Sergeant Charles Wallace Saunders. Dated 17th June, 1915.

Sergeant Cedric Whitby Salmon. Dated 26th June, 1915.

Sergeant Raymond Curtis. Dated 7th July, 1915.

Sergeant-major Harold Richards. Dated 19th July, 1915.
Sergeant James Girdwood McKenzie. Dated 26th July, 1915.

Sergeant Spencer Boscawen. Dated 26th July, 1915.
Sergeant Ernest Francis Hilary Knowles. Dated 26th July, 1915.

Sergeant John Bright. Dated 28th July, 1915.
Company Sergeant-major Ernest Frank Selby. Dated 7th August, 1915.

Sergeant George Henry Holland. Dated 8th August, 1915.

Sergeant Robert McPherson. Dated 25th August, 1915.
Battery Sergeant-major Charles Woods. Dated 25th August, 1915.

Sergeant Horace William Newman. Dated 30th August, 1915.

Sergeant Frank Lawton Hindlay. Dated 4th September, 1915.

Company Sergeant-major Harry Archer Potvine. Dated 14th September, 1915.

Sergeant Archibald Campbell Macdonald. Dated 25th September, 1915.

Corporal Gerald Lyon. Dated 28th September, 1915.

Bombardier Lancelot Lewin. Dated 30th September, 1915.

Sergeant Henry Norman Webster. Dated 31st September, 1915.

To date from 21st October, 1915 :—

Staff Sergeant-major Frank Allsopp.
Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant Vernon Clifton Bigg-Withers.

Staff Sergeant-major William Henry Coates.
Sergeant Arthur Charles Hinman.
Regimental Sergeant-major Gerald Lomax Stedman.

Sergeant Duncan Bain Murchison.

Sergeant Robert Paul Harper.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Andrew Anderson.

Sergeant Stanley Gordon Guthrie.

Sergeant Dudley Eric Batchelor.

Corporal Edward Gordon Williams.

Sergeant Caro James Pierce.

Sergeant Cecil Howard Melbon Allison.

Corporal Arthur Lifford Oliver Hewitt.

Sergeant Ian Barton Cruickshank.

Sergeant Edward Stewart Fossett.

Sergeant William Gordon Lyons.

Sergeant Charles Bertram Easther.

Sapper Abraham Hall.

Sergeant-major Edward Leven.

Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Thomas Wyville Leonard Rutherford.

Company Sergeant-major John Worrel Langridge.

Sergeant James Edward Biggar.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Albert Arthur Chapman.

Sergeant Philip Dorham Russell.

Sergeant Ernest Richard Black.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Augustus Philip McCormac.

Sergeant Henry Ray Vercoe. Dated 15th November, 1915.

Sergeant Alfred James Bond. Dated 19th January, 1916.

Sergeant-major (W.O.) Ralph James Lander Thompson. Dated 1st February, 1916.

Sergeant Joseph Augustus Haydon. Dated 14th February, 1916.

Sergeant William Stewart Rae. Dated 15th February, 1916.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Charles Wynne Chilcott. Dated 15th February, 1916.

To date from 1st March, 1916 :—

Sergeant-major John Mortimer Trevor Downey.

Battery Sergeant-major Edward Russ Winkler.

Sergeant-major Frederick Charles Sear.

Sergeant-major Henry Tasman Jones.

Sergeant Charles Joseph Knight Edwards.

Sergeant-major William John Hicks.

Regimental Sergeant-major Benjamin Dennitts Smith.

Battery Sergeant-major Leonard Stuart Carmichael.

Battery Sergeant-major Robert Forster Vial.

Regimental Sergeant-major Daniel Myers Eckhoff.

Sergeant Ronald Grenville Vernon.

Sergeant William Ernest Roland Warren.

Sergeant Charles Boswell.

Corporal Valentine Stocker.

Corporal Leonard Sydney Davis.

Quartermaster-Sergeant Alfred Onslow Glasse.

Sergeant William John Reid.

Sergeant Bryan Palmes.

Sergeant Andrew Bruce Fordyce.

Regimental Sergeant-major Albert Robert Cyril Smart.

Regimental Sergeant-major David Thomas.

Company Sergeant-major Claude Allan.

Company Sergeant-major Norman Eric Walker.

Sergeant Robert Tilsley.

Company Sergeant-major John Wesley Cobb.

Sergeant Samuel Thomas Seddon.

Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant Athol Richard McIsaac.

Sergeant Malcolm Scott Galloway.

Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Robert Wood.

Company Sergeant-major William Pollock.

Sergeant Daniel William Curham.

Trooper Edmund Leo Malone.

Sergeant Stanley Natusch.

Sergeant Arthur Gordon Dean.

Sergeant McKenzie Gibson.

Quartermaster-Sergeant John Frederick Foord.

Sergeant Roy Percival Herman.

Acting Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant Nathaniel Charles Swinard.

Company Sergeant-major Francis Clive Ramsden Upton.

Company Sergeant-major Mervyn Roy Walker.

Sergeant-major Frederick George McKee.

Sergeant Archie Gordon Henderson.

Acting Company Sergeant-major Dominic Joseph Walls.

Sergeant George Masters.

Corporal (temp. Sergeant) Lestock Henry Reid.

Sergeant-major Robert Thomas George Patrick. Dated 8th March, 1916.

Sergeant-major Jack Lister Braithwaite. Dated 11th May, 1916.

Corporal John Kenneth Edward Jackson. Dated 12th May, 1916.

Lance-Corporal Wilfred Bryan Fitchett. Dated 13th May, 1916.

Trooper Alfred James Swayne. Dated 13th May, 1916.

Regimental Sergeant-major Roland Justice Hill. Dated 20th May, 1916.

Sergeant Harding Leaf. Dated 21st May, 1916.

Regimental Sergeant-major Alfred John Williams. Dated 1st June, 1916.

Sergeant Sydney Victor Paul. Dated 16th June, 1916.

Sergeant Edward Robert Victor Petrie. Dated 27th June, 1916.

Sergeant Frank Jones. Dated 27th June, 1916.

Sergeant-major Gordon Hovey. Dated 28th June, 1916.

Sergeant Cuthbert Parr. Dated 1st July, 1916.

Staff Sergeant Stewart Gordon McDonald. Dated 1st July, 1916.

Company Sergeant-major John McKee. Dated 2nd July, 1916.

Sergeant Ralph Henry Jackson. Dated 2nd July, 1916.

Sergeant Alfred Thurlow Leeds. Dated 2nd July, 1916.

Corporal Gilbert Hamilton McMeeking. Dated 2nd July, 1916.

Sergeant-major John Joseph Moore. Dated 7th July, 1916.

Sergeant-major Samuel George Browne. Dated 7th July, 1916.

Corporal Harold Gilbert Alexander. Dated 7th July, 1916.

Sergeant-major Albert George Wainscott. Dated 7th July, 1916.

Regimental Sergeant-major Maurice Archibald Stedman. Dated 12th July, 1916.

Staff Sergeant-major Gilbert Edward Jago. Dated 15th July, 1916.

Sergeant David Arthur Lusk. Dated 15th July, 1916.

Sergeant Alexander John Black. Dated 15th July, 1916.

Sergeant Leslie Alic Craven. Dated 15th July, 1916.

Battery Sergeant-major Francis Leslie Chapman. Dated 24th July, 1916.

Battery Sergeant-major Balfour Nixon. Dated 24th July, 1916.

Sergeant William Nicholas Sievers. Dated 24th July, 1916.

Sergeant George Reginald Park. Dated 24th July, 1916.

Sergeant Harold Speight. Dated 24th July, 1916.

Sergeant William Fenwick Brothers. Dated 24th July, 1916.

Sergeant Magnus Earle Johnson. Dated 9th August, 1916.

Staff Sergeant-major Leonard Parkinson. Dated 9th August, 1916.

Regimental Sergeant-major Thomas James Denton. Dated 9th August, 1916.

Sergeant John Tennant. Dated 9th August, 1916.

To date from 26th August, 1916 :—

Sergeant Frank Moyes Mitchell.

Sergeant Reginald Edward Looker.

Sergeant Guy Bridgeman.

Sergeant-major Harold Hogg.

Sergeant-major Herbert Tipping.

Sergeant-major Edward John Leslie Hewitt.

Sergeant-major George Albert Tuck.

Sergeant Frank Ezehill McKenzie.

Regimental Sergeant-major Harold Alfred William Gray.

Sergeant-major Charles Edward Collins Morgan.
 Company Sergeant-major Robert Kenneth Nicol.
 Company Sergeant-major Frank Farrington.
 Company Sergeant-major John Walker.
 Sergeant Frederick Stewart.
 Sergeant-major Robert Lemuale Wilson.
 Sergeant-major William Moyses Hocking.
 Sergeant-major James Meffen Barton.
 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Ernest Thorwall Stout.
 Regimental Quartermaster - Sergeant Frederick Coates Pascoe.
 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Samuel Joseph Gilman.
 Sergeant George Swan.
 Sergeant Cyril Douglas Gabites.
 Sergeant John Alexander Gow.
 Sergeant James Henry Catchpole.
 Sergeant Kenneth Scott.
 Sergeant David McAuley.
 Sergeant William Alexander French.
 Sergeant Gavin Douglas Alexander.
 Staff Sergeant-major Norman Alfred Arthur. Dated 11th September, 1916.
 Bombardier Bernard Campbell Jeffreys. Dated 26th September, 1916.
 Regimental Sergeant-major Arthur Cyril Purves Hay. Dated 2nd October, 1916.
 Sergeant - major John George Rickleton. Dated 8th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Alan Herbert Vial. Dated 8th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Alfred James White. Dated 15th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Robert Dean Douglas. Dated 15th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Jesse Rodgers. Dated 15th October, 1916.
 Sergeant George Richardson. Dated 15th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Andrew Hannah. Dated 15th October, 1916.
 Acting Sergeant Arthur Weldon Easter. Dated 16th October, 1916.
 Sergeant William Andrew Knox. Dated 16th October, 1916.
 Corporal Royden Nelson. Dated 16th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Alfred John Coutts. Dated 16th October, 1916.
 Company Sergeant-major Frederick Comer. Dated 16th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Frederick Wilson. Dated 16th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Reginald William Dancey. Dated 21st October, 1916.
 Sergeant Alfred Edward Esquilant. Dated 21st October, 1916.
 Sergeant Charles Ronald McKenzie. Dated 22nd October, 1916.
 Sergeant John Lumley. Dated 22nd October, 1916.
 Regimental Sergeant - major George Henry Elstone. Dated 29th October, 1916.
 Corporal Ralph Erskine Hewat. Dated 30th October, 1916.
 Sergeant Frederick George McAuley. Dated 2nd November, 1916.
 Sergeant - major Victor Edward Adolph. Dated 26th November, 1916.
 Sergeant Horace Vincent Byrne Speight. Dated 27th November, 1916.
 Sergeant James Watt Fraser. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Corporal Edgar Charles Darfield Withell. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Corporal George Patrick Hanna. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Bombardier Hubert Eric Standring. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Corporal Stanley Morton Lang. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Corporal Samuel Oliver. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Company Sergeant-major Geoffrey Albert Lodder McLean. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Private Augustus Ofa Talau Chamberlain. Dated 4th December, 1916.
 Sergeant Harry Aloysius Lockington. Dated 8th December, 1916.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant Victor Joseph Cornaga. Dated 13th December, 1916.
 Lance - Corporal Arthur Lusk. Dated 23rd December, 1916.
 Corporal Malcolm Keith Draffin. Dated 23rd December, 1916.
 Company Quartermaster - Sergeant Paki Hoami Mete Kingi. Dated 1st January, 1917.
 Sergeant Tupa Rotoatara. Dated 1st January, 1917.
 Sergeant Richard John Kemp. Dated 1st January, 1917.
 Staff Sergeant-major Walter Cobb. Dated 1st January, 1917.
 Regimental Sergeant - major Gordon Richard Western. Dated 12th January, 1917.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant Alfred Owen Wilkinson. Dated 13th January, 1917.

Sergeant John Mayer. Dated 13th January, 1917.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant William Henry Moore. Dated 15th January, 1917.
 Sergeant Frederick Walter Watson. Dated 15th January, 1917.
 Staff Sergeant Samuel Charles Beasley. Dated 15th January, 1917.
 Sergeant Lindsay Allan. Dated 15th January, 1917.
 Sergeant Albert Irving Flett. Dated 19th January, 1917.
 Private John Qarton. Dated 24th January, 1917.
 Conductor Charles Ingram Gossage. Dated 24th January, 1917.
 Bombardier Leonard Widlake Dean. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Sergeant Edward Haywood Crawford. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Corporal Arnold Lorie. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Corporal Angus William Gordon. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Regimental Sergeant - major Francis Norman Hardy. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant Keith De Maus. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Sergeant David Leeden. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Corporal Allan Richmond Cockerell. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Sergeant Sidney Francis Burgess. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Corporal Gordon Hamilton Roach. Dated 25th January, 1917.
 Sergeant Harry Arthur Foote. Dated 27th January, 1917.
 2nd Lieutenant Stanley Owen Burleigh. Dated 16th February, 1917.
 Company Sergeant-major W. M. Arcus. Dated 16th February, 1917.
 Corporal Lionel Godfrey Michaels. Dated 16th February, 1917.
 Sapper Norman Brindley. Dated 16th February, 1917.
 Staff Sergeant Justin Francis Huntly McCarthy. Dated 24th February, 1917.
 Sergeant Henry Benson. Dated 1st March, 1917.
 Staff Sergeant-major Ernest Horton Picot. Dated 1st March, 1917.
 Corporal Arnold Colquhoun de Latour. Dated 3rd March, 1917.
 Gunner Francis Hastings Grace. Dated 3rd March, 1917.
 Staff Sergeant-major Robert Burn. Dated 17th March, 1917.
 Sergeant Donald McGregor Reid. Dated 22nd March, 1917.

To date from 27th March, 1917 :-

Company Sergeant-major Charles Martin Uttley Prime.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant Frank Justin Adeane.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant Frederick Allen Ellis.
 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Andrew Verner Peace.
 Sergeant John Spink Hudson.
 Company Sergeant-major George Greig.
 Quartermaster-Sergeant Robert Erriton Burch Hopkirk.
 Sergeant Max Clarke.
 Corporal Thomas Glasse.
 Rifleman Arthur Osborne Ponder.
 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant William Russell.
 Sergeant Frederick William McKay.
 Sergeant George Riddell.
 Regimental Sergeant-major Royden Lydiard Okey.
 Sergeant James Courtney.
 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Thomas Henry Crawford.
 Lance-Corporal Walter Lorne Campbell McLean.
 Sergeant-major Norman Gifford Parker.
 Company Sergeant-major Robert Blackwood Steele.
 Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Ernest Duncan McRae.
 Lance-Corporal Berkeley Phelps Hopkins.
 Staff Sergeant-major John Henry Sharp.

J. ALLEN,
 Minister of Defence.

Award of Meritorious-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
 Wellington, 27th September, 1917.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve, in accordance with paragraph 12, Appendix IX, Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, 1913, of the award of the Meritorious-service Medal to

Staff Sergeant-major ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, New Zealand Permanent Staff.

J. ALLEN,
 Minister of Defence.

Notice of Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, &c.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 3rd September, 1917.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 60 of the Public Service Act, 1912, the Public Service Commissioner notifies that he has made the following appointments to, and promotions, transfers, &c., in, the Public Service.

P. VERSCHAFFELT, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date of Appointment.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.			
Bell, John Malcolmson	Relieving Cadet	Dunedin	13 July, 1916.
Bennett, William Elliott	"	Christchurch	20 " "
Brooke-Taylor, Arthur Howard	"	Wellington	10 " "
Mackay, John	Messenger	Dunedin	10 " "
Phillips, Trevor James	Relieving Cadet	Auckland	17 " "
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Bremner, Esther Pearl Nellie Noeline	Assistant Teacher	Arowhenua Native School ..	3 May, 1916.
Bremner, Hannah Adelaide Ann ..	Head Teacher	"	1 " "
Bullivant, Claude Albany Leopold ..	Storeman Attendant	Boys' Training Farm, Nelson	1 Dec., 1915.
Bush, Margaret Richmond	Assistant Teacher	Kakanui Native School ..	17 July, 1916
Clark, William Mollison	"	Pukepoto Native School ..	1 Feb., "
Clough, Doris Emily	"	Oruanui Native School ..	14 Aug., "
Gore-Martin, Mab Isabel	Instructress and Teacher of Physical Training	Christchurch	8 July, "
Puha, Jane	Third Assistant Teacher	Te Araroa Native School ..	6 Mar., "
Williams, Catherin Bernice Olga ..	"	Ahipara Native School ..	22 Feb., "
Wright, Rebecca (Mrs.)	Assistant Teacher	Te Reinga Native School ..	12 July, "
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Choat, Arthur Leslie	Cadet	Head Office, Wellington ..	10 July, 1916.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Carr, Vivian Ernest John	Motor-cycle Messenger	Auckland	3 July, 1916.
Junker, Francis Arnold	Cadet	Registrar - General's Office, Wellington	3 " "
McInnes, Bertha Emma	Cutter	Advertising Office, Wellington	8 " "
Metcalf, Harold	Junior Messenger	Christchurch	24 " "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT (RELIEVING-STAFF).			
Millier, Ethel Weir	Shorthand-writer and Typist	Wellington	6 Sept., "
Richards, Ethel Mary	"	Christchurch	1 July, "
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.			
Dowling, Leonard Frederick	Cadet in Courts	Wanganui	4 July, 1916.
Graham, Eric Robilliard	Relieving Cadet	Magistrate's Court, Oamaru	1 " "
Quinn, Charles	Warder	H.M. Prison, Wellington ..	1 Aug., 1915.
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.			
Ellis, Alex Corbet	Cadet	Wellington	19 July, 1916.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Burrell, Vincent George Braithwaite	Draughting Cadet	Auckland	13 June, 1916.
Cameron, Jean Fleming Adam	Cadette	"	28 " "
Cox, Clifford Lomas	" Cadet	"	19 " "
Dent, Wilfred George	Relieving Cadet (Clerical)	"	7 Sept., "
Greig, David Masson	Draughting Cadet	Invercargill	10 July, "
Langlands, Mabel	" Cadette	Auckland	19 June, "
Martin, George Thomas	Crown Lands Ranger	Invercargill	1 Jan., 1915.
McKenzie, Lester James	Draughting Cadet	Auckland	1 July, 1916.
Sheppard, Thomas Barrow	"	Invercargill	1 " "
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.			
Burns, Percy Carpenter Turner	Assistant Keeper	Farewell Spit Lighthouse ..	3 May, 1916.
MINES DEPARTMENT.			
Downey, John Francis	Inspector of Mines	Wellington	1 Sept., 1916.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Bullick, Thomas	Attendant, Mental Hospital	Porirua	1 Nov., 1915.
Dallow, William Champion	"	"	1 " "
Tyrer, Henry Dixon	"	"	20 Oct., "
Watson, Thomas	"	"	1 Nov., 1915.
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.			
McKinnon, Lachlan	Relieving Cadet	Head Office, Wellington ..	26 Feb., 1916.
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.			
Adams, Harold George Leslie	Telegraph Message-boy	Kawakawa	21 Aug., 1916.
Amouri, Elias	"	Dunedin	24 " "
Barnes, Henry James	"	Christchurch	18 " "
Barriball, Robin Redvers	"	Waiuku	28 July, "
Barron, Walter	Lineman	Wellington	1 June, "
Bell, Thomas Avery	Telegraph Message-boy	Gisborne	8 Aug., "
Bicknell, Geoffrey William	"	Greytown	10 " "
Blake, Robert George Frederick	"	Greymouth	10 " "
Blomfield, Carl William	Cadet	General Post Office, Welling- ton	31 July, "
Brocket, James Frederick	Telegraph Message-boy	Kurow	6 Mar., "

FIRST APPOINTMENTS—*continued.*

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date of Appointment.
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>			
Buckley, Edward William	Telegraph Message-boy	Rangiora	21 July, 1916.
Burke, Leslie Thomas	"	Dargaville	8 Nov., 1915.
Caithness, Alexander Albert	"	Timaru	10 April, 1916.
Cameron, Hugh	Second Cable Hand	Wellington	1 June, "
Clarkson, Ronald Steve	Telegraph Message-boy	Dunedin	1 July, "
Claude, Susan Ursula	Postmistress	Whangaroa	6 " "
Coad, Norman Ambrose	Telegraph Message-boy	Gisborne	14 April, "
Cooper, Leslie John	"	Wellington	21 Aug., "
Daniels, Herbert	"	Auckland	27 Mar., "
Eaves, Herbert Charles	Cadet	General Post Office, Wellington	1 Aug., "
Evans, Charles Owen	Telegraph Message-boy	Raetihi	1 " "
Fleming, Kate	Assistant Despatch Clerk	New Plymouth	10 Nov., 1915.
Ford, George Kingscote	Cadet	General Post Office, Wellington	20 June, 1916.
Fort, Herbert Robinson	Telegraph Message-boy	Auckland	8 Aug., "
Fothergill, John	"	Upper Hutt	3 April, "
Fuller, Wilfred Jack	"	Lincoln	31 July, "
Henderson, William Charles	"	Auckland	20 Mar., "
Higgins, Thomas Francis	"	Green Lane	22 Aug., "
Hope, Albert Alexander Thomas	Mechanician	Wellington	10 April, "
Humphreys, Allen Henry Shakespeare	Telegraph Message-boy	Eltham	1 " "
Kay, Robert	Lineman	Dunedin	1 June, "
Kelly, Norman Joseph	Telegraph Message-boy	"	11 Aug., "
Kendrick, Ivan	"	Marton Junction	1 " "
Kerr, Albert James	"	Te Puke	28 June, "
King, Cecil Clarence Holt	"	Milton	12 " "
Knowles, John	Lineman	Wellington	1 " "
Lear, William Edward	Telegraph Message-boy	Island Bay	22 May, "
McGregor, Allan Stewart	"	Tauranga	12 Aug., "
McIver, Malcolm Alexander	"	Duntroon	6 April, "
McKain, Eleanor Elizabeth	Telegraph Messenger	Mohaka	5 Aug., "
McKain, Frederick James Dunmore	Telegraph Message-boy	Papakura	14 " "
Markland, Wright William	Mechanician	Wellington	1 July, "
Mills, William Albert	Telegraph Message-boy	Ohingaiti	25 June, "
Morrison, William	Lineman Storeman	Invercargill	20 May, "
Murphy, Arthur Wallace	Telegraph Message-boy	Dunedin	1 " "
Neville, Thomas Edward Joseph	Lineman	Invercargill	1 June, "
Ogier, William	Telegraph Message-boy	Carterton	12 " "
Palmer, Herbert James Alexander	"	Dunedin	31 July, "
Paul, Frank Flemington	"	Marton Junction	21 Aug., "
Power, Leonard Harry John	Cadet	General Post Office, Wellington	31 July, "
Presland, Ivan Val	Telegraph Message-boy	Gisborne	7 Aug., "
Prince, Frederick Carlton Liddell	"	Wellington	1 " "
Purves, John	Lineman	"	1 June, "
Quigg, Henry John	"	Dunedin	1 " "
Richards, Joseph William	Telegraph Message-boy	Christchurch	1 Aug., "
Ridge, Ronald	"	Petone	10 Nov., 1915.
Rillstone, Charles Edward	Lineman	Dunedin	1 June, 1916.
Robinson, Henry Roberts	Telegraph Message-boy	Wanganui	24 July, "
Rusden, Nicholas Bertram Harold	Letter-carrier	Auckland	1 May, "
Shepherd, Francis William	Lineman	Dunedin	1 June, "
Silcock, William	Telegraph Message-boy	Westport	31 July, "
Stewart, Jeanie	Telegraphist	Dunedin	1 " "
Thessman, Frank Malcolm	Telegraph Message-boy	Palmerston North	22 Aug., "
Thomson, John Kenneth	"	Greymouth	7 " "
Turnbull, William Thomas Swingland	"	Wellington	1 " "
Walsh, George Augustus	Cadet	General Post Office, Wellington	24 July, "
Warren, Alfred Nicholas	Telegraph Message-boy	Christchurch	27 " "
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Ballantyne, Jessie Archibald	Staff Nurse	Townley St. Helens Hospital, Gisborne	6 Mar., 1916.
Humphreys, George Matthew	Engineer	Te Waikato Sanatorium, Cambridge	25 Aug., "
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Gundry, Frank Murray	Cadet	Christchurch	24 July, 1916.
Humphrey, Cyril Ernest	Search Clerk	Auckland	1 Sept., "
Macpherson, Marion	Shorthand-writer and Typist	Invercargill	19 June, "
Osmers, Eric Alfred	Cadet	Wellington	21 Aug., "
Robertson, Harold Thomas Dalziel	"	"	26 June, "
Sincock, Edwin Delbridge	"	Christchurch	25 July, "
Watson, Madge	Shorthand-writer and Typist	Auckland	27 June, "
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Hutton, Caroline Montague Scott	Draughtswoman	Head Office, Wellington	1 Sept., 1916.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.			
Bath, Fred	Gardener	Te Aroha	14 July, 1916.
Hall, Agnes Manutawhiarangi	Laundress	Rotorua	1 Sept., "

OFFICERS PROMOTED.

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Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE, INDUSTRIES, AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.					
thews, Charles Robert..	Caretaker	Veterinary Laboratory, Wallaceville	Meat Inspector	Ngahauranga	1 Feb., 1917.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Guest, Frances Lilian	2nd Assistant Teacher	Tuhara Native School	Second Assistant Teacher	Nuhaka Native School	1 Mar., 1917.
Jamison, Mary	Head Teacher	Te Huruhi Native School	Head Teacher	Rangitahi Native School	1 " " "
West, Mrs. Annie Maud Westropp	Assistant Teacher	Te Horo Native School	Assistant Teacher	Waitahunui Native School	19 Feb., 1917.
West, William Edward	Head Teacher	"	Head Teacher	"	19 " "
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.					
Bentley, Ina Adelaide	Shorthand-writer and Typist	Wellington	Clerk	Wellington	19 Feb., 1917.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Cathcart, William	Messenger, 2nd Grade	Wellington	Messenger (1st Grade)	Wellington	1 Feb., 1917.
Smith, James Robert	Night-watchman, 2nd Grade	"	Night-watchman (1st Grade)	"	1 " "
Tighe, Francis William	Messenger, 2nd Grade	"	Messenger (1st Grade)	"	1 " "
Watts, William Edwin	"	"	"	"	1 " "
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.					
Anderson, Archibald	Telegraph Message-boy	Thames	Assistant and Messenger	Te Aroha	20 Feb., 1917.
Anderson, Arthur McClelland	"	Otaki	Cadet	G.P.O., Wellington	26 " "
Armstrong, Benjamin Murray	Letter-carrier	Waverley	"	Ohakune	26 Jan., "
Baigent, Donal Fleetham	Telegraph Message-boy	Wakefield	Junior Exchange Clerk	Takaka	19 Feb., "
Baker, George Arthur	"	Kilbirnie	Letter-carrier	Wellington	5 " "
Bannister, Arthur James	"	Stratford	Messenger	Stratford	31 Jan., "
Batchelor, Willie	Letter-carrier	Waimate	Cadet	Waimate	26 " "
Bayliss, Baden Powell	Telegraph Message-boy	Carterton	Letter-carrier	Carterton	7 Feb., "
Bennett, Arnold Campbell	"	Ponsonby	"	Onehunga	19 Jan., "
Bennington, Francis Taylor	Cadet	C.P.O., Auckland	Clerk	C.P.O., Auckland	10 July, 1913.
Benson, John Bernard Patrick Joseph	Junior Carpenter (Class G. 13)	G.P.O., Wellington	Carpenter (Class G. 11)	G.P.O., Wellington	4 Dec., 1916.
Black, Egbert John	Letter-carrier	Wanganui	Cadet	Te Aro	19 Jan., 1917.
Blackbourn, William Robert Moorhead	Junior Exchange Clerk	Te Kuiti	"	Marton	26 " "
Boyens, Ivan Cecil	Telegraph Message-boy	Pahiatua	Letter-carrier	Pahiatua	1 Feb., "
Brabant, Harry Ernest	Messenger	Palmerston North	Cadet	Palmerston North	1 Dec., 1915.
Brock, Ernest Cyril	Telegraph Message-boy	Paeroa	Assistant and Messenger	Te Aroha	17 Jan., 1917.
Brunton, James	Letter-carrier	Birkenhead	Cadet	C.P.O., Auckland	21 Feb., "
Burne, Sydney Joseph Birchley	Telegraph Message-boy	Kimbolton	Junior Exchange Clerk	Foxton	23 " "
Campbell, Alexander Hugh	Sub-Telegraph Engineer	G.P.O., Wellington	Assistant Telegraph Engineer	Christchurch	5 Dec., 1916.
Campbell, John Tavendale	Letter-carrier (Class G. 13)	Wellington	Letter-carrier (Class G. 12)	Wellington	13 Mar., 1917.
Carvell, Arthur John	Telegraph Message-boy	Aramoho	Messenger	Wanganui	21 Feb., "

OFFICERS PROMOTED—continued.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—continued.					
Casbolt, George David ..	Letter-carrier ..	Devonport ..	Cadet ..	Devonport ..	1 June, 1915.
Church, William Thomas ..	Letter-carrier (Class G. 13)	Auckland ..	Letter-carrier (Class G. 12)	Auckland ..	6 Jan., 1917.
Cotter, James ..	"	Wellington ..	"	Wellington ..	15 May, 1916.
Facer, John Henry ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Manaia ..	Cadet ..	Manaia ..	1 Dec., 1915.
Fowler, Alfred Colbourne ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Bluff ..	Letter-carrier ..	Bluff ..	29 Jan., 1917.
Franks, Arthur Leicester ..	Cadet ..	Invercargill ..	Clerk ..	Invercargill ..	1 " "
Frost, Rueben John ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Waitara ..	Letter-carrier ..	Waitara ..	5 Dec., 1916.
Gallagher, Herbert William ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Waipawa ..	Cadet ..	Waipawa ..	26 Jan., 1917.
Giles, Harold Henry ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Hawera ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Hawera ..	3 Feb., "
Grey, George William ..	"	Auckland ..	Letter-carrier ..	Birkenhead ..	19 " "
Grocott, Clarence Herbert ..	"	Oamaru ..	"	Oamaru ..	29 Jan., "
Haszard, Sidney Fade ..	Inspector of Post-offices ..	Southern District ..	Chief Postmaster ..	Greymouth ..	1 Dec., 1916.
Heal, Sidney Charles ..	Basketmaker ..	G.P.O., Wellington ..	Foreman Basketmaker ..	G.P.O., Wellington ..	7 Feb., 1917.
Hendry, Rowe Allen Gordon ..	Letter-carrier ..	Hamilton ..	Cadet ..	Hamilton ..	18 Jan., "
Hickey, Frederick William ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Piopio ..	Letter-carrier ..	Manunui ..	14 Feb., "
Hooper, Henry Pickering ..	"	Tolaga Bay ..	Assistant and Messenger ..	Tolaga Bay ..	7 " "
Hope, John Cecii ..	"	Dunedin ..	Letter-carrier ..	Milton ..	19 " "
Hoverd, Cecil Henry ..	"	Auckland ..	"	Takapuna ..	8 " "
Hutchinson, Arnold Stanley ..	"	Grey Lynn—Arch Hill ..	Messenger ..	Grey Lynn—Arch Hill ..	7 " "
Inder, Alfred James ..	"	Dunedin ..	Cadet ..	Lyttelton ..	26 Jan., "
James, Mervyn George ..	Letter-carrier ..	Papakura ..	"	Te Awamutu ..	26 " "
Jansen, Charles Walter ..	Postmaster ..	Parnell ..	Postmaster ..	Takapuna ..	17 " "
Jeffries, Elgar Frederick ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Hikurangi ..	Letter-carrier and Messenger ..	Hikurangi ..	1 Feb., "
Kenny, William David ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Feilding ..	Cadet ..	Feilding ..	1 " "
Kersel, Robert Tait ..	Cadet ..	C.P.O., Auckland ..	Telegraphist ..	C.P.O., Auckland ..	5 Dec., 1916.
King, Elgar Lovett Davison ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Johnsonville ..	Letter-carrier ..	Johnsonville ..	25 Jan., 1917.
Kirk, Herbert Robert Noel ..	"	Wellington ..	Distributor ..	Wellington ..	29 " "
Kroening, Henry Otto ..	Distributor ..	Greymouth ..	Cadet ..	Oamaru ..	26 " "
Lawrence, Leslie James ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Pahiatua ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Pahiatua ..	1 Feb., "
Lawn, Edmund Henry ..	Sub-Telegraph Engineer ..	Wellington ..	Assistant Telegraph Engineer ..	Dunedin ..	5 Dec., 1916.
Leach, Ruby Evelyn ..	Relieving Postmistress ..	Christchurch ..	Senior Counterwoman ..	C.P.O., Christchurch ..	1 " "
Leers, Moritz ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Wellington ..	Cadet ..	Telephone Exchange, Wellington ..	7 Feb., 1917.
McGlinchey, William Ernest ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	"	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Wellington ..	28 Jan., "
McKeag, William ..	"	Greymouth ..	Messenger ..	Greymouth ..	1 Mar., "
McKinnon, John ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Dannevirke ..	Cadet ..	Waipukurau ..	26 Jan., "
McMahon, Edmund ..	Letter-carrier ..	Oamaru ..	"	Oamaru ..	1 June, 1916.
Markey, Andrew James ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Auckland ..	Messenger ..	Epsom ..	1 Feb., 1917.
Masters, Robert Read ..	"	Seddon ..	Cadet ..	Seddon ..	23 Jan., "
Matthews, Gordon William ..	Telegram-folder ..	Christchurch ..	"	Oamaru ..	11 Nov., 1916.
Monahan, James Patrick ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington South ..	Letter-carrier ..	Eastbourne ..	18 Jan., 1917.
Mundie, John Alexander ..	"	Dunedin ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Port Chalmers ..	17 " "
Newman, Arthur Towers ..	"	Feilding ..	Letter-carrier ..	Feilding ..	8 Feb., "
Oates, Edwin James ..	Letter-carrier ..	Onehunga ..	Cadet ..	Kawakawa ..	26 Jan., "
O'Connor, Michael John ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wanganui ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Marton ..	22 Feb., "
Olson, Donald William ..	Assistant Despatch Clerk (Class G. 11)	Wellington ..	Assistant Despatch Clerk (Class C. VII)	Wellington ..	1 " "

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Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—continued.					
Osborne, Ernest	P.O. Boy	Christchurch	Messenger	Christchurch	28 Aug., 1916.
Payne, Albert Edward .. .	Telegraph Message-boy	Whangarei	Junior Exchange Clerk	Whangarei	1 Feb., 1917.
Pickens, Francis	"	Lumsden	"	Winton	31 Jan., "
Porter, Lawrence Edgar .. .	"	Christchurch	"	Christchurch	8 Feb., "
Poynter, Harold Stanley .. .	Cadet	Pahiatua	Telegraphist	Pahiatua	7 Oct., 1913.
Prebble, Jesse Arthur Louis	Distributor	Christchurch	Cadet	Cheviot	26 Jan., 1917.
Pugh, Cecil Harold	Letter-carrier	Wanganui	Clerk	Wanganui	1 Oct., 1914
Pye, William John	Cadet	C.P.O., Dunedin	"	C.P.O., Dunedin	1 Feb., 1917.
Rickard, John Thomas .. .	Telegraph Message-boy	Christchurch	Junior Exchange Clerk	Waiau	13 Jan., "
Riddell, Stephen Granville	Letter-carrier	Dargaville	Cadet	Onehunga	26 " "
Robson, Albert Edward .. .	Telegraph Message-boy	Stratford	Letter-carrier	Stratford	31 " "
Rodgers, Hector Charles .. .	Distributor	Palmerston North	Cadet	Taihape	26 " "
Ruston, Alban Alonza .. .	Telegraph Message-boy	Huntly	Junior Exchange Clerk	Huntly	19 Feb., "
Ryan, John Joseph	"	Shannon	Letter-carrier	Shannon	20 Jan., "
Rykers, Stanley Nelson .. .	"	Devonport	"	Devonport	7 Feb., "
Scott, Walter Leslie	Letter-carrier	Ellerslie	Cadet	Te Kuiti	26 Jan., "
Simpson, Frederick Andrew	Telegraph Message-boy	Hawera	Junior Exchange Clerk	Hawera	3 Feb., "
Simpson, John	Junior Exchange Clerk	New Plymouth	Clerk	New Plymouth	1 " "
Smith, George Ernest .. .	Letter-carrier	Takapuna	Cadet	Stratford	26 Jan., "
Smith, William Henry .. .	Telegraph Message-boy	Dunedin	Distributor	Dunedin	1 " "
Spora, Robert Joseph .. .	"	Martinborough	Junior Exchange Clerk	Martinborough	8 " "
Stewart, Charles James .. .	"	New Plymouth	Distributor	New Plymouth	1 Feb., "
Stone, Francis Arnold .. .	"	Palmerston North	"	Palmerston North	6 " "
Tinnock, John Eunson .. .	"	Invercargill	Junior Exchange Clerk	Invercargill	28 Nov., 1916.
Tinsley, Joseph Alfred .. .	"	Masterton	"	Masterton	13 Feb., 1917.
Tooman, Samuel Joseph .. .	"	Remuera	Letter-carrier	Onehunga	15 Jan., "
Treweek, Stanley Charles Frederick	Cadet	Palmerston North	Telegraphist	Palmerston North	1 Feb., "
Wade, Bernard	Telegraph Message-boy	Woodville	Letter-carrier	Woodville	1 " "
Whitehouse, Percy Freeman	Telegram-folder	Auckland	Cadet	Telegraph Engineer's Office, Auckland	7 " "
Williams, William Arthur Herriot	Assistant and Messenger	Coalgate	"	Eketahuna	26 Jan., "
Woodham, Charles Manders .. .	Junior Exchange Clerk	Marton	"	Hawera	26 " "
Woodward, Cyril	Telegraph Message-boy	Invercargill	Messenger	Invercargill	1 Feb., "
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.					
Hunter, James Stanley .. .	Clerk (Class VII)	Wellington	Clerk (Class VI)	Wellington	14 Jan., 1917.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL.					
Gunn, Frank Leslie	Clerk (Class VII), Mines Department	Reefton	Accounts Clerk (Class VI), Public Trust Office	Wellington	23 Feb., 1917.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	

AGRICULTURE, INDUSTRIES, AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.

Bacon, Thomas	Fields Inspector	Pahiatua	Fields Inspector	Masterton	1 Mar., 1917.
Foy, Nelson Reginald	Cadet	Head Office, Wellington	Cadet	Biological Laboratory, Wellington	27 Feb., "
Jenkinson, George Henry	Fields Inspector	Wellington	Fields Inspector	Auckland	16 " "
Riddler, Thomas	Assistant Meat Inspector	Christchurch	Assistant Meat Inspector	Timaru	11 Jan., "
Ross, William	Fields Inspector	Gisborne	Fields Inspector	Pahiatua	25 Feb., "

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

Dargaville, Martha	Third Assistant Teacher	Whakarapa Native School	Second Assistant Teacher	Whirinaki Native School	12 Feb., 1917.
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LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.

Campbell, Roderick Duncan	Crown Lands Ranger	Auckland	Crown Lands Ranger	Hamilton	9 Feb., 1917.
Clarke, Edward Churton	"	Hamilton	"	Kawakawa	27 Jan., "

POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

Adsett, Herbert Oscar	Cadet	T.O., Wellington	Cadet	Pahiatua	14 Feb., 1917.
Ardell, Denzil	Clerk	Napier	Clerk	G.P.O., Wellington	20 " "
Bennett, Philip Andrew	Messenger	Nelson	Junior Exchange Clerk	Nelson	19 " "
Bresnahan, Joseph Patrick	Cadet	"	Cadet	Wakefield	1 " "
Brook, Ernest Cyril	Assistant and Messenger	Te Aroha	Messenger	Paeroa	20 " "
Brodie, Thomas	Telegraph Message-boy	Auckland S.C.	Telegraph Message-boy	Auckland	8 " "
Brook, Walter	District Accountant	Wanganui	District Accountant	Timaru	12 " "
Brown, Arthur James	Cadet	Balclutha	Cadet in Charge	Tuatapere	13 Jan., "
Brown, George Blyth	Clerk	G.P.O., Wellington	Clerk	T.O., Auckland	6 Feb., "
Cade, Vivian Bruce	Cadet	Pahiatua	Cadet	T.O., Wellington	14 " "
Campbell, William Donald	Telegraph Message-boy	Eketahuna	Telegraph Message-boy	Wanganui	12 " "
Cargill, Hector MacDonald	Letter-carrier and Messenger	Petone	Letter-carrier	Petone	1 " "
Chant, Manson Waterson	Acting Postmaster	Trentham Military Camp	Clerk	C.P.O., Wellington	12 " "
Cheesman, Wilfred Francis	Telegraph Message-boy	Molesworth Street	Telegraph Message-boy	Wellington	29 Jan., "
Churcher, Albert Edward	Cadet	Te Kuiti	Cadet	Taumarunui	29 " "
Clarkson, Ronald Steve	Telegraph Message-boy	Dunedin	Telegraph Message-boy	Caversham	1 Feb., "
Collins, John Alfred	"	Wellington South	"	Courtenay Place	12 " "
Compton, Stanley Thomas	Letter-carrier	Johnsonville	Messenger	Kilbirnie	30 Dec., 1916.
Cossey, Frederick James	"	Auckland	"	Auckland	29 " "
Couling, Charles Brysen	Cadet	Greytown	Cadet	Lower Hutt	15 Feb., 1917.

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Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—continued.					
Craig, John Featherston ..	Letter-carrier ..	Auckland ..	Messenger ..	Auckland ..	2 Jan., 1917.
Crawford, Thomas Mitchell ..	Postmaster ..	Ohacawai ..	Telegraphist ..	" ..	29 " "
Creamer, Edward George ..	Messenger ..	Newton ..	Messenger ..	Mount Eden ..	19 Feb., "
Cullinan, William ..	Cadet ..	Taihape ..	Cadet ..	Putaruru ..	20 Jan., "
Cumming, James Donald ..	Assistant and Messenger ..	Te Aroha ..	Letter-carrier ..	Te Aroha ..	1 " "
Dalgleish, Alexander Edwin ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Courtenay Place ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Kilbirnie ..	5 Feb., "
Darney, John Edmund ..	Letter-carrier ..	Waitara ..	Assistant and Messenger ..	Waitara ..	5 Dec., 1916.
Davies, William Alfred ..	Cadet ..	Kaitangata ..	Cadet ..	Naseby ..	20 Feb., 1917.
Davis, Stanley Clarence ..	" ..	Palmerston North ..	" ..	Manaia ..	12 " "
Dilks, James Bryant ..	Telegraphist ..	Opunake ..	Telegraphist ..	Tauherikau Military Camp ..	20 Jan., "
Donaldson, Noel ..	Cadet ..	T.O., Auckland ..	Cadet ..	Newton ..	1 Feb., "
Drew, Cyril George James ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	C.P.O., Wellington ..	15 Jan., "
Eastgate, Eric Ronald ..	Cadet ..	Wakefield ..	Cadet ..	Nelson ..	1 Feb., "
Eccleton, Joseph Thomas ..	Telegraphist ..	Christchurch ..	Telegraphist ..	Westport ..	13 " "
Edmonds, Raymond Rolland ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Wanganui ..	Distributor ..	Wanganui ..	16 " "
Elliott, Albert Robert ..	Cadet ..	Inglewood ..	Cadet ..	Otaki ..	7 " "
Fallon, Edwin John ..	" ..	Karangahake ..	" ..	Te Kuiti ..	1 " "
Finlayson, Walter Alexander ..	" ..	Otautau ..	Cadet and Messenger ..	Edendale ..	16 " "
Flinders, Jack Reginald ..	" ..	Milton ..	Cadet ..	Roxburgh ..	20 " "
Galvin, Charles Oscar ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington North ..	15 Jan., "
Gray, Alexander ..	" ..	Te Aro ..	" ..	Wellington ..	23 " "
Griffiths, Stanley Calder ..	Cadet and Messenger ..	Waikaia ..	Cadet ..	T.O., Dunedin ..	16 Feb., "
Guy, Robert Auld ..	Cadet ..	Naseby ..	" ..	" ..	21 " "
Hackett, Hector Bartlett ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wanganui ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Aramoho ..	21 " "
Hansmann, Agnes Louise ..	Counterwoman ..	Christchurch ..	Relieving Postmistress ..	Christchurch ..	15 Jan., "
Harrington, Leonard Bailey ..	Cadet ..	Picton ..	Cadet ..	T.O., Christchurch ..	15 Feb., "
Harris, Ernest Cecil ..	Letter-carrier ..	Shannon ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Shannon ..	20 Jan., "
Heffernan, Stanley Graham ..	Cadet (Acting-Postmaster) ..	Kahukura ..	Cadet (Acting-Postmaster) ..	Ruatorea ..	27 " "
Hogan, William John ..	Cadet ..	T.O., Christchurch ..	Cadet ..	T.O., Wellington ..	23 Feb., "
Hunter, Alexander William ..	Telegraphist ..	Auckland ..	Clerk ..	Telegraph Engineer's Office, Auckland ..	6 " "
Hunter, Archibald Adam ..	Cadet ..	T.O., Christchurch ..	Cadet ..	T.O., Dunedin ..	10 " "
Hutchings, Eric William ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Te Aro ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	23 Jan., "
Jack, Arnold Bertram ..	Cadet ..	Lower Hutt ..	Cadet ..	Napier ..	17 Feb., "
James, John Howard Leigh ..	Clerk ..	G.P.O., Wellington ..	Clerk ..	Nelson ..	9 " "
Jennens, Francis Walter ..	Cadet ..	Nelson ..	Cadet ..	Wanganui ..	13 " "
Jewiss, William Alfred ..	Messenger ..	Dunedin ..	Letter-carrier ..	Dunedin ..	29 Jan., "
Johanson, Joseph ..	Cadet ..	Helensville ..	Cadet and Messenger ..	Taupiri ..	9 Feb., "
Jury, Francis Raymond ..	Telegraphist ..	Auckland ..	Telegraphist ..	Wellington ..	2 " "
Kearney, John Joseph ..	Senior Clerk ..	C.P.O., Auckland ..	Postmaster ..	Wanganui ..	1 Jan., "
Keasberry, Annie ..	Relieving Postmistress ..	Wellington ..	Assistant ..	Molesworth Street ..	12 Feb., "
Kersel, Robert Tait ..	Telegraphist ..	C.P.O., Auckland ..	Telegraphist ..	Hamilton ..	5 " "
King, Frank Ernest ..	Letter-carrier ..	Christchurch ..	Sorter ..	C.P.O., Christchurch ..	1 " "
Lang, Royston Tunmer Baden Powell ..	Telegram-sorter ..	" ..	Distributor ..	Christchurch ..	27 Jan., "
Langham, Albert Edgar Cook ..	Distributor ..	Wanganui ..	Letter-carrier ..	Wanganui ..	16 Feb., "
Laybourn, Adam Harvey ..	Telegraphist ..	Frankton Junction ..	Telegraphist ..	Hamilton ..	11 Jan., "
Lear, William Edward ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Island Bay ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Kilbirnie ..	26 Feb., "
Linton, Leonard Ivan ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Hawera ..	Assistant Despatch Clerk ..	Hawera ..	3 " "

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Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>					
McDonald, Victor Cyril ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Masterton ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	5 Feb., 1917.
McGahey, William Bernard ..	Postmaster ..	Eastbourne..	Telegraphist ..	" ..	2 " "
McGhie, Francis Albert ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Te Aro ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	" ..	23 Jan., "
McGonagle, Norman Crawford ..	Cadet ..	Te Kuiti ..	Cadet ..	Morrinsville ..	1 " "
McGregor, Charles Alexander ..	Letter-carrier ..	Port Chalmers ..	Messenger ..	Dunedin ..	26 Feb., "
McKernan, Wilfred John ..	Cadet and Letter-carrier ..	Frankton Junction ..	Cadet ..	Frankton Junction ..	11 Jan., "
McKinnon, Leonard Cecil ..	Cadet ..	Roxburgh ..	" ..	T.O., Christchurch ..	22 Feb., "
McLaughlan, John ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Courtenay Place ..	19 Dec., 1916.
McLeod, Neil ..	Cadet ..	Whangarei ..	Relieving Cadet..	C.P.O., Auckland ..	2 Jan., 1917.
McNamara, William Clarence ..	Telegram-folder ..	Auckland ..	Assistant Despatch Clerk ..	Rotorua ..	5 Feb., "
McNatty, Leslie Thomson..	Distributor ..	Dunedin ..	Junior Lineman ..	Dunedin ..	29 Jan., "
McPherson, Leslie ..	Cadet ..	Ngaruawahia ..	Cadet ..	Gisborne ..	15 " "
McSherry, Arthur Thomas Francis ..	Postmaster ..	Tuparoa ..	Postmaster ..	Kahukura ..	22 " "
Mabey, Harold George ..	Letter-carrier ..	Johnsonville ..	Letter-carrier ..	Eastbourne..	25 " "
Madson, James Peter ..	Cadet ..	Newton ..	Cadet ..	Trentham Military Camp ..	3 Feb., "
Marcroft, Charles ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Port Ahuriri ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Napier ..	29 Jan., "
Meech, Claude Edwin Alexander ..	" ..	Wellington South ..	" ..	Island Bay ..	26 Feb., "
Mitchell, John ..	" ..	Caversham ..	" ..	Dunedin ..	1 " "
Molloy, James Patrick ..	Cadet ..	C.P.O., Wellington ..	Cadet ..	Greymouth ..	3 " "
Monahan, James Patrick ..	Letter-carrier ..	Eastbourne..	Letter-carrier ..	Wellington ..	25 Jan., "
Morgan, Leslie John ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Denniston ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	" ..	16 Feb., "
Munro, Henry John ..	Messenger ..	Mount Eden ..	Messenger ..	Newton ..	19 " "
Neill, Samuel Augustus ..	Cadet ..	Hamilton ..	Relieving Cadet..	C.P.O., Auckland ..	5 " "
Orr, Charles Frederick ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	C.P.O., Wellington ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington South ..	15 Jan., "
Osborn, Melvin George ..	" ..	Wellington ..	" ..	Kelburn ..	29 " "
Pearce, Arthur Cyril ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Christchurch ..	Letter-carrier ..	Christchurch ..	1 Feb., "
Porteous, George Stanley ..	Lineman ..	Invercargill..	Telephone Exchange Lineman and Mechanician ..	Invercargill ..	9 " "
Potter, Charles Frederick ..	Chief Clerk ..	T.O., Christchurch ..	Assistant Inspector ..	Auckland (Northern District)..	1 Dec., 1916.
Powley, George James ..	Cadet ..	Leeston ..	Cadet ..	Blenheim ..	21 Feb., 1917.
Powley, Thomas Elvin ..	" ..	Kawakawa ..	" ..	T.O., Auckland ..	31 Jan., "
Price, Montague Ronga ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Hataitai ..	19 Dec., 1916.
Redmond, John ..	Postmaster ..	Te Aro ..	Assistant Inspector ..	Palmerston North (Wellington District)	1 " "
Roberts, Stephen ..	Clerk ..	G.P.O., Wellington ..	Clerk ..	C.P.O., Auckland ..	9 Feb., 1917.
Rooney, Edward Charles ..	Cadet ..	Blenheim ..	Cadet ..	Leeston ..	19 " "
Scott, John Henry ..	" ..	Wellington North ..	" ..	Inglewood ..	3 " "
Seaton, William Leslie ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Nelson ..	Messenger ..	Nelson ..	19 " "
Seddon, Benjamin Richard ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Molesworth Street ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	29 Jan., "
Sharratt, George Herbert ..	" ..	Wellington ..	" ..	" ..	29 " "
Smethurst, Percy ..	" ..	Wellington ..	" ..	Northland ..	15 " "
Smith, John Henry D'Aroy ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Masterton ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Featherston ..	23 Feb., "
Spinley, Alexander Royal ..	Cadet and Messenger ..	Taupiri ..	Cadet ..	Helensville ..	10 " "
Steel, Gordon Allan ..	" ..	Edendale ..	" ..	Trentham Military Camp ..	19 " "
Swaney, Cecil Charles ..	Cadet ..	Port Chalmers ..	" ..	Cromwell ..	26 " "
Tabuteau, Joseph Moliere..	Clerk ..	C.P.O., Wellington ..	Senior Ledger Clerk ..	Wellington ..	2 Jan., "
Tapp, Charles Robert ..	Letter-carrier ..	Blenheim ..	Junior Exchange Clerk ..	Blenheim ..	26 Dec., 1916.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED—continued.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	

POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT—continued.

Thomas, Alfred Tom	Messenger	Dunedin	Letter-carrier	Dunedin	29 Jan., 1917.
Thompson, Leslie Charles	Assistant Despatch Clerk	Rotorua	Assistant Despatch Clerk	Auckland	7 Feb., "
Tibbs, William George Alexander	Telegraph Message-boy	Te Aro	Telegraph Message-boy	Wellington	23 Jan., "
Tomlinson, Edward	Cadet	Greymouth	Cadet	G.P.O., Wellington	12 Feb., "
Tonks, Arthur Raymond	Assistant Despatch Clerk	Te Aro	Assistant Despatch Clerk	Wellington	23 Jan., "
Trowern, Lester Cauvin Ingersoll	Cadet	Ohakune	Cadet	Raetihi	2 Feb., "
Trussell, Lawrence Albert	Letter-carrier	Wanganui	Junior Exchange Clerk	Wanganui	6 " "
Tuohy, Jack Alexander	Cadet	"	Cadet	Opotiki	15 " "
Tyack, William John	Messenger	G.P.O., Wellington	Letter-carrier	Eastbourne	1 " "
Vocasivich, William Joseph	Cadet	Morrinsville	Cadet	Dannevirke	5 " "
Walton, George	"	Feilding	"	Palmerston North	29 Jan., "
Wells, Harold Edgar	Messenger	Epsom	Messenger	Auckland	1 Feb., "
Wilkinson, Henry Transvaal	Cadet	Kaikoura	Cadet	Cheviot	10 Jan., "
Wilkinson, Henry Transvaal	"	Cheviot	"	T.O., Christchurch	5 Feb., "
Wilkinson, John Bramwell	"	Bluff	Cadet and Messenger	Waikaia	15 " "
Williams, Horace Arthur	Assistant Despatch Clerk	Hastings	Sorter	Invercargill	12 " "
Wilson, Adam Martinmas	Junior Exchange Clerk	Winton	Junior Exchange Clerk	Oamaru	2 " "

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Douglas, Thomas	Engineer's Assistant	Opunake Branch Railway	Engineer's Assistant	Auckland District	7 Mar., 1917.
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TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.

Parmenter, Stephen	Hostel-manager	Waitomo Caves	[Caretaker]	Whakarewarewa	15 Mar., 1917.
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INTERDEPARTMENTAL.

Gillman, Sidney Noel	Clerical Cadet, Head Office, Lands and Survey Department	Wellington	Military Branch, Defence Department	Wellington	6th Feb., 1917.
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OFFICER REDUCED IN STATUS.

Name.	Reduced from		Reduced to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	

POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

Bird, Frederick James	Foreman Lineman	Christchurch	Lineman	Christchurch	27 June, 1916.
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RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.			
Johnston, Andrew Charles	Watchman	Lyttelton	28 Feb., 1917.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Hamilton, Harriet Abigail	1st Assistant Teacher	Whirinaki Native School	28 Feb., 1917.
Tawhiri, Riwai Hiwinui	Head Teacher	Reporua Native School	28 " "
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.			
Keys, Leo	Warder	H.M. Prison, Auckland	28 Feb., 1917.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
McVicar, Alexander	Plantation Foreman	Waiotapu	28 Feb., 1917.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Broderick, Louise Annie Isabella	Junior Nurse, Mental Hospital	Christchurch	21 Feb., 1917.
McCann, Annie Hilda	Nurse, Mental Hospital	Auckland	11 Mar., "
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.			
Bates, William Henry Gavin	Junior Exchange Clerk	Auckland	31 Jan., 1917.
Blomfield, Ella Grace	Acting Assistant	Molesworth Street	28 Feb., "
Crossan, William Alexander	Letter-carrier	Feilding	6 " "
Dickson, William Trotter	"	Te Aroha	31 Dec., 1916.
Direen, Thomas Andrew	"	Oamaru	27 Jan., 1917.
Dowsett, Bertie Edward	"	Petone	31 " "
Eden, Clement William	Cadet	Otaki	10 Feb., "
Foster, Percy Donald George	Letter-carrier	Devonport	28 " "
Fulljames, Frederick Valentine	"	Auckland	14 " "
Gabbie, Douglas Ellis	Telegraph Message-boy	Wanganui	28 " "
Grimmett, Arthur Richard	Junior Exchange Clerk	Dunedin	13 Mar., "
Hayes, Jane Winifred	Acting Counterwoman	Hastings	24 " "
Hayes, Michael David Patrick	Telegraph Message-boy	Grey Lynn, Arch Hill	31 Jan., "
Hayes, Robin William	Junior Exchange Clerk	Hamilton	28 Feb., "
Hill, Clive Walter	Letter-carrier	Dannevirke	28 " "
Hill, Douglas Percival	Distributor	New Plymouth	31 Jan., "
Hocking, Charles Edwin Owen	Telegraph Message-boy	Wellington	28 Feb., "
Jones, George Henry	Letter-carrier	Christchurch	31 Jan., "
Keating, Horace Edward	Distributor	Palmerston North	5 Feb., "
King, Charles Dunford	Letter-carrier	Wellington	16 " "
King, Leo Thomas	Junior Exchange Clerk	Martinborough	31 Jan., "
Knox, George Wallace	Cadet	Waitara	*19 " "
Mackie, Allan George	Assistant and Messenger	"	4 Dec., 1916.
Mabey, Harold George	Letter-carrier	Eastbourne	31 Jan., 1917
Mason, Arthur William	Telegraph Message-boy	Wellington	28 Feb., "
Mason, David Hugh	Junior Exchange Clerk	Dunedin	24 Jan., "
Miscall, Raphael James	Assistant	Stratford	21 Feb., "
Molan, Charles Stephen	Messenger	Wanganui	6 " "
O'Leary, Cornelius James	Junior Exchange Clerk	Blenheim	20 " "
O'Rourke, Thomas Ralph	Telegraph Message-boy	Murchison	28 " "
Peat, Margaret Wilhelmina Clark	Relieving Postmistress	Auckland	28 " "
Piper, Victor Luther Theodore	Junior Exchange Clerk	Wellington	27 Jan., "
Porteous, Alfred Hedley	Telegraph Message-boy	Auckland	27 " "
Price, William James Thomas	Junior Exchange Clerk	Wellington	3 Feb., "
Rennie, William Stanley Norman	Cadet	Hastings	14 Jan., "
Shannon, Edward Arthur	Telegraph Message-boy	Auckland	8 " "
Small, Thomas Vipond Procter	"	Foxton	23 Feb., "
Smellie, Easton Gillon	Junior Exchange Clerk	Dunedin	28 " "
Spencer, Cecil George	"	Shannon	20 Jan., "
Stirling, Roy Clifford	Telegraph Message-boy	Auckland	31 " "
Strathern, William Robb	Junior Exchange Clerk	Dunedin	18 Dec., 1916.
Sullivan, Walter James	Letter-carrier	Lower Hutt	16 Jan., 1917.
Thomas, Evan John	Sorter	C.P.O., Auckland	28 Feb., "
Trott, Horace Alexander	Telegraph Message-boy	Wanganui	26 Jan., "
Watton, Edward Walter	Letter-carrier and Messenger	Te Karaka	*18 Nov., 1916.
Wilson, Douglas	Telegraph Message-boy	Petone	31 Jan., 1917.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Dewsbury, Ngaira	Shorthand-writer and typist	Head Office, Wellington	28 Feb., 1917.

* Amending entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 22, of 9th February, 1917.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
AGRICULTURE, INDUSTRIES, AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.				
Crockett, Robert	Inspector of Stock	Opunake	31 Jan., 1917	Retired as medically unfit.
Gilmour, Thomas	"	Balclutha	31 " "	Retired on superannuation.
Smyth, Jane Clara	Working Housekeeper	Arataki Horticultural Station	19 Dec., 1916	Services dispensed with.
Smyth, William Stanilaus	Farm Hand	Ditto	19 " "	Ditto.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.—continued.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.				
Gill, Thomas Henry ..	Inspector of Secondary Schools	Wellington ..	2 Feb., 1917	Retired on superannuation.
Padlie, Florence ..	Assistant Teacher ..	Otaua Native School ..	31 Jan., ..	Taken over by Cook Islands Administration.
Pope, Roland Henry ..	Officer in Charge, Industrial and Special Schools Branch	Wellington ..	31 Dec., 1916	Retired as medically unfit.
Richardson, Charles Reynold Dalton	Senior Inspector of Schools	Dunedin ..	8 Feb., 1917	Deceased.
Wiseley, Herbert Oscar ..	Cadet ..	Head Office, Wellington	15 Sept., 1916	Killed in action.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.				
Izett, Ernest Massy ..	Night-watchman ..	Wellington ..	28 Feb., 1917	Deceased.
Jacobson, Charles Venice ..	Messenger ..	..	10 Dec., 1916	..
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.				
Phillips, Daniel Paul ..	Clerk of Magistrates' and Warden's Courts	Waihi ..	22 Jan., 1917	Forfeited office under Section 57 (1), Public Service Act, 1912.
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.				
Watson, Edward Wilkie ..	Chief Clerk ..	Wellington ..	31 Jan., 1917	Retired as medically unfit.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.				
Bronte, Frederick William Samuel	Draughtsman ..	Head Office, Wellington	15 Jan., 1917	Deceased.
Deverell, Walter ..	..	Invercargill ..	28 Feb., ..	Retired on superannuation.
Harvey, George Alexander	Clerical Cadet ..	..	17 Jan., ..	Deceased.
Mackie, Noel Seon ..	Draughting Cadet ..	Auckland ..	2 ..	..
*Montgomerie, Jack Alan	Tracer ..	New Plymouth ..	30 Nov., 1916	Services terminated.
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.				
Wilson, Edward Robert ..	Principal Keeper ..	Stephen's Island Light-house	18 Feb., 1917	Retired on superannuation.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Roe, Alfred John ..	Cook ..	Porirua ..	31 Jan., 1917	Dismissed.
NATIVE DEPARTMENT.				
Stewart, John ..	Cadet ..	South Island Native Land Court, Wellington	16 Sept., 1916	Killed in action.
POST AND TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.				
Barnard, Frederick Henry	Postmaster ..	Eltham ..	31 Mar., 1917	Retired on superannuation.
Coombe, Henry Gilbert ..	..	Onehunga ..	31 ..	Ditto.
Cunningham, Robert ..	Lineman ..	Christchurch ..	11 Feb., ..	Deceased.
Dillon, Patrick ..	Letter-carrier ..	Taihape ..	9 Jan., ..	Absent without leave.
Egginton, Francis ..	Postmaster ..	Whangarei ..	31 Mar., ..	Retired on superannuation.
Fullerton, James Campbell	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Port Chalmers ..	20 Jan., ..	Deceased.
Harper, Raymond Ben ..	Clerk ..	Christchurch ..	6 Feb., ..	..
Hooper, John Rule ..	Senior Parcels Clerk ..	Auckland ..	28 ..	Retired on superannuation.
Kiernan, Henry Willis ..	Relieving Postmaster ..	..	15 Mar., ..	Ditto.
Kivell, James Andrew ..	Telegraphist ..	..	31 Oct., 1915	Retired on compensation.†
Lane, William Henry ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Hastings ..	9 Feb., 1917	Services dispensed with.
Larkin, Kathleen Elsie ..	Assistant Supervisor ..	Telephone Exchange, Auckland	20 Jan., ..	Deceased.
Ledger, John Louis Hickson	Controller of M.O. and S.B.	General Post Office ..	25 Feb., ..	Retired on superannuation.
Mitchell, Alexander Charles	Cadet ..	C.P.O., Christchurch ..	14 Oct., 1916	Forfeited office under Section 57 (1), Public Service Act, 1912.
Ormsby, Walter George Rewi	Cadet ..	G.P.O., Wellington ..	15 Sept., ..	Killed in action.
Salmond, John Arthur ..	Clerk ..	Stores Branch, G.P.O., Wellington	4 Jan., 1917	Deceased.
Steele, James Thomas ..	Telegraphist ..	Reefton ..	7 ..	Retired on superannuation.
Tooley, Ashley Campbell	Messenger ..	Remuera ..	31 ..	Absent without leave.
Watson, William Stanley ..	Telegraph Message-boy ..	Wellington ..	27 ..	Services dispensed with.
Wickham, Patrick Thomas	..	..	14 Feb., ..	Dismissed.

* Amending entry in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 142, of 21st December, 1916.
No. 138, of 22nd November, 1915.† Amending entry in *New Zealand Gazette*

RETIREMENTS, ETC.—*continued.*

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Bigg-Wither, Frederick ..	District Engineer ..	Auckland ..	11 Feb., 1917	Retired on superannuation.
Fraser, Archibald Colquhoun ..	Storekeeper ..	Christchurch ..	3 " "	Dismissed.
Sutton, Henry Charles ..	Overseer ..	Invercargill ..	19 Jan., "	Deceased.
Tombs, Charles ..	Chainman ..	Blenheim ..	19 Feb., "	Died of sickness whilst on active service.
Wallace, Thomas ..	Workshops Foreman ..	Auckland ..	24 Nov., 1916	Forfeited office under section 57 (1) of Public Service Act, 1912.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.				
Scott, Walter ..	Pump and Boiler Attendant ..	Rotorua ..	31 Jan., 1917	Absent without leave.

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	Allan, James ..	Newborough ..	Civil servant ..	21/8/17	28/9/17	Intestate.
2	Allan, John ..	Balclutha ..	Gardener ..	20/8/17	28/9/17	"
3	Barber, Hellard ..	Rawini ..	Survey chainman ..	28/7/16	28/9/17	Testate.
4	Blagdon, William Henry White ..	Dunedin ..	Plumber ..	16/5/17	28/9/17	"
5	Burrell, John Gladstone ..	Wellington ..	Post-office official ..	5/10/16	19/9/17	"
6	Bracks, Daniel Hammond ..	Woodhaugh, Dunedin ..	Papermaker ..	29/8/17	28/9/17	"
7	Carter, Annie Louisa ..	Wanganui ..	Spinster ..	1/7/17	1/10/17	"
8	Christie, John ..	Hawera ..	Journalist ..	1/7/17	1/10/17	"
9	Churchill, Henry George Stratford ..	Auckland ..	Joiner ..	7/6/17	19/9/17	"
10	Cooke, Robert Gray ..	Lower Riccarton ..	Latriner ..	4/7/17	28/9/17	Intestate.
11	Cox, Robert James ..	Matatoki, Thames ..	Farmer ..	7/6/17	28/9/17	Testate.
12	Denham, James ..	Sydenham ..	Carpenter ..	3/7/17	28/9/17	"
13	Dow, Janet ..	Dunedin ..	Widow ..	23/7/17	19/9/17	"
14	Finlay, Himilaya Elizabeth ..	Christchurch ..	Married woman ..	28/9/15	28/9/17	Intestate.
15	Frank, William Stanley ..	Auckland ..	Storeman ..	25/4/15	28/9/17	"
16	Gardiner, George ..	Otahuhu ..	Tailor ..	23/8/17	28/9/17	"
17	Goddard, Herbert George ..	Ngaroma ..	Farmer ..	7/6/17	28/9/17	"
18	Hair, Frederick William ..	Rangataua ..	Carpenter ..	11/4/17	28/9/17	"
19	Hennessey, Frederick ..	Waihi ..	Miner ..	22/8/17	28/9/17	"
20	Hunter, Leslie Florence ..	Marton Junction ..	Railway clerk ..	13/7/17	28/9/17	"
21	Inglis, Archibald ..	Timaru ..	Engineer ..	24/6/16	28/9/17	Testate.
22	Johanson, William George ..	Manunui ..	Labourer ..	7/6/17	28/9/17	"
23	Jones, Robert David ..	Sydney, N.S.W. ..	Soldier ..	27/4/15	28/9/17	Intestate.
24	Keys, Frederick Charles ..	Christchurch ..	Farm hand ..	15/4/17	28/9/17	Testate.
25	Kiernan, Francis ..	Murchison ..	Pensioner ..	13/7/17	28/9/17	Intestate.
26	Martin, Joseph ..	Christchurch ..	News vendor ..	14/7/17	28/9/17	Intestate.
27	McArthur, John ..	Reefton ..	Miner ..	9/5/17	28/9/17	"
28	McKay, Henry ..	Pembroke ..	Farmer ..	12/2/15	22/9/17	Testate.
29	Ramsay, Agnes ..	Lawrence ..	Housekeeper ..	16/1/96	28/9/17	Intestate.
30	Reilly, Mark ..	St. Clair ..	Labourer ..	—/5/15	28/9/17	"
31	Ribbon, Charles ..	Hobart (formerly of Otoko) ..	Miner ..	27/3/17	19/9/17	Testate.
32	Rollinson, Gilbert Oswald ..	Auckland ..	Lecturer ..	11/6/17	19/9/17	"
33	Shore, John ..	" ..	Farmer ..	8/8/17	28/9/17	Intestate.
34	Simpson, William ..	Maharahara ..	Labourer ..	7/8/15	19/9/17	Testate.
35	Smith, James Moore ..	Hinds ..	Blacksmith ..	6/5/17	28/9/17	Intestate.
36	Stark, George ..	Kaipoi ..	Ploughman ..	15/9/16	19/9/17	Testate.
37	Stuart, George ..	Ngatimoti ..	Farm labourer ..	24/9/16	19/9/17	"
38	Swain, Harold George Selwyn ..	Napier ..	Tailor ..	15/6/17	19/9/17	"
39	Talbot, Dorothy ..	Feilding ..	Lady's maid ..	12/6/17	28/9/17	Intestate.
40	Tickle, Elsie Constance ..	Wellington (formerly of Feilding) ..	Milliner ..	11/12/16	1/10/17	Testate.
41	Williams, Frederick Percy ..	Wellsford ..	Farmer ..	1/5/17	19/9/17	"

Wellington, 3rd October, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT, Public Trustee.

Deceased Persons' Estates.

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

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

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Abernethy, Kenneth Shorland ..	Christchurch ..	Journalist ..	16/8/17	Testate.
2	Allan, James	Oamaru ..	Civil servant ..	21/8/17	Intestate.
3	Allen, John	Balclutha ..	Gardener ..	20/8/17	"
4	Allison, Catherine	Hastings ..	Married woman ..	6/8/17	Testate.
5	Almond, John Robert	Hawera ..	Labourer ..	21/2/17	"
6	Alpass, James Stephen John	Masterton ..	Farmer ..	10/9/17	"
7	Ander, Edward Frederick	Wanganui ..	Labourer ..	22/9/16	"
8	Antonio, Mac	Rahotu ..	Farm labourer ..	2/9/17	Intestate.
9	Baddeley, Frederick	Akahukura ..	Tunneller ..	8/8/17	Workers' Compen- sation Act, 1913.
10	Baker, Alexander Stanley	Waiau, Canterbury	Farmer ..	7/6/17	Testate.
11	Ball, Ernest	Waipahi ..	" ..	5/5/17	Intestate.
12	Barker, Robert	Poihakene ..	Quarryman ..	3/6/17	Testate.
13	Barltrop, Charles	Greymouth ..	Carpenter ..	6/10/16	"
14	Beattie, Charles Leslie	Masterton ..	Labourer ..	7/8/17	"
15	Bissland, Leslie James	Dunedin ..	Plumber ..	1/10/16	Intestate.
16	Blagdon, William Henry White	" ..	" ..	16/5/17	Testate.
17	Booth, Thomas William	Christchurch ..	Salesman ..	7/6/17	Intestate.
18	Bourke, John Jerry	Awatuna ..	Farm labourer ..	15/9/16	Testate.
19	Bracks, Daniel Hammond	Dunedin ..	Papermaker ..	29/8/17	"
20	Breed, Hector Albert	Wanganui ..	Labourer ..	21/2/17	Intestate.
21	Brown, Bruce	Wellington ..	" ..	29/9/16	Testate.
22	Bruce, James	Hawke's Bay ..	Gardener ..	14/8/17	"
23	Bryson, William James	Otatara ..	Nursery hand ..	13/8/17	"
24	Burgess, John	Dunsandel ..	Farm hand ..	6/8/17	"
25	Burton, Alfred	Sydenham ..	Tram-conductor ..	12/8/17	"
26	Campbell, George Henry	Ashburton ..	Mercantile clerk ..	8/6/17	"
27	Carson, William	Waiokotirai ..	School-teacher ..	2/7/17	"
28	Clark, Edward	Tamumu ..	Farmer ..	23/8/17	"
29	Clark, William	Okato ..	Farm labourer ..	8/6/17	Intestate.
30	Cockburn, Edward	Waikaia ..	Labourer ..	19/8/17	Testate.
31	Collins, Joseph Reuben	St. Albans, Christ- church	Gardener ..	17/5/17	Intestate.
32	Corlett, Malcolm Storer	Kia Ora ..	Farmer ..	28/7/17	"
33	Cosgrove, Edward John	Napier ..	Pastrycook ..	19/8/17	Testate.
34	Cowley, John Alexander	Auckland ..	Clerk ..	15/8/17	"
35	Davis, Lingard Howell Montgomery	" ..	Railway employee ..	20/6/17	"
36	Death, Alfred Stephen Henry	Pahautanui ..	Farmer ..	19/8/17	"
37	Dempsey, Sydney William	Wellington ..	School-teacher ..	7/6/17	"
38	Dick, Robert Wotherspoon	Skipper's Point, Queenstown	Miner ..	14/7/16	"
39	Dobby, George Thomas	Ashburton ..	Railway employee ..	17/8/17	"
40	Douglas, Robert Montgomery	Waiheke ..	Settler ..	30/8/17	"
41	Duckmanton, Henry William	Dunsandel ..	Ploughman ..	7/6/17	"
42	Dunn, Charles	Eltham ..	Carpenter ..	17/6/17	"
43	Dyke, Herbert Jubilee	Martinborough ..	Horsebreaker ..	28/7/16	Intestate.
44	East, Arthur Frederick	" ..	Signwriter ..	3/7/16	Testate.
45	Eathorne or Esthorne, Thomas	Huapai ..	Gum-digger ..	29/7/17	Intestate.
46	Ernest, Thomas	Onehunga ..	Bank clerk ..	8/6/17	Testate.
47	Evans, Robert Donald Joseph	Christchurch ..	Fitter ..	10/8/17	"
48	Faulkner, John Daniel	Tauranga ..	Launch-proprietor ..	7/8/17	Intestate.
49	Findlay, Thomas	Auckland ..	Printer ..	7/6/17	Testate.
50	Fleming, W. George	Wellington ..	Clerk ..	18/8/17	"
51	Fletcher, William	Ruawaro ..	Farm labourer ..	8/8/15	Intestate.
52	Flynn, James	Hanmer Springs ..	Labourer ..	25/5/17	"
53	Fooks, Eric John Dodgson	Wellington ..	Farmer ..	18/6/16	Testate.
54	Foreman, William	" ..	Driver ..	15/9/16	"
55	Fox, Francis George	Cape Foulwind ..	Farmer ..	27/7/17	"
56	Frankish, Clifford Roy	Christchurch ..	Mercantile clerk ..	8/6/17	Intestate.
57	Fryday, Joanna	Ngaere ..	Domestic duties ..	5/6/17	"
58	Gale, Ralph Joselyn	Spreydon ..	Fitter ..	22/9/16	"
59	Galt, Archie Dawson	Invercargill ..	Carpenter ..	7/6/17	"
60	Gardiner, George	Otahuhu ..	Tailor ..	23/8/17	"
61	George, Edwin	Naseby ..	Miner ..	7/6/17	Testate.
62	Giles, Thomas Charles	Whareorino ..	Farmer ..	5/8/17	"
63	Godsell, John Amos	Geraldine ..	Farm cadet ..	5/8/17	"
64	Graham, Allan	Hawera ..	Schoolmaster ..	29/4/17	Intestate.
65	Green, Clarence Henry	Mataura, Otago ..	Carpenter ..	26/7/17	Testate.
66	Hall, Thomas	Nelson ..	Labourer ..	20/8/17	"
67	Hamblyn, James Edward	Tariki ..	Farmer ..	27/7/17	"
68	Hands, Bernard	Timaru ..	Labourer ..	16/9/16	"
69	Harvey, Percy	Collingwood ..	Farmer ..	28/9/16	"
70	Hempseed, Robert	Christchurch ..	Labourer ..	3/9/17	"
71	Hennessy, Frederick	Waihi ..	Miner ..	22/8/17	Intestate.
72	Hill, Frank	Dunedin ..	Stableman ..	6/9/17	Testate.
73	Hill, William Cecil	Manaia ..	Blacksmith ..	27/9/16	Intestate.
74	Hockey, Charles	Takaka ..	Farm labourer ..	7/7/17	"
75	Houghton, George	Te Awamutu ..	" ..	5/5/17	Testate.

DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES—continued.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
76	Huggins, William	Dunedin	Gardener	11/10/16	Intestate.
77	Hunter, Leslie Florence	Marton Junction	Railway clerk	13/7/17	"
78	Hurd, Harold Roland	Caversham	Hairdresser	29/7/17	Testate.
79	Jack, Thomas Henry	Wanganui	Carpenter	7/6/17	Intestate.
80	Johnston, John Seater	Windsor	Cropper	27/8/17	"
81	Kelly, Samuel Thomas	Rutherglen	Sawmill hand	14/8/17	Testate.
82	Kidd, Robert Guthrie	Inaha	Farmer	19/4/17	"
83	Kiernan, Francis	Glenroy	Retired	13/7/17	Intestate.
84	King, Alfred	Wynndham	Cheesemaker	15/9/16	"
85	Ledingham, Albert Ernest	Patearoa	Labourer	19/8/17	Testate.
86	Lee, Albert Henry	Lyttelton	Sailor	28/9/16	Intestate.
87	Leslie, Thomas	Kawakawa	Farm labourer	12/8/17	Testate.
88	Lewis, Wilfrid Eric	Matatera	Farm assistant	28/3/17	"
89	Livermore, Ernest	Auckland	Civil servant	23/8/17	"
90	Livick, Ivan Barton	Invercargill	Mercantile clerk	20/8/17	"
91	Luxford, Harold Gordon	Ohaupo	Farmer	10/8/17	"
92	MacLean, John	Masterton	Fencer	1/5/17	"
93	Mackay, Finlay	Balclutha	Contractor	15/8/17	"
94	Malcolm, William	Kennington	Grocer	19/8/17	"
95	Marsh, Howard Edward	Whangamomona	Farmer	20/6/17	"
96	Marton, Joseph	Christchurch	News vendor	14/7/17	Intestate.
97	Matau	Avarua	Labourer	29/8/16	Testate.
98	Maurer, Albert George	Taihape	Farm labourer	22/8/17	Intestate.
99	McClellan, Alexander	Dunedin	Labourer	17/6/17	"
100	McClintock, Robert James	Alexandra	Hotelkeeper	17/7/17	Testate.
	McCloy, Cornelius James	Kaikoura	Labourer	18/8/17	"
101	McCutcheon, James Milliken	Waimumu	Farm labourer	18/9/17	"
102	McGuffie, William Daniel	Gisborne	Storeman	15/12/15	Intestate.
103	McGurk, Roland	Greymouth	Labourer	21/8/17	"
104	McIntyre, Francis	"	Engineer	6/8/17	Testate.
105	McKenzie, Daniel	Otautau	Ploughman	14/7/16	"
106	McKenzie, Isabella	Allanton	Widow	25/8/17	"
107	McKichan, Alan McLean	Longburn	Slaughterman	15/9/16	"
108	Mitchell, Arthur Ralph	Chatham Islands	Farmer	21/8/17	"
109	Mitchell, Ross Eugene Leslie	Auckland	Civil servant	2/8/17	"
110	Morrison, George	"	Cqachbuilder	16/8/17	"
111	Nelson, William George	Wellington	Printer	16/6/17	Intestate.
112	Nicholson, Allan	Lyttelton	Wharf labourer	3/10/16	"
113	Nicholson, William	Mercury Bay	Bushman	5/3/17	Testate.
114	Okeby, William George	Petone	School-teacher	27/6/17	"
115	Old, Charles Robert	Pukeokahu	Farm hand	7/6/17	"
116	O'Shaughnessy, Patrick	Wreys' Bush, Invercargill	Labourer	16/8/17	"
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118	Paget, Arnold Wilfred	Oxford	Railway porter	14/6/17	"
119	Palin, Henry William Bourne	Canvastown	Farm hand	27/9/16	Intestate.
120	Parsons, John Gifford Wilmont	Auckland	Clerk	20/7/17	Testate.
121	Pearse, Rowland James	Cambridge	Draper	6/8/16	"
122	Phillips, Herbert Albert	Wanganui	Boilermaker	11/8/17	"
123	Pilling, Ewen George	Milburn	University student	7/6/17	Intestate.
124	Poulton, Herbert James Dawncey	Auckland	Sorter	7/6/17	Testate.
125	Rayfield, Henry Charles	Richmond	Cycle mechanic	15/1/15	Intestate.
126	Rayment, James William	Christchurch	Farm labourer	29/6/16	"
127	Robbie, George Alexander	Patea	School-teacher	22/7/17	Testate.
128	Robertson, Alexander	Pyramid, East Gore	Farm labourer	22/6/17	Intestate.
129	Robertson, Margaret	Waikivi	Domestic	28/9/92	"
130	Rose, Leslie Hill	Christchurch	Motor mechanic	7/6/17	Testate.
131	Robinson, Henry	Tauranga	Farmer	8/7/17	Intestate.
132	Rosie, Robert Hunter	Oamaru	Chemist's assistant	16/8/17	Testate.
133	Salley, Thomas	Wetherstone	Miner	23/7/17	"
134	Shield, Ronald Coode	Whangamomona	Farmer	8/6/17	"
135	Shirley, Thomas O'Mega	Napier	Spinner	16/8/17	"
136	Smith, Albert Ernest	Wellington	Shop assistant	31/7/17	"
137	Smith, Joshua	Auckland	Gentleman	27/8/17	"
138	Smith, James Moore	Hinds	Blacksmith	6/5/17	Intestate.
139	Spillane, William	Matawai	Labourer	22/9/16	Testate.
140	Steele, John	West Plains	Tinsmith	19/8/17	"
141	Stocks, John	Amberley	Farm labourer	8/8/17	"
142	Storey, William	Wellington	Labourer	12/6/17	"
143	Stroud, Daniel Samuel	Dunedin	Cook	3/7/16	"
144	Sutherland, Frederick Vincent	Hokonui	Surfaceman	15/6/17	"
145	Tait, James	Rangiora	Teamster	15/9/17	"
146	Tate, John Alfred	Rangitata Island	Farmer	19/8/17	"
147	Taumatana	Lake Pa		19/12/16	"
148	Taylor, Arthur Bertram	Cunninghams	Farm assistant	7/9/15	Intestate.
149	Thomas, George Vicary	Wanganui	Clerk	8/5/15	"
150	Thomas, Richard	Cobden	Surveyor's assistant	9/8/17	Testate.
151	Thomas, Walter James	New Lynn	Timber-worker	27/6/17	Intestate.
152	Tennant, Robert	Greymouth	Ironmonger	26/6/17	"
153	Thatcher, Henry Lane	Woodbury	Carpenter	16/8/17	Testate.
154	Thyne, George	Timaru	"	13/8/17	"
155	Wallace, Bertram	Devonport	Clerk	14/7/16	Intestate.
156	Wallace, Samuel	Taitapu	Labourer	16/8/17	Testate.
157	Wallace, Samuel Patton	Temuka	Farm labourer	27/9/16	Intestate.
158	Wallis, Joseph	Waikaia	Baker	8/1/08	"

DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES—continued.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
159	Walton, George	Mosgiel	Carpenter	18/8/17	Testate.
160	Waterman, Archibald	Oxford	Postal clerk	21/8/17	"
161	Watkins, Frederick Thomas	Takapuna	Driver	7/6/17	"
162	Watson, William James	Napier	Labourer	26/7/16	Intestate.
163	West, Manson Theodore	New Plymouth	Retired factory-m'gr.	25/8/17	Testate.
164	Whalley, Stanley Carlisle	Auckland	Clicker	22/6/16	Intestate.
165	Wilkins, Joseph George Gradly	Nelson	Packer	3/8/17	Workers' Compensation Act, 1913.
166	Wilkinson, George Henry	Thames	Farmer	22/5/17	Testate.
167	Willoughby, Walter George	Pahiatua	Driver	13/7/16	Intestate.
168	Wood, Gresley Haswell	Auckland	Farmer	7/6/17	Testate.
169	Woodcock, Henry John or John	Rangiora	Butcher	25/10/16	Intestate.
170	Yorston, Thomas Elrick Marwick	Ohangō	Railway servant	30/9/16	Testate.

Wellington, 2nd October, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT, Public Trustee.

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

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Abernethy, Kenneth Shorland	Christchurch	Journalist	16/8/17	Testate.
2	Allen, Kathleen V.	Wellington	Married woman	23/8/17	Intestate.
3	Chappel, Richard William	Hastings	Orchardist	7/6/17	Testate.
4	Clark, William	Okato	Farm labourer	8/6/17	Intestate.
5	Donald, William Kenneth	Featherston	Farmer	15/6/17	Testate.
6	Edwin, George	Naseby	Miner	7/6/17	"
7	Ellison, Arthur Reynolds	Wanganui	Tailor	7/6/16	"
8	Fitzroy, Charles Cecil Southampton	Havelock North	Planter	2/5/17	"
9	Fleming, Thomas	Manawaru	Labourer	9/8/17	Intestate.
10	Frank, William Stanley	Auckland	Storeman	25/4/15	"
11	Elstone, Alfred Francis; or Frankelstone, Alfred	Georgetown	Labourer	6/12/16	Testate.
12	Greeks, Claude Percy	Brooklyn	Wharfinger	6/8/17	Intestate.
13	Griffiths, Jocelyn Edward	Hohatu	Farmer	13/6/17	"
14	Harris, Arthur Hubert	Meanee	"	14/1/17	Testate.
15	Hunter, Albert John	Nelson	Carpenter	7/6/17	"
16	Kilminster, Hubert Maurice	Wakefield	Farmer	8/6/17	"
17	Livick, Ivan Barton	Invercargill	Mercantile clerk	20/8/17	"
18	McGree, Patrick Joseph	Taruheru, Auckland	Labourer	8/8/15	Intestate.
19	Morris, Ernest	Horsham Downs	Farmer	21/10/15	"
20	Nelson, Thomas	Petone	Civil servant	8/6/17	"
21	Oakden, William Scott	Kavana	Book-keeper	2/2/17	"
22	Ramsay, Robert Greig	Greymouth	Clerk	21/9/16	Testate.
23	Scott, William	Pigeon Bay	Labourer	7/6/17	"
24	Slimon, Robert McRae	Waverley, N.S.W.	Engineer	20/7/16	Intestate.
25	Styles, Herbert Hanson	Wanganui	Bushfeller	7/8/15	"
26	Tristram, Albert	S.s. "Waihora"	Boatswain	17 or 18/6/16	"
27	Waldie, Robert Broomfield	Mangatoro	Farm hand	8/8/15	"
28	Ward, William Alfred	Glen Oroua	Cheesemaker	7/6/17	Testate.
29	Warren, Lewis Albert	Auckland	Bank clerk	7/6/17	"

Wellington, 2nd October, 1917.

FRED. FITCHETT, Public Trustee.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 1st October, 1917.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

BAY OF ISLANDS COUNTY COUNCIL.

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

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the County of Bay of Islands taken on the 29th day of August, 1917, on the proposal of the Bay of Islands County Council to borrow the sum of £40,000 for purposes of road formation and metalling and bridge-construction, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 278, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 219.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal being less than three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded, I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1917.

J. E. WELLS,
Chairman of the County.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 2nd October, 1917.

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

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

KAWHIA COUNTY.

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

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Awaroa Riding of the County of Kawhia taken on the 5th day of September, 1917, on the proposal of the Kawhia County Council to borrow the sum of £100 for the purpose of providing the Council's contribution towards the renewal of two bridges on the Awaroa-Mahoe Road destroyed by flood, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 14, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated at Kawhia this 10th day of September, 1917.

WILLIAM J. SHAW, Chairman.

Dates of Election of Members of the Balclutha Fire Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 2nd October, 1917.

PURSUANT to section 18 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, I, George Warren Russell, Minister of Internal Affairs, and the Minister charged with the administration of the said Act, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the 17th day of October, 1917, to be the day for the holding of an election of three members of the Balclutha Fire Board by the contributing local authority; and I do further appoint Monday, the 15th day of October, 1917, to be the day for the holding of an election of three members of the Balclutha Fire Board by the fire-insurance companies which for the time being are carrying on business within the said Balclutha Fire District.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Exportation of Tallow.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 1st October, 1917.

IT is hereby notified for public information that applications will now be considered for the exportation of limited quantities of tallow, other than mutton stock and oleo margarine, to the United States.

Applications should be addressed to the Comptroller of Customs, Wellington, and should state the name of the intended exporting vessel and probable date of departure, also the quantity of tallow and the port of shipment.

It may be understood that if circumstances should alter it may be necessary to withdraw permission to export at any time.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Customs.

Officiating Ministers for 1917.—Notice No. 31.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 2nd October, 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:—

Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.

The Reverend FRANK RUTHERFURD RAWLE.
" WILLIAM VENABLES.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 85 of 1917.

WANGANUI HARBOUR.—CAUTION TO MARINERS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 2nd October, 1917.

THE Wanganui Harbourmaster notifies that masters of vessels trading to Wanganui are warned not to cut too closely round the end of mole, as the half-tide stone wall now extends 160 ft. out seaward from the red light, or extreme end of the woodwork of South Mole, owing to the auxiliary scow "Eunice" striking the end of this mole and carrying away about 160 ft. of the structure.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Chart No. 2054; "New Zealand Pilot," eighth edition, 1908, Chapter v, page 156; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1917, page 292, and plan facing page 290.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 86 of 1917.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 2nd October, 1917.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Hydrographic Office, London; the Hydrographic Office, Washington; the Minister of State for Communications, Tokyo; and the Governor, Balboa Heights, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

ENGLAND, SOUTH COAST.

(1.) FALMOUTH HARBOUR APPROACH.—LIGHT-BUOYS ESTABLISHED.—TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Former Notice.—No. 687 of 1917; hereby cancelled.

Two light-buoys have been established to mark a gateway in the approach to Falmouth Harbour, as follows:—

(a.) Eastern light-buoy,—

Position.—At a distance of 3.1 miles, 198° (S. 35° W. mag.), from St. Anthony Point Lighthouse. Lat. 50° 5½' N., long. 5° 2¼' W.

Description.—A conical light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting a flashing green light every five seconds—thus, flash 2 secs., eclipse 3 secs.

(b.) Western light-buoy,—

Position.—At a distance of approximately 600 ft., 265° (N. 78° W. mag.), from the eastern light-buoy (a).

Description.—A can light-buoy, painted in red and white chequers, exhibiting an occulting red light every ten seconds—thus, light 7 secs., eclipse 3 secs.

All vessels bound to or from Falmouth Harbour must pass between the above light-buoys and maintain a course 0° (N. 17° E. mag.) and 180° (S. 17° W. mag.) respectively for a distance of a quarter of a mile from the light-buoys.

Vessels approaching from the eastward, after passing the meridian of Penare Head, must keep to the southward of the parallel of lat. 50° 3' N. before attempting to pass through the gateway.

Any instructions given by the patrol vessels should be strictly observed. Vessels proceeding eastward must obtain instructions as to the route to be followed before attempting to leave the anchorage.

Inward-bound vessels will have priority over outward-bound vessels in respect of passage through the gateway. Vessels entering Falmouth Harbour must close the drifter, stationed about half a mile to the southward of the two light-buoys defining the gateway.

This drifter regulates inward-bound and outward-bound traffic. When no signals are exhibited by day or night by this drifter, inward-bound traffic may proceed to pass through the gateway.

To indicate that the gateway is clear for outward-bound vessels the drifter will display by day a black shape and by night two horizontal white lights.

During fog three long blasts on the steam whistle, repeated at intervals of five minutes, will indicate that the gateway is clear for outward-bound traffic.

Vessels approaching Falmouth in foggy weather should be careful to sound the regulation fog-signal and to proceed with great caution when within a depth of 30 fathoms at all states of the tide.

When the gateway is clear for inward-bound traffic, no outward-bound vessel may approach within half a mile of the gateway; and when the signals indicate that outward-bound traffic may pass through the gateway, no inward-bound vessels may approach within half a mile of the gateway.

During the hours of darkness all vessels entering or leaving Falmouth Harbour must exhibit their sidelights.

(2.) PENZANCE BAY.—LIGHT-BUOYS ESTABLISHED.—TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Two light-buoys have been established to mark a gateway in the approach to Penzance Bay, as follows:—

(a.) Eastern light-buoy,—

Position.—At a distance of 14½ cables, 103° (S. 60° E. mag.), from St. Paul church. Lat. 50° 5' N., long. 5° 30½' W.

Description.—A conical light-buoy, painted red, exhibiting a flashing green light every five seconds.

(b.) Western light-buoy,—

Position.—At a distance of approximately 600 ft., 270° (N. 73° W. mag.), from the eastern light-buoy (a).

Description.—A can light-buoy, painted in red and white chequers, exhibiting an occulting red light every ten seconds.

All vessels bound to or from Penzance Bay must pass between the above light-buoys and maintain a course 0° (N. 17° E. mag.) and 180° (S. 17° W. mag.) respectively for a distance of a quarter of a mile from the light-buoys.

Vessels approaching from the eastward must keep to the southward of the parallel of lat. 50° 2' N. until reaching a position about 3 miles southward of the gateway, which should then be steered for. Any instructions given by the patrol vessels should be strictly observed.

Inward-bound vessels will have priority over outward-bound vessels in respect of passage through the gateway. Vessels entering Penzance Bay must close the drifter, stationed about half a mile to the southward of the two light-buoys defining the gateway.

This drifter regulates inward-bound and outward-bound traffic. When no signals are exhibited by day or night by

this drifter, inward-bound traffic may proceed to pass through the gateway.

To indicate that the gateway is clear for outward-bound vessels, the drifter will display by day a black shape and by night two horizontal white lights.

During fog three long blasts on the steam whistle, repeated at intervals of five minutes, will indicate that the gateway is clear for outward-bound traffic.

Vessels making Mounts Bay in foggy weather should be careful to sound the regulation fog-signal and to proceed with great caution when within a depth of 25 fathoms at all states of the tide.

When the gateway is clear for inward-bound traffic, no outward-bound vessel may approach within half a mile of the gateway; and when the signals indicate that outward-bound traffic may pass through the gateway, no inward-bound vessel may approach within half a mile of the gateway.

During the hours of darkness, all vessels entering or leaving Penzance Bay must exhibit their side-lights.

Before attempting to leave Penzance Bay, outward-bound vessels must obtain instructions as to the route to be followed.

NOTE.—This notice is a revision of the former notice quoted above.

Variation.—17° W.

UNITED STATES.

ATLANTIC COAST.—NEW YORK.—SCOTLAND LIGHT-VESSEL.—ALTERATION IN FOG-SIGNAL.

Position.—Lat. 40° 26½' N., long. 73° 55½' W.

Alteration.—The bell has been altered to give one stroke every ten seconds.

BRAZIL.

TRINIDAD ISLAND.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.

On the night of 30th April last, on Trinidad Island was put in operation an automatic flashing white light—thus, flash 0.5 second, eclipse 5 seconds—illuminating 187° 45' of the horizon from 312° 15' to 140°, and visible in clear weather 15 miles.

The light is mounted on an iron support, painted white, with its focal plane 7.7 ft. above the ground and 292 ft. above mean sea-level.

Approx. position : Lat. 20° 30' 1" S., long. 29° 20' 1.1" W.

NOTE.—The longitude given falls westward of the island as shown on B.A. Chart 388.

PANAMA.

PACIFIC COAST.—PORT SAN LORENZO.—BACA CHICA.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.

A flashing white light every 3 seconds has been established on the mainland, on the eastern (starboard) side of the Boca Chica entrance to the Port of San Lorenzo.

Approx. position : Lat. 8° 12' 20" N., long. 82° 11' 40" W.

NOTE.—There is no light on Saino Island.

GULF OF PANAMA.—CAPE MALA LIGHT REPORTED IRREGULAR.

The master of a steamer reports that Cape Mala light was observed to be showing flash 5 seconds, eclipsed 6 seconds.

Approx. position : Lat. 7° 27' 30" N., long. 79° 59' 30" W.

MENSABE LIGHT.—CHARACTERISTIC.

The characteristic of Mensabé light is flashing red every 3 seconds—thus, flash 0.3 second, eclipsed 2.7 seconds.

This light is maintained by the Republic of Panama.

Approx. position : Lat. 7° 45' 30" N., long. 80° 11' W.

SAN CARLOS LIGHT.—PERIOD.

The period of San Carlos light, at the entrance to the Rio Mata Ahagada, is 1 second—thus, flash 0.3 second, eclipsed 0.7 second.

This light is maintained by the Republic of Panama.

Approx. position : Lat. 8° 27' N., long. 79° 57' W.

PANAMA CANAL.

CAPTAINS OF THE PORTS.

1. The Captains of the Ports, under the Marine Superintendent, are charged with the general supervision and enforcement of the rules and regulations relating to the navigation of the Canal, terminal ports, and waters adjacent thereto, and with the enforcement of harbour regulations. They are charged with the berthing and mooring of vessels, inspection and admeasurement of vessels, supervision of pilots, despatch and transit of vessels through the Canal, and they shall

generally regulate the movement and berthing of all shipping and floating equipment in so far as it relates to the safe and expeditious navigation of vessels through the channels and terminal ports of the Canal. In all cases of regulation of the movement of shipping and floating equipment pertaining to the Panama Canal or Panama Railroad Company, the convenience and requirement of the work on which it is engaged will have full consideration, and will not be interfered with except for reasons affecting the safety of the navigation of the Canal, for which the Marine Superintendent is responsible to the Governor.

2. The Captains of the Ports shall use every facility under their control to expedite shipping and to assist the various departments and divisions in rendering service to shipping, and shall, as far as possible, so co-ordinate the work of the Canal as a servant of commerce that steamship masters, agents, and representatives of shipping may make their needs known to the Captains of the Ports, and may feel that, as far as practicable, they may deal with a single office rather than with a number of separate heads of departments.

3. When a request for services or work in connection with shipping or shipping interests is received from a Captain of the Port by a responsible official of any department or division, or branch of either, it will be considered as sufficient authority to provide the services or to proceed with the work.

4. The Captains of the Ports are charged with the entrance and clearance of all vessels that enter and clear the terminal ports of the Canal Zone, and will deny the entrance or departure of vessels until all laws and regulations concerning quarantine, Customs, immigration, and navigation are complied with, and until all tolls and other dues are paid. They shall be supplied with all necessary information and documents by the various departments and divisions of the Panama Canal and Panama Railroad Company, in order that these entrances and clearances may be accomplished expeditiously.

5. The Captains of the Ports shall prepare and keep corrected to date all information in regard to vessels entering Canal Zone waters, including names, nationalities, line or company, measurements, tonnage, character of cargo, time of arrival and departure, port of departure and destination, and all other information in relation thereto which may be of interest.

6. The Captains of the Ports shall be prepared, as far as possible, to keep all other departments informed on matters of interest to them in relation to shipping, and to furnish shipping with full information in relation to Canal affairs.

7. The Captains of the Ports shall furnish tugs for towage through the Canal, handling vessels, and shifting berths, as may be necessary, and shall be prepared to furnish tugs, barges, lighters, and other floating equipment for the use of vessels in the terminal ports, or for other departments, in any part of the Canal Zone waters.

8. The Captains of the Ports shall each keep on hand, corrected to date, a set of charts, a light list, sailing directions, and such other data as are usually kept in the United States branch hydrographic offices, and shall be prepared to give information to masters and others in relation to the navigation of Canal waters and the usual steamship routes. They shall keep standard time of the 75th meridian, corrected to date, and shall furnish chronometer comparisons when requested.

9. The Captains of the Ports shall assist in protection against fire in the harbours and on the wharves and all buildings along the waterfronts.

10. Through the pilots, tug-masters, and others, the Captains of the Ports shall carefully note all accidents, collisions, or damages to vessels, floating equipment, wharves, aids to navigation, &c., which may be the cause of complaint or result in liability for damages, and shall be prepared to give evidence or recommend adjustment, as the case may warrant.

11. Vessels in Canal Zone waters should address all inquiries regarding these rules, tolls, other charges, supplies, and similar matters to the Captain of the nearest port.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.—WEST COAST.—BARRIER ISLANDS.—ROCK REPORTED.

On 16th June, 1917, the steamer "Princess Maquinna," bound out through the Barrier Reef, drawing 16 ft. of water, struck a rock about 3 miles westward of Lookout Island.

Approximate position of Lookout Island: Latitude 49° 59' 40" N., longitude 127° 27' 30" W.

JAPAN.

SHIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Notice is hereby given that the character, candle-power, and visibility of the light of Omoji-iwa Beacon light, on N. of

Aino-shima, W. entrance to Shimonoseki Strait, will be changed as follows at the beginning of August, 1917.

Omoji-iwa Beacon Light.

Character.—Pintsch gas, occulting red; duration of light 3 seconds, and of eclipse 2 seconds.

Power.—100 candles.

Visible Distance.—10 nautical miles in clear night.

Further notice will be given after the above changes have been effected.

MALACCA AND SINGAPORE STRAITS.

LIGHTS EXTINGUISHED AND TO BE EXTINGUISHED.

The Consul-General of the Netherlands at Singapore reports that the lights of Cyrene Reef, Raffles Reef, Singapore (Fort Canning), and the lights in the channels to Penang are extinguished.

The light on Sultan Reef is extinguished every evening at 8 o'clock.

It is possible that without further notice the remaining lights on the British side of Malacca and Singapore Straits will be extinguished.

Mining Privileges to be struck off the Register.—Notice under the Mining Act, 1908, and Amendments.

Mining Registrar's Office, Coromandel, 17th September, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the expiration of three months from this date the mining privileges mentioned in the Schedule hereto will, unless cause to the contrary is shown, be struck off the Register.

J. SNODGRASS, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
6/99	5/10/1899	Business-site ..	Kuaotunu ..	Charles Edward T. Simpson.
10/99	2/11/1899	Residence-site ..	" ..	Margaret Fenley.
115/02	10/9/1902	Special site ..	Tokatea ..	Peter O. A. Luhrs.
117/02	10/9/1902	" ..	" ..	" ..
60/03	1/4/1903	" ..	Gumtown ..	John Carroll.
117/03	15/7/1903	" ..	Waikanae No. 1 Block	Harry Johnson.
126/03	12/8/1903	Water-race ..	Block VI, Harataunga	" ..
127	12/8/1903	Tunnel ..	" V, Otama S.D. ..	James A. Thomson.
128	12/8/1903	Tramway ..	" ..	" ..
81	13/7/1904	Residence-site ..	Kuaotunu ..	Flora McCarthy.
92/04	13/7/1904	Water-race ..	Block II, Coromandel ..	Peter O. A. Luhrs.
94	13/7/1904	" ..	" ..	" ..
30	10/5/1905	Residence-site ..	Driving Creek ..	James Hickey.
85	11/9/1906	" ..	Kuaotunu ..	Martin McCarthy.
235	8/6/1909	" ..	" ..	Samuel Edmonds.
827	7/10/1913	Ordinary alluvial claim	Block II, Coromandel ..	Kaponga Gold Recovery Company (Limited).
837	6/11/1913	Extended quartz claim	" ..	Alexander McNeil.
882	3/3/1914	Special site ..	Driving Creek ..	Kaponga Gold Recovery Company (Limited).
898	31/3/1914	Water-race ..	" ..	" ..
912	28/5/1914	Special quartz claim ..	Block IX, Harataunga	John McKay.
915	28/5/1914	Water-race ..	Driving Creek ..	Coromandel Hydraulic Elevating Company.
918	28/5/1914	" ..	Block II, Coromandel ..	" ..
928	24/6/1914	" ..	" I, ..	" ..
969	27/8/1914	" ..	Mahaharu River ..	" ..
974	27/8/1914	Residence-site ..	Driving Creek ..	Isabella Mayze.
983	22/9/1914	Water-race ..	Waikoromiko Creek ..	Coromandel Hydraulic Elevating Company.
987	20/10/1914	Extended quartz claim	Block II, Coromandel ..	Arthur Steele Ford.
1034	25/2/1915	" ..	" ..	John O'Hara.
1035	23/3/1915	Water-race ..	Waiau Creek ..	William Guffie.
1071	28/7/1915	Extended alluvial claim	Block II, Coromandel ..	Malcolm Fleming.
1072	28/7/1915	" ..	Harataunga West No. 7	" ..
1075	28/7/1915	Ordinary quartz claim	" ..	William Dick.
1086	22/9/1915	Special site ..	Tokatea ..	Malcolm Fleming.
1088	22/9/1915	Residence-site ..	Coromandel ..	Fabian S. Petrie.
1101	26/10/1915	Water-race ..	Waharoa Creek ..	Malcolm Fleming.
1127	25/1/1916	Special quartz claim ..	Tokatea ..	William James McLean.
1131	24/3/1916	Dam ..	Whangarahi Creek ..	Coromandel Hydraulic Elevating Company.
1143	21/3/1916	Tunnel ..	Driving Creek ..	Malcolm Fleming.
1144	21/3/1916	Special site ..	" ..	" ..
1145	21/3/1916	Water-race ..	" ..	" ..
1150	18/4/1916	Extended river claim ..	Whangarahi Creek ..	Clifford Fleming.
1169	12/8/1916	" ..	Driving Creek ..	Coromandel Hydraulic Elevating Company.
1196	6/12/1916	Special river claim ..	Block II, Coromandel, and IX, Harataunga	" ..

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Education Reserves in Taranaki Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 29th September, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, at 11.30 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 15th November, 1917, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Town of New Plymouth.

PART Section 196H: Area, 38 perches; upset annual rent, £1.
Sections 392 and 418: Area, 2 roods 3 perches; upset annual rent, £1.

Sections 1643 and part 1644*: Area, 1 rood 9 perches; upset annual rent, £2.

Part 196H comprises easy slope, in grass, and fenced. Remaining sections comprise rough gullies, in grass.

* Possession on 1st January, 1918.

Town of Stratford.

Section 47: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rent, £2 10s.
Comprises flat and easy sloping land, in grass.

Town of Maniaia.

Sections 1, 2, 4-12, and 14-20, Block XXV: Area, 4 acres
2 roods; upset annual rent, £9 5s.
Comprises mostly good flat land, all in grass.

Town of Mangamui.

Sections 66 and 75: Area, 1 acre; upset annual rent, £1.
Comprises flat land, in grass.

Town of Matiere.

Section 31, Block I: Area, 36 perches; upset annual
rent, 10s.
Comprises level swamp land, in raupo, flax, and manuka.

Village of Tatu.

Section 18, Block II: Area, 1 rood 14 perches; upset
annual rent, 5s.
Comprises fairly dry level land, in heavy bush and second-
growth scrub.

Suburbs of Opunake.

Section 19: Area, 12 acres 3 roods; upset annual rent, £10.
Comprises undulating to flat land, in grass; stony forma-
tion.

RURAL LAND.

Mahoe Survey District.

Section 1, Block IX: Area, 895 acres; upset annual rent,
£28.

Situated on the Tirohanga Road, about fifteen miles and
a half from Whangamomona — by dray-road twelve miles,
6 ft. track two miles, balance unformed. The section com-
prises steep ridges falling to valley in the centre, with a little
easy country along the streams; covered with a fairly heavy
forest of tawa, rimu, tawhero, &c., and a dense undergrowth
of mahoe, raurekau, supplejacks, ferns, &c. Soil of medium
quality, on sandstone formation; well watered.

Omona Survey District.

Section 19, Block VII: Area, 300 acres; upset annual
rent, £22 10s.

Weighted with £75, valuation for improvements consisting
of 25 acres felled and in grass.

Situated on the Rawhitiroa Road. Access from Eltham,
twenty-three miles distant by a good dray-road practically
all metalled. The section comprises steep country falling to
centre and rising to back boundary. Heavy forest of tawa,
rimu, hinau, matai, miro, tawhero, &c., and a dense under-
growth of supplejacks, mahoe, raurekau, houhou, tawhiri,
pongas, &c. Soil good quality, papa and sandstone forma-
tion; well watered.

Opaku Survey District.

Section 9, Block VIII: Area, 732 acres; upset annual
rent, £18 10s.

Situated on the Ngarahu Road. Access from Waverley,
thirty miles distant, via Okotuku, Mataimoana, and Ahoroa
Roads, formed dray-roads. The Ngarahu Road is unformed.
The section comprises rough ridges and spurs, except at the
extreme northern end, where the country is a little easier.
The section is covered with a fairly heavy forest of tawa,
rata, scattered rimu, &c., and a dense undergrowth of karamu,
supplejacks, &c. The soil is of papa formation, and the sec-
tion is well watered. Good grass country when felled.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, and lease and regis-
tration fees, £2 2s., to be paid on fall of hammer.
2. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right
of renewal for successive terms of twenty-one years at rents
based on fresh valuations under the provisions of the Public
Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

3. No compensation for improvements; but if lease is not
renewed upon expiry, the new lease offered for disposal by
public competition will be subject to payment by the in-
coming tenant of valuation for improvements effected by the
original lessee with the consent of the Land Board; failing
disposal, the land and improvements revert to the Crown
without compensation.

4. No transfer, mortgage, sublease, or subdivision allowed
without consent.

5. Lessee to cultivate and improve the land and keep it
clear of weeds.

6. Lessee to maintain in good substantial repair all build-
ings, fences, gates, and drains, and to keep clear all creeks,
drains, ditches, and watercourses, to trim all live hedges, and
to yield up all improvements in good order and condition at
the expiration of the lease.

7. Rent payable half-yearly in advance, subject to penalty
at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum for any period during
which it remains in arrear.

8. No gravel to be removed from land without consent of
the Land Board.

9. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade.

10. Lessee to give notice to Land Board before making
improvements.

11. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.

12. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Improvements on Rural Lands.—Lessee is required to im-
prove the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent.
of the capital value; within two years to the value of another
10 per cent. of the capital value; and thereafter, but within
six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the capital
value. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years,
improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for
every acre of first-class land and 10s. for every acre of second-
class land.

NOTE.—Possession will be given on the day of sale, except
where otherwise noted.

Form of lease may be perused and full particulars obtained
at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Marlborough Land District open for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 1st October, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to section 21 of the
Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, that the under-
mentioned land is open for sale or selection on the optional
system; and applications will be received at the District
Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, up to 4 o'clock p.m.
on Monday, 12th November, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—SOUNDS COUNTY.—ARAPAWA
SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

SECTION 9, Block I: Area, 106 acres 1 rood 16 perches.
Capital value, £110. Occupation with right of purchase:
Half-yearly rent, £2 15s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent,
£2 4s.

Access by water, about an hour's run by launch from
Picton. Has a fair frontage, though generally is steep and
broken, and somewhat shady in the winter. Soil fair. About
80 acres cleared and sown in grass, but is in a neglected
condition. Altitude, sea-level to 1,400 ft.

H. D. MCKELLAR,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Appellate Court at Te Kuiti.

Registrar's Office, Auckland, 25th September, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Appellate Court will be held at Te Kuiti on the 18th day of October, 1917, to hear and determine the matters set forth in the Schedule hereto.

All persons interested in the said matters are hereby notified to attend at the time and place aforesaid.

[Auckland, 1917-10.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPEALS AGAINST DECISIONS OF THE NATIVE LAND COURT.

No.	Name of Appellant.	Name of Land.	Decision in respect of which Appeal is made.
1	H. M. Skeet (Commissioner of Crown Lands)	Te Awaiti 1c	Decision dated 1st June, 1917, partitioning the said land.
2	Moanaroa Parata	Kakatarahae 2	Decision dated 30th August, 1916, appointing successors to Te Ngaru Otikapa, deceased.
3	Ngatihake te Kome	Karutewhenua B 5c 5A ..	Decision dated 25th July, 1916, appointing successors to Whaaro Wetere, deceased.
4	Tamihana te Huirau and others	Kinohaku East 1F 21 and other blocks	Decision dated 8th November, 1916, appointing successors to Tarahuia Nahona, deceased.
5	Whakamarumarū Tahana and others	Mangere, Lot 10	Decision dated 29th June, 1917, appointing successors to Maraea Tukuiho, deceased.
6	Tuteao te Uira	Maungatapu B 3	Decision dated 19th January, 1917, appointing successors to Tuteao Manihera, deceased.
7	Tana Hakopa and Rokatau Karaka	Maungatautari 3A 5A, &c.	Decision dated 9th February, 1916, appointing successors to Wiremu te Whitu, deceased.
8	Nuku Pera Katipa	Namuhieriro	Decision dated 20th October, 1916, appointing successors to Katipa Paraone te Tatau, deceased.
9	Rikihana Winika	Okauia 3c	Decision dated 23rd February, 1917, appointing successors to Rehunga Eru, deceased.
10	Mita Karaka .. ..	.. ..	Ditto.
11	Tangiaro Totaea and others (Parr and Blomfield)	Opuatia 16c 2 and other blocks	Decision dated 23rd February, 1917, appointing successors to Huirua Harihari Totaea, deceased.
12	Tutaki te Ringitanga and Wehi te Ringitanga	Rangitoto-Tuhua 36A 2A ..	Decision dated 16th November, 1916, partitioning the said land.
13	Ditto	36A 2c	Ditto.
14	Tanawhea Huirangi	Tauwhare, Lot 106	Decision dated 9th October, 1916, appointing successors to Panekou Rihia, deceased.
15	Mei Moka	Tupanaki 2	Decision dated 30th May, 1917, appointing successors to Hoani Paahau, deceased.
16	Hikori Rawiri (Miller and Son)	Waiari 2 South A	Decision dated 13th September, 1916, appointing successors to Hikori Amomai, deceased.
17	Pue and Urutawhia	Waipipi, Lots 270 and 272	Decision dated 30th January, 1917, appointing successors to Enoke Pani and Heni Pani, deceased.
18	Paora Hopere	Lot 278	Decision dated 25th June, 1917, appointing successors to Te Tupe, deceased.
19	George Hetet and John Hetet (R. B. Williams)	.. ..	Decision dated 29th March, 1917, granting probate of the will of Taonui Hikaka, deceased.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
20	Tema Pouwharetapu	Pirongia West 1, Section 2G 1.
21	Ema Omipi (Hine, Vernon, and Howarth)	Rangitoto-Tuhua 57B 2A.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rotorua.

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 29th September, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Rotorua on the 22nd day of October, 1917, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Waiariki, 1917-15.]

H. S. KING, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1203	Ngamibi te Kura (Hampson and Davys)	Paengaroa North D 1B.
1204	Edward le Roy (Hampson)	Taheke-Papakainga 2.
1205	Hinga Tawhio	Waotu South 3.
1206	Mihi te Mauparaoa	Whirinaki 1, Section 2H.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
1207	Te Tauhu Kingi (Hodge) ..	Okere 1c ..	Applying for cancellation of partition orders.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTIONS 49 AND 50 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
1208	William Allison ..	Pohueroro 5A, 6A, 6B, 4, 3, 2, and 1	Applying to have a road laid off over the said blocks in order to give access from Pohueroro 5B to the road on the Te Aruhe-a-Hika Block.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
1209	Te Mapu te Kura ..	Te Kura Wharepohue.

APPLICATION FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which Interest is calculated.	Amount.
1210	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Rotoiti 3G ..	30 July, 1917 ..	£ s. d. 11 16 2
		" 3K ..	30 " 1917 ..	12 7 11
		" 3L ..	30 " 1917 ..	48 2 8
		" 3M ..	30 " 1917 ..	32 2 6
		" 3N ..	30 " 1917 ..	22 18 3
		" 3T ..	30 " 1917 ..	22 16 11
		" 3V ..	30 " 1917 ..	39 4 3
		" 3W ..	30 " 1917 ..	11 1 3

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings.

Office of the Ikaroa District Native Land Court, Wellington, 3rd October, 1917.
NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Hastings on the 16th day of October, 1917, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

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

[Wellington, 1917-20.]

F. O. V. ACHESON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLES.

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

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

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

4	Paumana Whanga and others ..	Pakuratahi.
5	Pukepuke Tangiora (T. W. Lewis) ..	Puketi.
6	Hana Pewa Tawhai and Atareta Titapu (Norris and Larnach) ..	Tapairu, Section 14.
7	Te Whatu Renata ..	Rotoakiwa No. 2.
8	Hoani Ratima ..	Te Rowhitu.
9	Retia and Makere Pareihe ..	Patangata 1G, 1H 1, and 1H 2.
10	" ..	" 2D, 2H, 2K, and 2M.
11	" ..	" 3E Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 8.
12	" ..	" 4A 2.
13	Putiputi Rameka (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood) ..	Omahu 2M.
14	Rarati Hinerangia and others ..	Poukawa No. 4.
15	Tangatake Hapuku ..	Patangata No. 4A 1B.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—*continued.*

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>		
16	Keita Tanatiu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waipuka 2k (Reserve).
17	"	" JA No. 4A.
18	"	Waimarama No. 2D 2.
19	Arthur Harmer	Koparakore A No. 2.
20	Utiera	Tarawera.
21	Nepata Puhara and others	"
22	Hutitia Hoata	Wharerangi No. 7.
23	Wi Edwards (Dolan, Hallett, and Major)	Kakewahine No. 1A.
24	Mepera Maku Erihana	Pukekura East No. 3.
25	Keita Tanatiu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waipuka 3A 3.
26	Irihapeti te Wheoro (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waimarama 3A 4B.
27	Under-Secretary, Native Department	Mangaorapa 2B and 2C.
28	Wahanga Hinerohē (Dolan, Hallett, and Major)	Poukawa No. 3.
29	Tira Hone (T. H. R. Anaru)	Pukahu.
30	Rora te Oiroa (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas)	Owhaoko C No. 3.
31	Wiremu Ponatahuri and others	Poukawa No. 13.
32	Makuaiteurangi Erihana	Ruakawa No. 2.
33	H. P. Ratima and others	Tutira.
34	Rapihana Hawaikirangi	Pukerowhitu No. 2.
35	Tangatake Hapuku	" No. 2.
NEW APPLICATIONS.		
36	Paora Tanatiu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waimarama 2D 2.
37	Kuini Maki	Pakowhai.
38	Waikari Ratima	Poukawa 9C.
39	Wira te Aomarama	" 7.
40	Ani Kanara (Cotterill and Humphries)	Pukehomoamoā F No. 3.
41	Te Roiri Pareihe (Walter Hislop)	Patangata 4A 2A.

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

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

APPLICATIONS FOR DEFINITION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
43	Miraka Ratima (Dolan, Hallett, and Major)	Puketauhinu.
44	Hape Nikora and others	Tarawera.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
107	Ranana Kere (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Ohiti Waitio 1E 4B	Ranana Kere.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
108	Rau Huki (T. W. Lewis)	Remana Huki.
109	Mangu Keepa (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Roka Tuketahi.
110	Davis Uru and Pane Warena	Arapera Panapa.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
111	Joseph Gillies (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Tuakana Gillies.
112	A. L. D. Fraser (Lee and Wedde)	"

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 91 OF THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
113	Under-Secretary	Mangaorapa 1B, Block VI (parts) and 3B, Blocks IX and X (parts)	Applying to the Court to assess the amount of compensation payable for portions of the said lands taken for roads.

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

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

APPLICATION IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 27 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
115	Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood	Kakiraawa 2B 2L and 2B 2w	Applying for amendment of succession orders dated the 30th September, 1915, on succession to Urupene Puhara, deceased, in the said blocks.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
116	Pukepuke Tangiora (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams)	Kakiraawa 2B 2B ..	Applying that the said block be vested in the "Waiapu Board of Diocesan Trustees" as a church reserve.

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

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

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
118	Nerita Paraone (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood)	Waipuka 3B 1A, Section 2, and 3B 1B	Applying for variation of boundaries.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE OF LAND.

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

MATTER REFERRED TO THE NATIVE LAND COURT UNDER CLAUSE 9 OF THE REGULATIONS UNDER THE MINING ACT, 1908.

No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Matter referred.
120	Tatara-a-kina	Application by William Neville, of Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, sheep-farmer, for a prospecting warrant over the whole of the said block.

APPLICATION IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 178 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
121	Hoani Hakiwai	Omahaki and other blocks	Applying for an order declaring the applicant to have attained the full age of twenty-one years.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 3rd October, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Hastings on Wednesday, the 17th day of October, 1917, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

F. O. V. ACHESON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1916/273	Lease ..	20 September, 1916	Wharerangi No. 7A ..	Tohea Ngarangi Puaowahia, Wharepihi Puaowahia Hone Puaowahia, Ngarangi Puaowahia, Peranara Puaowahia to Charles Codd (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
2	1917/78	.. ..	18 October, 1917 ..	Te Aute 3D No. 2 and Pukerowhitu 1A No. 4	Ewi Hapuku, Hapuku te Nahu, Maraea te Nahu, and Hararena te Nahu to George Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
3	1917/187	.. ..	2 .. 1917 ..	Ohiti-Waitio No. 5c and Pukehomoamo F No. 1	Pani Karauria to Turoa Renata (Cotterill and Humphries).
4	1917/190	Transfer ..	9 .. 1917 ..	Ngatarawa 2E No. 5 ..	Rutakau Warena Hunia to Emma Jane Glazebrook (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
5	1917/194	.. ..	2 July, 1917 ..	Pukehomoamo F No. 2 and Ohiti-Waitio No. 5B	Erena Karauria to Turoa Renata (Lewis and Simpson).
6	1917/197	.. ..	20 .. 1917 ..	Pekapeka No. 2c ..	Nguha Ngawiki to George Ebbett (George Ebbett).
7	1917/231	Mortgage ..	21 August, 1917 ..	Mangamaire B No. 3 and B No. 4	Pamoa Tutere, or Hunia Pamoa, to Samuel McNutt (D. B. Kent).
8	1917/234	.. ..	28 .. 1917 ..	Tahoraiti No. 1A, Section 2	Ehetere Rautahi to Thomas McDermott (Blakiston and Blakiston).
9	1917/235	.. ..	14 .. 1917 ..	Mangaorapa 1B No. 1 ..	Hinurewa Hutana, or Otene, to Robert Perry Peddle (H. F. Norris).
10	1917/237	Transfer ..	29 .. 1917 ..	Omahu 2A No. 2A ..	Ranana Kere to Hinekatorangi te Apatu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
11	1917/238	.. ..	26 July, 1917 ..	Waipuka 3A No. 4A ..	Keita Tanatihu to George Robert Field (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
12	1917/239	.. ..	26 .. 1917 ..	.. 3A No. 4B ..	Ditto.
13	1917/240	.. ..	8 August, 1917 ..	Ohiti-Waitio 3G No. 1 ..	Wirihana Tipene to Thomas William Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
14	1917/241	.. ..	31 .. 1917 ..	Ngatarawa 2C No. 1 ..	Hatonga Apirana to Eliza Hastings Blake (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
15	1917/242	.. ..	25 July, 1917 ..	Ohiti-Waitio No. 3B ..	Te Ao Raniera to Thomas William Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
16	1917/243	Lease ..	12 .. 1917 ..	.. 1E No. 4A ..	Ani Retimana Kere and Ranana Kere to Hinekatorangi Apatu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
17	1917/245	Transfer ..	18 August, 1917 ..	Karamu H No. 5 ..	Te Hira Karewa to Hinekatorangi te Apatu (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
18	1917/246	Lease ..	30 May, 1917 ..	Pukehou No. 4 ..	Te Aukati Heretaunga to Makere te Ua (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
19	1917/247	Transfer ..	31 August, 1917 ..	Porangahau 2B No. 25..	Nohotatara Eria to Myra Fanny White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
20	1917/248	Lease ..	27 March, 1917 ..	Papaaruhe No. 1A ..	Areta Rerekau to George Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
21	1917/257	Transfer ..	7 August, 1917 ..	Eparaima Block G No. 3C	Te Atua Renata and Ieni Renata, to Blanche Isabel Fleming (Cotterill and Humphries).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
22	1917/258	Transfer ..	25 September, 1917	Te Patuna-a-te-Atuatoro	Paerata Hape to Clara Caroline Thompson (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
23	1917/259	„ ..	22 „ 1917	Puketotara No. 9B, Sections 3, 4, and 5	Rota te Rangi to John William Lewis (Cooke and Beale).
24	1917/261	„ ..	17 „ 1917	Waiohiki No. 2A, Section 2	Nirai Runga or Paku to Patrick Higgins (Cotterill and Humphries).
25	1917/262	Lease ..	28 June, 1917 ..	Wharerangi 8c No. 1 ..	Reretima Kerei to Victor Codd (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
26	1917/263	„ ..	25 September, 1917	Tangoio South A No. 7 ..	Oriwia Porou to Nuku Pera (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
27	1917/264	Transfer ..	28 „ 1917	Otawhao A 3, Section 47	Te Hutana Ihaia to Norman Matthias Paulsen (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
28	1917/265	„ ..	15 „ 1917	„ „ 47	Rerekohu Tupaea to Norman Matthias Paulsen (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
29	1917/266	„ ..	21 August, 1917 ..	„ „ 47	Pohiri te Warutu to Norman Matthias Paulsen (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
30	1917/267	„ ..	15 September, 1917	„ „ 46A	Ihaia Hutana to Norman Matthias Paulsen (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
31	1917/268	„ ..	22 „ 1917	„ „ 46B	Pukepuke Tangiora to Norman Matthias Paulsen (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL TO CONSENT TO MORTGAGES UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
32	1917/231	Mangamaire B Nos. 3 and 4 ..	Pamoa Tutere, or Hunia Pamoa, to Samuel McNutt (D. B. Kent).
33	1917/234	Tahoraiti No. 1A, Section 2 ..	Ehetere Rautahi to Thomas McDermott (Blackiston and Blackiston).
34	1917/235	Mangaorapa 1B No. 1 ..	Hinurewa Hutana, or Otene, to Robert Perry Peddle (H. F. Norris).

APPLICATIONS FOR PRECEDENT CONSENT UNDER SECTION 268 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
35	1917/208	Sublease ..	Rakautatahi No. 1L, Section 4 ..	Jane Peck to Frances Svenson.
36	1917/232	Transfer of lease ..	„ 2B No. 2, Section 4 ..	Christian Peter Anderson to Peter Hunt.

APPLICATION FOR PRECEDENT CONSENT UNDER SECTION 311 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
37	1917/269	Sublease ..	Tangoio South D ..	Akuhata Puna to Te Teira te Paea (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 278 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.
38	1917/210	Transfer of church-site to Waiapu Board of Diocesan Trustees ..	Tangoio South D.

APPLICATION FOR LEASE UNDER PART XVI OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.
39	1917/143	Pakowhai Native Reserve ..	Kauru Karaitiana (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 67B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the residue of the land, containing 2,000 acres, be sold to John Thomas Tuck for the sum of £1 10s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 7 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Joseph Coogan for a term of forty-two years at an annual rental of £11 1s."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Ohura South N No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Tuesday, the 23rd day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the residue of the block, containing 366 acres, be leased to Alexander Bell for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 2s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 4s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 54E will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the amount of the Government valuation."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rangitoto-Tuhua 54D No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the amount of the Government valuation."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rangitoto-Tuhua 54A No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the amount of the Government valuation."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 37B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the sum of 15s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 15 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the amount of the Government valuation."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 4B, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to John Somerville for the sum of £4 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Pukenui 2c No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Jessie Russell Jordan for the sum of £2 10s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4c 2d No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That all millable timber on the land be sold to Henry Parkes and Alexander Parkes at the price of 1s. per 100 superficial feet."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Piha No. 2, Section 6, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That all millable timber on the land be sold to Henry Parkes and Alexander Parkes at the price of 1s. per 100 superficial feet."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Te Kuiti 2b No. 14b will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Clement Bartley and Graham Clement Bartley for the sum of £2 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Piha No. 2, Section 4c, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Randal Sellers for the sum of £4 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rapaura No. 2A, Section 2, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

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

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Kinohaku East 3a 2b 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Wednesday, the 24th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Robert Campbell for a term of fifty years at an annual rental of 3s. per acre during the first twenty-five years, and 6s. per acre during the remaining twenty-five years."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Kakepuku 9b 8 No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Thursday, the 25th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Ada Grace Potts for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 1s. 9d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 3s. 6d. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Rangitoto-Tuhua 73b, Section 3, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Thursday, the 25th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"(1.) That the land be leased to Donald Stewart for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 3s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 6s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years."

"(2.) That the land be sold to Donald Stewart for the sum of £3 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 29th day of September, 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 Mataoro Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Waipiro Bay, on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be leased to Edward C. Tassell for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 9d. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 1s. 6d. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years."

Dated at Auckland this 28th day of September, 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 Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Marangairoa 1b 3 Block is summoned and will be held,

in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a lease of the Marangairoa 1B 3 Block be granted to Ngatai Wanoa for a term of twenty-one years at yearly rent equal to 5 per cent. of present Government valuation, together with right to renewal for further term of twenty-one years at yearly rent equal to 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value of the said land, or with right to compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pahiitaua No. 1 is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"That the said Pahiitaua No. 1 Block be sold to Himiona te Owai and Tuhaka Fox, of Waipiro Bay, at a price not less than the Government valuation of the land; or, in the alternative

"That the said land be leased to Himiona te Owai and Tuhaka Fox for twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per cent. per annum of the present Government valuation, together with right to renewal for further term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per cent. per annum of the then unimproved value of the land, or with right to compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Pahiitaua No. 4 is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of September, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said Pahiitaua No. 4 Block be sold to Himiona te Owai and Tuhaka Fox, of Waipiro Bay, at a price not less than the Government valuation of the land; or, in the alternative

"That the said land be leased to Himiona te Owai and Tuhaka Fox for twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per cent. per annum of the present Government valuation, together with the right to renewal for further term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per cent. per annum of the then unimproved valuation of the land, or with the right to compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakaangi No. 4B 2 is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said Whakaangi No. 4B 2 Block be sold to the trustees of the Waiapu Returned Soldiers Trust at a price equal to the Government valuation of the owners' interest in the same."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakaangi No. 6B 2B Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said Whakaangi No. 6B 2B Block be sold to the trustees of the Waiapu Returned Soldiers Trust at a price equal to the Government valuation of the owners' interest in the same."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiaranga 1 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said Waiaranga No. 1 Block be leased to Tuta Oriki and Ani Rangi, both of Waiapu, Native settlers, as tenants in common in equal shares, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per cent. per annum of the present valuation of the said land, together with the right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per cent. per annum on the then unimproved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Wharekahika 17 and 18K is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the Wharekahika 17 and 18K Block be leased to Tamati Houkamau, of Te Araroa, sheep-farmer, for a term of twenty-one years at a yearly rental equal to 5 per cent. of the unimproved Government valuation of the said land, together with a right to a renewal for a further twenty-one years at a yearly rental equal to 5 per cent. of the then Government unimproved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements in the event of the renewal not being taken."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairāwhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whetumatarau Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a lease of portion of Whetumatarau Block be given to Arthur William Henderson, of Te Araroa, sheep-farmer, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per cent. per annum of the present valuation of the land, together with the right to a renewal for a further twenty-one

years at a rental equal to 5 per cent. per annum of the then unimproved valuation of the land, or with the right to compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whetumatarau Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That part of Whetumatarau Block be leased to Poneke Huihui, farmer, of Te Araroa, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per cent. per annum on the present Government valuation, with the right to a renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per cent. per annum of the then Government unimproved valuation of the said land. If lease not renewed, the lessee to have compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Matakaoa Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the portion, comprising 380 acres, required for a township-site, and delineated on the tracing produced, shall be accepted."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Mangawhariki 1H is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tikitiki on Saturday, the 27th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the above block be leased to Joseph Clarke, of Pakihiroa, sheep-farmer, for term of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for further twenty-one years or compensation for improvements. Rental, 5 per cent. on present Government value of land."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Nuhiti Consolidation Block A is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokomaru Bay on Friday, the 26th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the Nuhiti Consolidation Block A be leased to Taare Winiata, of Tolaga Bay, farmer, for twenty-one years at a

yearly rental equal to 5 per cent. of the Government valuation of the said land, together with a right to a renewal for a further twenty-one years at a yearly rental equal to 5 per cent. of the then Government unimproved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements in the event of the renewal not being taken."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Nuhiti Consolidation Block B is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokomaru Bay on Friday, the 26th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the Nuhiti Consolidation Block B be leased to Katers Lockwood, wife of William Lockwood, of Anaura, farmer, for twenty-one years at a yearly rental equal to 5 per cent. of the Government valuation of the said land, together with a right to a renewal for a further twenty-one years at a yearly rental equal to 5 per cent. of the then Government unimproved valuation of the said land, or with the right to compensation for improvements in the event of the renewal not being taken."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Nuhiti Consolidation G Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokomaru Bay on Friday, the 26th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the Nuhiti Consolidation G Block be leased to Enoke Potae, farmer, of Tokomaru Bay, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental of 5 per cent. on the present Government valuation of the said land, with a right to compensation for improvements."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Nuhiti Consolidation F Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokomaru Bay on Friday, the 26th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That a lease of the said block of land be given to Constance Margaret McLeod, of Claremont, Portland, spinster, for a term of twenty-one years at a rental not less than 5 per cent. per annum of the present Government capital valuation, with a right at end of term to compensation for improvements effected thereon by the lessee."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners

of Paraeroa 1 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Monday, the 29th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said Paraeroa No. 1 Block be sold to Julia Orr, of Kanakanaia, widow, at a price not less than the present Government valuation of the said land."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Nuhiti Consolidation D Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokomaru Bay on Friday, the 26th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That 700 acres of the said Nuhiti Consolidation D Block be leased to Harata te Iringaio and Clarence Yates for a term of twenty-one years at 5 per cent. per annum of the Government valuation, with compensation for all improvements other than boundary fences. Locality to be fixed at the meeting."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Paraeroa No. 2A Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Monday, the 29th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said Paraeroa No. 2A Block be sold to Julia Orr, of Kanakanaia, widow, at a price not less than the present Government valuation of the said land."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Paraeroa 2B Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Monday, the 29th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said Paraeroa No. 2B Block be sold to Julia Orr, of Kanakanaia, widow, at a price not less than the present Government valuation of the said land."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September, 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangaitira 3B 3 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Monday, the 29th day of October, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the said land be sold to Hilary James Peacocke, of Te Karaka, Sawmiller, for the sum of £2,183 (two thousand one hundred and eighty-three pounds)."

Dated at Gisborne this 28th day of September 1917.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Oamaru No. 3B Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Opotiki on Friday, the 26th day of October, 1917, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted."

Dated at Rotorua this 29th day of September, 1917.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends.

Andrews, A. L., and Co., of Auckland, Forwarding Agents: First and final dividend of 2s. 4d. in the pound.

Baker, B. T., of Kaihu, Bush Contractor: First and final dividend of 10s. in the pound.

Edwards, J. G. T., of Auckland, Masseur: First and final dividend of 2½d. in the pound.

Eggers, C. O., of Piriaka, Sawmiller: First and final dividend of 2½d. in the pound.

Godfrey, N., of Stratford, Storekeeper: First and final dividend of 5½d. in the pound.

Hopkins, E. H. M., of Buckland, Farmer: First and final dividend of 12s. 6d. in the pound.

King and Pearce, of Devonport, Grocers: Second dividend of 4s. 6d. in the pound.

Manson, J. W., of Auckland, Restaurant-keeper: First and final dividend of 8½d. in the pound.

Nicholas, T. H., now of Otahuhu, formerly of Whakatane, Tailor: First and final dividend of 5½d. in the pound.

Olson, C. F., of Auckland, Butter-merchant (trading as "Agra Dairy Company"): Second and final dividend of 11½d. in the pound.

Pearson, W. A., of Whangarei, Livery-stable Keeper: First dividend of 4s. in the pound.

Redpath, J. T., of Auckland, Farmer: First and final dividend of 1s. 6d. in the pound.

Richardson, C. H., of Te Aroha, Chemist: Second and final dividend of 1s. 3½d. in the pound.

Richardson, James (deceased), of Te Awamutu, Farmer: First dividend of 12s. 6d. in the pound.

Saunders, C. J., of Avondale, Storekeeper: First dividend of 5s. in the pound.

Wickman, H., of Avondale, Builder: First and final dividend of 9s. in the pound.

Young and Kemp, of Tauranga, Storekeepers: Second dividend of 1s. in the pound.

W. S. FISHER
Official Assignee.

29th September, 1917.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD PATTISON (partner of the firm of Pattison and Brooks), of Parnell, Auckland, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 8th day of October, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

29th September, 1917.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SAMUEL JOHN ROSEVEAR, of Gisborne, Builder and Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 8th day of October, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.
28th September, 1917.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EKENGARANGI HAPUKU, of Te Hauke, Aboriginal Native, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hastings, on Friday, the 5th day of October, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

SOMERSET SMITH,
Deputy Official Assignee.
28th September, 1917.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of THOMAS ROBINSON BOND, of Wanganui, Land Agent, bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a dividend of 1s. 10d. in the pound is now payable at my office, Public Trust Office, on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.
2nd October, 1917.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WILLIAM MUNRO and WILLIAM SNEESTON, trading as "Sneeston and Munro," of Christchurch, Bakers, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 96 Gloucester Street, Christchurch, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of October, 1917, at 2.30 o'clock.

T. D. KENDALL,
Official Assignee.
26th September, 1917.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS HARNEY, of Windsor (near Oamaru), Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Oamaru, on Monday, the 17th day of September, 1917, at 11 o'clock a.m.

A. W. WOODWARD,
Deputy Official Assignee.
5th September, 1917.

In Bankruptcy.

Estate of JAMES COLE, of Otautau, Storekeeper.

A FIRST and final dividend of 6s. 5d. in the pound on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate is now due and payable at the office of the undersigned.

Promissory notes (where held) to be presented for endorsement.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of lease in perpetuity registered in Vol. 89, folio 117, of the Register-book, in the name of FRANK LANCELOT EVANS, of Parkhurst, near Helensville, for Sections 3, 4, 5, and 6 of Block XIII in the Kaipara Survey District, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional lease, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional lease accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the 4th day of October, 1917.

Dated the 1st day of October, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a dealing affecting outstanding Deed of Lease No. 41587, from ABORIGINAL NATIVES to ARTHUR WILLIAM HAGUE, of all that parcel of land situated in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay, containing 125 acres 0 roods 31 perches, being part of Section 17, Clyde Rural, comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 72, folio 16, whereof EVELYN HAGUE is now the registered proprietress, and evidence having been furnished of the loss of the said outstanding lease, notice is hereby given that the production of the said outstanding lease will be dispensed with, and the dealing registered on the 22nd day of October, 1917.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

W. JOHNSTON,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 5th day of November, 1917.

Application 4788 (deposited plan 3823). WILLIAM JEFFREY ANDREW.—5 acres 0 roods 9.2 perches, part Section 13, Right Bank Wanganui River. Occupied by Sarah Janet Brown.

Application 4793 (deposited plan 3817). WILLIAM EDWARD HERBERT.—12.73 perches, part Section 489, City of Wellington. Occupied by Archibald M. Hall.

Application 4808 (deposited plan 3826). WHITANUI LIMITED.—63 acres 0 roods 12.9 perches, part Rural Section 53, Moutoa Block. Occupied by Applicant.

Application 4809 (plan, provisional, 2326). DAVID GARDNER (and four others).—1 acre 0 roods 22.5 perches, part Section 43, Manaia Block. Occupied by Olaf Hagerup Torwick.

Application 4812 (plan, provisional, 2347). THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—413 acres 1 rood 4 perches, Sections 133, 134, 135, and 177, Left Bank Wanganui River. Occupied by James Leonard Higgin, Donald Murchison, and Margaret Phillips.

Application 4815 (deposited plan 3818). WILLIAM HOWARD BOOTH.—1 rood 35.7 perches, part Section 143, Taratahi Plain Block. Occupied by monthly tenant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1917, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

J. J. L. BURKE,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in favour of MATILDA JOHNS, Wife of JOHN JOHNS, of Invercargill, Labourer, for Allotment 1 on plan No. 1096, Town of Invercargill, and being all the land contained in Register-book, Vol. 89, fol. 51, and also for Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, of Block II on plan No. 59, Invercargill Hundred, being all the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 47, folio 39, and evidence having been lodged of the destruction of the said certificates of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue provisional certificates of title as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 25th day of September, 1917.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in favour of JAMES MCKERNAN, late of Fortrose, Farmer (now deceased), for Sections 23, 25, and 26, Block IV, Town of Fortrose, being the land contained in Crown grant, Vol. 30, folio 26, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said Crown grant, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 29th day of September, 1917.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

COMPANIES ACT 1908, SECTION 266.

NEW KOHINOOR GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

TAKE notice that the name of the above company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Given under my hand, at Dunedin, this 27th day of September, 1917.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, carrying on business as General Merchants at Rakaiia, under the style or firm of "Featherstone and Pye," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the eighteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by JOHN PYE, who will continue to carry on the said business under the style or firm of "J. Pye and Co."

Dated the 22nd day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen.

CHARLES EDWIN FEATHERSTONE.
JOHN PYE.

Witness to the signatures of Charles Edwin Featherstone and John Pye—A. J. Magson, J.P., Farmer, Rakaiia. 582

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of NEW ZEALAND RUBBER-AIR COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named company are required on or before the twelfth day of October, 1917, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, to WILFRID STUART GONFREY, of 100 Hereford Street, Christchurch, the Liquidator of the said company; and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are personally or by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.

Dated this twenty-seventh day of September, 1917.

GARRICK, COWLISHAW, ALPERS, AND NICHOLLS,
Solicitors to the Liquidator of the Company. 583

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Waihi Grand Junction Gold Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 22nd December, 1897.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Attorney or Attorneys: Waihi and Auckland; Edwin Septimus King.

Where mine is situate: Waihi.

Nominal capital: £400,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £385,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: £40,494 14s.

Price paid to vendors of mine—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: Nil.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as 15s. paid up: £112,500.

(c.) In cash: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 400,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 217,284.

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

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

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

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

Number of shareholders on New Zealand Register: 1,212.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: 394.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced during the period since last statement: £222,736 1s. 1d.

Total quantity and value produced since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £1,459,589 18s. 1d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on mining operations in New Zealand since last statement: £189,077 13s. 11d.

Total expenditure since registration of office of company in New Zealand: £1,383,279 9s. 9d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £101,966 11s.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £50.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: £20.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: £7 3s. 6d.

Amount of such debts considered good: £7 3s. 6d.

Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: £5,002 17s. 1d.

I, Edwin Septimus King, the Attorney of the Waihi Grand Junction Gold Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as on the 31st December, 1916 (being the date of the last balance-sheet); and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

E. S. KING.

Declared at Waihi this 27th day of September, 1917, before me—W. H. Toy, J.P. 584

WELLINGTON DAIRY (LIMITED).

A PRIVATE COMPANY REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

AT a general meeting held on the 22nd day of August, 1917, the following resolution was passed, and the minute-book signed by all the shareholders in the company:—

"That the Wellington Dairy (Limited), having disposed of its business, be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. ARTHUR JAMES PETHERICK, Public Accountant, of Wellington, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the company."

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ARTHUR PETHERICK, Liquidator.

MASTERTON COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £1,100, authorized to be raised by the Masterton County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for constructing an additional reservoir and filter-bed, restoring the existing mains to their full delivering capacity, and paying off the outstanding liability amounting to £265 10s. 7d. on the original loan, all in connection with the Lansdowne High-pressure Water-supply, the said Masterton County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth of a penny in the pound on the capital rateable value of the Lansdowne Water-supply District described in the special order made by the Masterton County Council on the 8th day of June, 1905, and confirmed on the 13th day of July following, constituting the said district, and in the special order made on the 16th day of May, and confirmed on the 13th day of June, 1911, enlarging the said district; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Masterton was hereto affixed at the office of and pursuant to a resolution of the Masterton County Council, in the presence of—

W. J. WELCH, Chairman.
F. G. MOORE, Clerk.

I certify the foregoing to be a true extract from the minutes of the proceedings at a duly convened and constituted meeting of the Masterton County Council held on the 11th day of September, 1917.

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F. G. MOORE, County Clerk.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the MANGAMAHU MOTOR COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of shareholders of the Mangamahu Motor Company (Limited) will be held at the offices of Messrs. Fairburn and Silk, 52 Victoria Avenue, Wanganui, on Wednesday, 17th day of October, 1917, at 2.30 p.m.

BUSINESS.—To receive the Liquidator's accounts and his report thereon.

E. M. SILK, Liquidator.

Wanganui, 27th September, 1917.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

E. A. BENNETT.

WE, the undersigned, hereby give notice to all whom it may concern that the Partnership recently carried on by us as Grocers at Northland under the style of "E. A. Bennett" is as from the 18th day of September, 1917, dissolved by mutual consent so far as the undersigned ERNEST ARTHUR BENNETT is concerned.

EDITH MARY BENNETT.
DOROTHY BENNETT.
SAMUEL G. PLANT.
KATE PLANT.

Witness to the signatures of Edith Mary Bennett, Dorothy Bennett, Samuel George Plant, and Kate Plant—R. A. Howie, Solicitor, Wellington.

E. A. BENNETT.

Witness to the signature of Ernest Arthur Bennett—E. N. Burt, Clerk, Lower Hutt.

Wellington, September, 1917.

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RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Manawatu Racing Club at a meeting held on the 27th day of August, 1917, at 8 p.m., with a recommendation by the Chairman of the Club, Mr. H. R. Cooper, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by the Governor-General, in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. H. R. Cooper, the Chairman of the Club and the Meeting, moved, and Mr. C. A. Loughnan seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

MANAWATU RACING CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Manawatu Racing Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the property situate in the District of Manawatu, and known as the Awapuni Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

1. In these regulations the words "bookmaker," "racing club," and "race meeting" shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms by section 2 of the Gaming Act, 1908.

2. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the racecourse above described while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely:—

(a.) Bookmakers.

(b.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference.

(c.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or with persons who have no lawful visible means of support.

The foregoing regulations of the Manawatu Racing Club were made and passed by the members of the Manawatu Racing Club on the 27th day of August, 1917, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

HAROLD COOPER, Chairman.
J. M. JOHNSTON, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Manawatu Racing Club are hereby approved this 21st day of September, 1917.

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LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION MADE ON FRIDAY, 21ST DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1917.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,500, authorized to be raised by the Cook County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for enlarging and extending the Muhunga Drain, the said Cook

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County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five-eighths of a penny in the £1 upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Muhunga Drain Special-rating District, comprising the following lands in the Muhunga Block, viz:—

Part 1 of Section 46, 16 acres; part Section 49, 20 acres 0 roods 23 poles; Section 48; Lot 1 of Section 51, Sections 52, 68, Lot 2 of Section 46, 15 acres; Section 67; Lot 19 of Sections 52, 53, 25 acres 1 rood; parts of Sections 51, 52, 69 acres 3 roods 24 poles; Lot 20, and Lots 1/3 of Section 21, and parts of Sections 50, 51, 51 acres 2 roods; Lot 18 of Section 53; Lot 16 of Section 54; part Lot 49, 30 acres; Section 66; Lot 3 of Section 55; Sections 56, 57, 58, 77, 81; part Section 47, 49 acres 2 roods 1 pole; Lot 15 of Section 45; Lots 2 and 4 of Section 44; Lot 23 of Sections 39 and 40; also part of Ngakaroa Block (deposit plan 1107), 200 acres; Lot 22 of Sections 39, 40, Muhunga Block.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of July in each and every year during a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be four and one-half per cent.

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

F. J. LYSNAR,
Chairman.

JOHN WARREN,
Clerk.

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WESTERN TAIERI LAND DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Taieri Land Drainage Act, 1910, the Taieri Land Drainage Act, 1912, the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies' Empowering Act, 1916, the Land Drainage Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Western Taieri Land Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £850, authorized to be raised by the Western Taieri Land Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of repairing the damage caused by flood in June, 1916, the said Western Taieri Land Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate on all the rateable land within the Western Taieri Land Drainage District as follows, namely:—

On all lands in Class "A": One penny per acre.

On all lands in Class "B": Fourteen-fifteenths of a penny per acre.

On all lands in Class "C": Thirteen-fifteenths of a penny per acre.

On all lands in Class "D": Four-fifths of a penny per acre.

On all lands in Class "E": One-half of a penny per acre.

On all lands in Class "F": One-third of a penny per acre.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the fifteenth day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I, William Ernest McLean, Clerk of the Western Taieri Land Drainage Board, hereby certify that the above is a true copy of a resolution making a special rate passed at a meeting of the Board held this twenty-fourth day of September, 1917. Dated at Mosgiel this 24th day of September, 1917.

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W. E. McLEAN, Clerk.

KAWHIA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Kawhia 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 hundred pounds, authorized to be raised by the Kawhia County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of providing the Council's contribution towards the renewal of two bridges on the Awaroa-Mahoe Road destroyed by flood, the said Kawhia

County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one twenty-fourth of a penny in the pound upon the unimproved value of all rateable property of the Awaroa Riding of the Kawhia County (as described on page 2191 of the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 13th July, 1911); and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 17th day of August 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-written resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Kawhia County Council held on the 22nd day of September, 1917.

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C. F. E. BARTON, County Clerk.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Pahiatua Racing Club at a meeting held on the fourth day of September, 1917, at Pahiatua, with a recommendation by the Chairman of the Club, Mr. James McCardle, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by the Governor-General, in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. James McCardle, the Chairman of the Club and the Meeting, moved, and Mr. E. B. Hare seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

PAHIATUA RACING CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

In pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Pahiatua Racing Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the Pahiatua Racecourse and grounds situate in the District of Pahiatua, and known as the Pahiatua Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

1. In these regulations the words "bookmaker," "racing club," and "race meeting" shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms by section 2 of the Gaming Act, 1908.

2. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the racecourse above described while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely:—

(a.) Bookmakers.

(b.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference.

(c.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or with persons who have no lawful visible means of support.

The foregoing regulations of the Pahiatua Racing Club were made and passed by the Pahiatua Racing Club on the fourth day of September, 1917, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

JAS. McCARDLE, Chairman.
S. T. TINNEY, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Pahiatua Racing Club are hereby approved this 25th day of September, 1917.

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LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between ROY PATTERSON FURNESS and GEOFFREY FURNESS, newspaper proprietors, printers, and publishers, carrying on business at Blenheim as Furness Bros., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will hereafter be conducted by ROY PATTERSON FURNESS on his own account.

All accounts due to the firm of Furness Bros. will be received, and all debts owing by the said firm paid, by him.

Dated at Blenheim this 1st day of October, 1917.

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R. P. FURNESS.
G. FURNESS.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, GEORGE HENRY SUTCLIFFE and JAMES MOUNCE, has been dissolved as from the thirty-first day of May, 1917. Dated this 19th day of September, 1917.

G. H. SUTCLIFFE.
J. MOUNCE.

Witness to both signatures—E. Blampied, Solicitor, Bayswater. 595

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the PARAPARA HYDRAULIC SLUICING AND MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that by special resolution unanimously carried at a duly convened extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the company on the 23rd day of August, 1917, and unanimously confirmed at a duly convened extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the company on the 18th day of September, 1917, it was resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. AUBREY GUALTER, of Wellington, be appointed Liquidator.

Dated at Wellington this 3rd day of October, 1917.

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BELL, GULLY, BELL, & MYERS,
Solicitors for the Liquidator.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Cromwell Jockey Club at a meeting held on the seventeenth day of December, 1916, at Cromwell, with a recommendation by the Chairman of the Club, Mr. E. Jolly, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by the Governor-General, in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. E. Jolly, the Chairman of the Club and the Meeting, moved, and Mr. D. S. Middleton seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

CROMWELL JOCKEY CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

In pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Cromwell Jockey Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the Cromwell Racecourse Reserve situate at Cromwell set apart for racing purposes, and known as Cromwell Racecourse, as the same is described in the Cromwell Racecourse Reserve Act, 1876, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

1. In these regulations the words "bookmaker," "racing club," and "race meeting" shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms by section 2 of the Gaming Act, 1908.

2. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the said Cromwell Racecourse Reserve while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely:—

(a.) Bookmakers.

(b.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the Racing Conference of New Zealand.

(c.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or with persons who have no lawful visible means of support.

The foregoing regulations of the Cromwell Jockey Club were made and passed by the club on the seventeenth day of December, 1916, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

ERNEST JOLLY, Chairman.
D. A. CAHILL, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Cromwell Jockey Club are hereby approved this 14th day of August, 1917.

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LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS.

THE following Scientific Works, published under the authority of the Government, are now on sale at the Stationery Department, Wellington, and will be transmitted at the published price to any address in the Dominion :-

- GEOGRAPHICAL REPORT ON THE FRANZ JOSEF GLACIER. By J. M. BELL. 1s.
- GEOLOGICAL BULLETIN No. 1: The Geology of the Hokitika Sheet, North Westland Quadrangle. By DR. BELL. 2s. 6d.
- GEOLOGICAL BULLETIN No. 2: The Geology of the Area covered by the Alexandra Sheet, Central Otago Division. By JAMES PARK. 2s. 6d.
- GEOLOGICAL BULLETIN No. 3: The Geology of the Parapara Subdivision, Karamea, Nelson. By DR. BELL. 2s. 6d.
- GEOLOGICAL BULLETIN No. 4: The Geology of the Coromandel Subdivision, Auckland. By COLIN FRASER, assisted by J. H. ADAMS. 2s. 6d.
- GEOLOGICAL BULLETIN No. 5: The Geology of the Cromwell Subdivision, Western Otago. By JAMES PARK. 2s. 6d.
- GEOLOGICAL BULLETIN No. 6: The Geology of the Mikonui Subdivision, North Westland. By P. G. MORGAN. 2s. 6d.
- GEOLOGICAL BULLETIN No. 8: The Geology of the Whangaroa Subdivision, Hokianga Division. By J. M. BELL and E. DE C. CLARKE. 2s. 6d.
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