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ERRATUM.—In notice relating to meetings of Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board, published on page 932 of the *New Zealand Gazette* of 28th March, 1918, for "38th May" read "28th May."

Land set apart for Selection.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

Whangaehu Extension No. 1 Block.

SECTIONS 2 and 3, Block III, and Section 2, Block IV, Tautane Survey District: Area, 1,627 acres 1 rood 10 perches.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked L. and S. 5/91A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 eighth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Christchurch taken for the Purposes of the Huruui-Waitaki Railway (Branch from Christchurch to Lyttelton).

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, or enjoyment of the Huruui-Waitaki Railway (branch from Christchurch to Lyttelton) to take further land at Christchurch, 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 exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 rood.
Portion of R S. 79, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District, City of Christchurch. (S.O. 247v, red.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 25396, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway to take further land at Pokeno, 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 exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land: 10.1 perches. Portions of Lots 21, 22, and 23 of Section 23, Allotment 15, Mangatawhiri Parish, Town of Pokeno, Block I, Maromaru Survey District. (S.O. 19926, blue.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 25379, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

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.

WHANGAMATA 4D No. 3 Block: Approximate area, 2,460 acres; Tairua and Ohinemuri Survey Districts.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

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.

WAIPIRO No. 2P Block: Approximate area, 9 acres 3 roods 5 perches; Mata Survey District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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[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.

TARAMARAMA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area		
	A.	R.	P.
TUTAEKURI 1C No. 2	1,377	2	0
" 1C No. 14	744	1	0
" 1C No. 5A	702	1	3

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fourth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating to the Purposes of a Road Land in Block II, Maketu Survey District, taken for a Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Maunganui-Bluff-Te Puke Section), and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of a road:

And whereas it has been certified by the Minister of Public Works that such land is not required for railway purposes: And whereas such land is situated in the Te Puke Town District, the local authority of which has consented to the issue of this Proclamation, and appears to be the local authority most capable of conveniently and effectively controlling and maintaining the said 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 powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be maintained by the Te Puke Town Board, in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Board.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land dealt with:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of	
0	2	28	6	Railway land formerly portion of road.
0	1	8	6	Sec. 52.

Situated in Block II, Maketu Survey District. (S.O. 19902.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43813, 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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block V, Opotiki Survey District, Opotiki 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 mortgagee of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Opotiki County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Opotiki Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 5 acres 3 roods 18 perches. Portion of Section 430, Waiotahi Parish, Block V, Opotiki Survey District. (S.O. 19409.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43899,

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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks IV, Drury, and I, Opaheke Survey Districts, Franklin 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 mortgagee of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Franklin County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Drury and Opaheke Survey Districts 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.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.	Section N.W. 84 ..	IV	Drury ..	Red.
2 2 8.8	" N.W.M. 84	"	" ..	Blue.
0 3 29.6	" N.E.M. 84	"	" ..	Red.
2 0 27.2	" 85	IV	Drury ..	"
0 1 2		I	Opaheke	"
0 0 7.25				

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
3 0 12.5	Section N.W. 84 and N.E. 84	IV	Drury ..	Green.
0 2 7.8	Section 85	IV I	Drury .. Opaheke	" "

All situated in Hunua Parish. (S.O. 19255.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43338, 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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Laying out and setting apart a Road in Blocks II and III, Punakitere, and XV, Omapere Survey Districts, Bay of Islands County.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and eighty-seven 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 lay out and set apart the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road laid out and set apart.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 5 1 20	Puketaururu and Tapopore Blocks	II & III	Punakitere	Yellow.
14 2 30	Te Tuhuna and Te Ngaohu Blocks	III	Punakitere	} Red.
7 2 20	Te Taraire No. 1 Opango, Marino No. 1, Raihara, and Kohewata	XV	Omapere..	
5 2 20	Te Taraire No. 2 Block (S.O. 14473)	"	" ..	Red.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41163, 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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for a Road approach to the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Maunganui-Bluff-Te Puke Section).

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken for a road approach to the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Maunganui-Bluff-Te Puke Section):

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

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a road approach to the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Maunganui-Bluff-Te Puke Section).

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A. R. P.	
0 0 31.2	portion of Section 32; coloured sepia.
1 3 54	" 37A " yellow.

Situated in Block II, Maketu Survey District. (S.O. 19902.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43813, 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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 fifth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for Road Purposes in Blocks X and XIV, Waitemata Survey District, Waitemata 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 road purposes in Blocks X and XIV, Waitemata Survey District, Waitemata County:

And whereas the Waitemata County Council has laid before the Governor-General memorials, accompanied by maps, and also the statutory declarations, 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 road purposes; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

Plan P.W.D. 43781. (S.O. 19368.)	
A. R. P.	Being Portion of
0 0 16.8	Section 5A, Block XIV; coloured yellow.
0 0 16.5	" " " "
2 2 29.8	" " " "
8 3 26	Sec. 5A, Blocks X & XIV; coloured yellow.
2 1 6.1	Lot 7 of 5A (D.P. 1468), Block XIV; coloured blue.
1 2 2	Lot 4 of 5A (D.P. 1468), Block XIV; coloured red.
0 0 2.2	Lot 5 of 5A (D.P. 1468), Block XIV; coloured red.
3 2 14.5	Sec. 156, Blocks X and XIV; coloured blue.
Plan P.W.D. 43782. (S.O. 19386.)	
5 1 34	Section 157, Block X; coloured red.
4 0 4.5	" 47 " " yellow.

Situated in Waipareira Parish, Waitemata Survey District.

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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block VII, Titirangi Survey District, Waitemata 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 VII, Titirangi Survey District, Waitemata County:

And whereas the Waitemata 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 purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being
0	1	14.5	Part Allotment 53; coloured red.
0	0	6.5	Lot 29 of Allotment 53; coloured blue.

Situated in Waikomiti Parish, Block VII, Titirangi Survey District. (S.O. 19828.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43583, 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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XII, Longwood 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 XII, Longwood 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 above-mentioned purpose; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twentieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 4 acres 2 roods 13 perches.

Portion of Section 7, Block XII, Longwood Survey District (Southland R.D.).

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43905, 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, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, 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 April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending Regulations under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

1. (1.) Clause 5 of the said regulations is hereby amended—
 - (a.) By inserting, after the word "land" where it first occurs in paragraph (a), the words "or such lesser amount as the Minister may in any case determine"; and
 - (b.) By omitting from paragraph (b) the words "of 95 per centum."
- (2.) In any case where pursuant to clause 5 of the said regulations as hereby amended the deposit paid in respect of the purchase of any land is less than 5 per centum of the price, the occupation license in the form No. 4 in the schedule to the said regulations shall be amended accordingly by the omission from the recital of the words "being five per centum of the price of the land," and by the omission from clause 1 of the words "of 95 per centum."

2. Subclause (1) of clause 10 of the said regulations is hereby revoked, and the following substituted:—

"10. (1.) In the case of lands acquired pursuant to section 3 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, the annual rent shall be an amount equal to 5 per centum of the capital value thereof, and in all other cases the annual rent shall be an amount not exceeding 4½ per centum of the capital value."

3. Clause 14 of the said regulations is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:—

"The Land Laws Amendment Act, 1917, section 3."
4. The form No. 5 in the Schedule to the said regulations is hereby amended by inserting, after the covenant relating to the reference of disputes to arbitration (clause (3)), the following covenant:—
"And it is hereby further declared and agreed that these presents are intended to take effect as a lease under section 4 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the provisions of the said Act, and of the regulations thereunder, applicable to such leases so far as the same apply to the term, estate, or interest hereby granted or created, and to the relations between the lessor and lessee from time to time, shall be binding in all respects upon the parties hereto in the same manner as if such provisions had been fully set out herein."

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations regarding Advances under Section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purpose of regulating advances under section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917.

REGULATIONS.

1. ADVANCES for any of the purposes named in paragraphs (a), (b), or (d) of subsection (1) of section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, may, on the recommendation of the Land Board, be made by the Minister of Lands. With respect to every application for such advance the following provisions shall apply :—

(a.) Every application for an advance shall be made, in form No. 1 in the Schedule hereto or to the like effect, to the Land Board for the land district within which the land affected is situated, and shall be accompanied by the prescribed valuation fee. The Land Board shall, before making its recommendation, require the applicant to appear personally before it, or before such person or persons as it may appoint.

(b.) Valuation fees shall be payable in accordance with the following scale :—

	£	s.	d.
On an application for a loan not exceeding £100	0	10	6
Exceeding £100 but not exceeding £250	1	1	0
Exceeding £250 but not exceeding £500	1	11	6
Exceeding £500 but not exceeding £2,500	2	2	0

(c.) No application for an advance for any of the purposes mentioned in the said paragraphs (a) or (b) shall be considered unless accompanied by an option to purchase the fee-simple or lease or license, as the case may be, given by the owner or the lessee to the applicant. Such option shall be in the form No. 2 in the Schedule hereto or to the like effect.

(d.) The amount of advance to any one person shall in no case exceed the sum of £2,500; provided that in the case of applications for an advance to purchase a dwelling and appurtenances on other than rural land the amount of advance shall not exceed the sum of £1,000. Where two or more discharged soldiers hold or propose to acquire any land, whether freehold or leasehold, as tenants in common in equal shares, advances may be made to them jointly to the aggregate amount that they would have been entitled to obtain individually.

(e.) All advances shall be secured by first mortgage over the land or the applicant's interest in the lease or license thereof, in the form No. 3 in the Schedule hereto or to the like effect, except in such cases as another form is specifically provided for; and the Minister may as collateral security require that a mortgage of stock be executed over stock of the applicant depasturing on the land, and a bill of sale be given over such chattels belonging to the applicant as he may decide.

(f.) Save as herein otherwise specially provided, all moneys advanced under this clause, together with interest thereon at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, shall be repayable by half-yearly instalments over a period of 36½ years. Every half-yearly instalment shall consist partly of interest and partly of principal, and shall be calculated according to Table A of the Second Schedule to the State Advances Act, 1913. All moneys received in payment of such half-yearly instalments shall be applied towards payment of interest and principal in the proportions set out respecting the appropriate payments in the said Table A. In such cases as the Minister may approve, advances may be made on flat mortgage for any period not exceeding ten years. Advances made on flat mortgage shall be secured by first mortgage in the form of mortgage set out in the First Schedule to the regulations made under the provisions of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, by Order in Council on the 7th March, 1916, and gazetted on the 16th March, 1916, or to the like effect.

(g.) In the case of any advance made in respect of leasehold land the following provisions shall apply :—

(i.) The mortgage shall be deemed not only to cover the mortgagor's interest in the lease, but to extend to and include his interest in any further lease issued to him in lieu of such first-mentioned lease, whether by way of renewal or otherwise.

(ii.) The term of the mortgage (which shall in no case exceed 36½ years) shall, unless the lessee receives in lieu of his lease a title in fee-simple, expire on the due date of the prescribed half-yearly instalment next preceding the date of the expiration of the lease (which term shall be deemed to include any lease issued in lieu thereof whether by way of renewal or otherwise), and such instalment shall include the balance of principal then owing under the mortgage.

(iii.) No surrender of any lease on the security of which money has been advanced shall, so long as any portion of the moneys advanced remains unpaid, be accepted, nor shall any such lease be declared forfeited by a Land Board without the consent of the Minister.

(iv.) For the purposes of section 74 of the Land Act, 1908, any moneys owing by a lessee on account of an advance made pursuant to these regulations, together with interest due thereon, if any, shall be deemed to be moneys due in respect of the land, and such moneys shall constitute a first charge on moneys received by the Receiver of Land Revenue pursuant to that section.

(v.) The terms "lease" and "lessee" include license and licensee.

(h.) In the case of applications for an advance to purchase a dwelling and appurtenances on other than rural land, the provisions of clause 3 (b) shall apply in lieu of clause 1 (f) hereof.

2. The provisions of the regulations for the purpose of regulating advances under section 6 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, made by Order in Council dated the 7th March, 1916, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 16th March, 1916, together with all amendments thereof, shall extend and apply to advances for any of the purposes mentioned in paragraphs (c) or (e) of subsection (1) of section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, except for the purpose of the erection of a dwelling with the necessary appurtenances on other than rural land, and at the discretion of the Minister the said regulations shall, in lieu of Regulation (1) hereof, apply to advances for any of the purposes named in paragraphs (a), (b), or (d) of subsection (1) of section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, provided that in any such case the term of the loan shall not exceed ten years.

3. Advances under paragraph (c) of subsection (1) of section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, for the purpose of the erection of a dwellinghouse on other than rural land may, on the recommendation of the Land Board, be made by the Minister subject to the following provisions :—

(a.) The amount of the advance shall in no case exceed the sum of £750.

(b.) Unless otherwise determined by the Minister as hereinafter provided, all moneys advanced, together with interest thereon at the rate of £5 per centum per annum, shall be secured by first mortgage over the land in the form No. 3 in the Schedule to these regulations or to the like effect, and shall be repayable by half-yearly instalments over a period of 25½ years. Every half-yearly instalment shall consist partly of interest and partly of principal, and shall be calculated at the rate of £7 per centum per annum on the amount of the advance. All moneys received in payment of such half-yearly instalments shall be applied towards payment of interest and principal in the proportions set out respecting the appropriate payment in the Second Schedule to the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910.

(c.) The amount of any loan may, in the discretion of the Minister, be advanced by progress-payments to an amount not exceeding the value of the work from time to time completed.

(d.) Every application for an advance shall be made, in form No. 4 in the Schedule hereto or to the like effect, to the Land Board for the district within which the land affected is situated, and shall be accompanied by the valuation fee calculated in accordance with clause 1 (b) of these regulations. The Land Board shall, before making its recommendation, require the applicant to appear personally before it, or before such person or persons as it may appoint.

(e.) In such cases as the Minister may determine, advances may be made on flat mortgage for any period not exceeding ten years. All moneys so advanced shall be secured by way of first mortgage over the land in the form of mortgage set out in the First Schedule to the regulations under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, made by Order in Council on the 7th March, 1916.

4. All the powers conferred upon His Majesty the King as mortgagee by any mortgage to secure repayment of moneys advanced under these regulations, or pursuant to any law as such mortgagee, may be exercised in his own name by the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the land district within which the land affected by such mortgage is situated, and all actions and proceedings for the recovery of moneys advanced or interest thereon may be taken by the said Commissioner in his own name.

5. Upon the transfer by a mortgagor otherwise than by virtue of a will or intestacy to any person other than a discharged soldier of any title, whether in fee-simple or in leasehold, or of any interest therein, upon the security of which an advance has been made pursuant to these regulations, the balance of principal unpaid in respect of such advance, with interest thereon to the date of payment, shall become immediately due and payable.

SCHEDULE.

Form 1.

APPLICATION FOR AN ADVANCE UNDER SECTION 2 OF THE DISCHARGED SOLDIERS SETTLEMENT AMENDMENT ACT, 1917.

To the Land Board for the Land District.

I, [Name in full], of [Address and occupation, if any], hereby apply, under the provisions of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, and the regulations thereunder, for an advance of £ for the purpose of* the land hereinafter mentioned, namely:—

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Reference to Title— Land Transfer or Deeds Register Office.

* If advance for purchase of freehold or leasehold land, option to purchase must be produced.

The land is situated miles from Post-office, and miles from Railway-station. Access is by

For the purpose of this application I make the following replies to the questions hereinafter set forth:—

Question.	Answer.
1. What is your full name?	
2. Of what Naval or Expeditionary Force were you a member?	
3. What was— (a.) Your length of service in such Force? (b.) The date of your discharge? (c.) The reason of your discharge?	
4. What physical disabilities (if any) do you suffer from by reason of wounds or disease resulting from your naval or military service? State particulars as to loss of limb or faculty, or as to condition of health.	
5. (1.) Have you applied for a pension under the War Pensions Act, 1915? (2.) If so, has your application been (a) granted, or (b) refused, or (c) not finally dealt with? (3.) If granted, to what rate of pension are you entitled? (4.) If refused, what were the grounds of refusal? (5.) In the case of an applicant who is married,— (a.) To what rate of pension under the War Pensions Act, 1915, is your wife entitled? (b.) To what rates of pension are you entitled under the said Act in respect of your children (if any)?	

Question.	Answer.
6. What was your occupation prior to your becoming a member of the Forces? State period.	
7. For what business or purpose do you intend to use the land?	
8. What experience (if any) have you had in such business?	
9. What experience have you had (if any) in any kindred business?	
10. What is the amount of capital at your disposal for use on the land?— (a.) Amount of cash (b.) Value of stock (if any) (c.) Implements or other property	
11. What financial assistance will you require to enable you to work the land successfully? State particulars.	
12. Are you single, married, or a widower? If married or a widower, state number of children (if any) dependent on you.	
13. What land (if any) do you at present own or have an interest in? Give particulars.	
14. If married, what land (if any) does your wife own or have an interest in? Give particulars.	
15. Is title freehold or Crown leasehold? If leasehold, give particulars as to tenure.	
16. Who is present owner or lessee?	
17. Is land subject to any encumbrance? Give particulars.	
18. Where may titles be obtained?	
19. Are there any buildings on the land? Give particulars.	
20. Are buildings insured? State office and amount.	
21. State area in bush; area in grass; area ploughed; area in flat land capable of being ploughed.	
22. Give particulars of fencing	
23. What stock is land now carrying?	
24. Do you intend to enter into personal residence upon the land?	

Dated at , this day of , 19 .

[Signature of Applicant.]

Statutory Declaration to accompany Application for Advance under Section 2 (a), (b), or (d) of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917.

I, [Name in full], of [Address and occupation], do solemnly and sincerely declare—

- That I am a discharged soldier within the meaning of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.
 - That my answers to the questions set out in the attached application are true and correct in every particular.
- And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

Declared at , this day of , 19 , before me—

Justice of the Peace for New Zealand
[or Solicitor, or Notary Public].

Form 2.

OPTION TO PURCHASE.

To [Name and address].

I, [Name and address of vendor], hereby give you the option to purchase my property, being Section , Block , Survey District of , containing , at the price of per acre.

This option to purchase shall remain open to you until your application for an advance under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, has been dealt with by the Minister, and the result of such application has been communicated to me, or for a period of three months from the date hereof.

Dated this day of , 19 . [Signature.]

Form 3.

Under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917.

MEMORANDUM OF MORTGAGE.

(hereinafter called "the mortgagor"), being registered as proprietor of an estate [Here state nature of the estate or interest] subject, however, to such encumbrances, liens, and interests as are notified by memoranda underwritten or endorsed hereon, in piece of land situated in the [District, county, hundred, or township] containing [Here state the area, exclusive of roads, intersecting the same, if any], be the same a little more or less [Here state rights-of-way, privileges, or easements, if any, intended to be conveyed; if the land to be dealt with contains all that is included in an existing grant, or certificate of title, or lease, refer thereto for description and diagrams; otherwise set forth the boundaries in chains, links, or feet, and refer to plan thereof on margin of or annexed to the lease, or deposited in the Registry Office].

Whereas the mortgagor has, pursuant to the provisions of section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, received an advance of £ from His Majesty the King (hereinafter called "the mortgagee"):

Now, therefore, in consideration of such advance the mortgagor doth hereby covenant with the mortgagee as follows:—

1. That the mortgagor will pay to the mortgagee at the office of the Commissioner of Crown Lands at the moneys hereby secured, together with interest thereon at the rate of five pounds per centum per annum, from the first day of , by instalments of each payable on the first day of January and first day of July in each year during the period of years from the first day of , and one instalment of £ payable on the first day of January or July next following the date upon which the last of the aforesaid instalments becomes due and payable.

With the first instalment the mortgagor will pay to the mortgagee the sum of £ in payment of interest on the amount of the advance for the period from to

All moneys paid by the mortgagor in respect of instalments shall be applied by the mortgagee in payment of interest and principal in the proportions applicable to the appropriate payment calculated in accordance with

2. The mortgagor may at any time, without previous notice of intention so to do, pay to the mortgagee the amount (in no case less than ten pounds) of principal included, according to the table in the , in any number of consecutive half-yearly instalments next succeeding the instalment corresponding to the half-yearly period then current.

The payment of any such amount shall not affect the periodical continuity of half-yearly instalments, but the amount of principal and interest included in the succeeding instalments shall be calculated according to the said table as if the half-yearly periods corresponding to the instalments of principal so paid had expired, and the period of years during which instalments of principal and interest would have been payable shall be reduced accordingly.

3. That the mortgagor will forthwith insure, and so long as any money remains owing on this security will keep insured, all buildings and erections for the time being situate on the said land against loss or damage by fire, in the name of the mortgagee, to their full insurable value, in the State Fire Insurance Office, or other reputable insurance office to be from time to time approved by the mortgagee, and will duly and punctually pay all premiums and sums of money necessary for the purpose of keeping every such insurance on foot; and will, not later than the forenoon of the day on which any premium falls due, deliver the receipt therefor to the mortgagee, who shall also be entitled to the exclusive custody of all policies of insurance.

4. That the mortgagor will from time to time, so long as any money remains owing on this security, well and substantially repair, and keep in good and substantial repair and condition, all buildings or other improvements erected and made upon the said land; and that the mortgagee may at all times be at liberty, by himself, his agents or servants, to enter upon the said land to view and inspect the said buildings and improvements.

5. That if the mortgagor fails or neglects to insure or keep insured the said buildings and erections as aforesaid, or to deliver any premium receipt as aforesaid, or to repair the said buildings and improvements, or to keep them in good and substantial repair and condition as aforesaid, then and in any such case, and as often as the same shall happen, it shall be lawful for but not obligatory on the mortgagee, at the cost and expense in all things of the mortgagor, to insure the said buildings or any of them in such sum as aforesaid or in any less sum, or to pay such premium, or to repair the said buildings and improvements and keep them in good and substantial repair and condition.

6. That in the event of the said buildings and erections or any of them being destroyed or damaged by fire, all moneys received by the mortgagee under any insurance in respect of such destruction or damage shall be applied at his sole option either in or towards rebuilding or repairing the buildings and erections so destroyed or damaged, or in or towards payment of the principal, interest, and other moneys for the time being covered by this security, notwithstanding that the same or any of them may not have accrued due under the terms of these presents.

7. That all moneys expended by the mortgagee in and about effecting or keeping on foot any insurance as aforesaid, or in repairing or keeping in repair any of the said buildings and improvements as aforesaid, or in attempting to exercise or enforce any power, right, or remedy herein contained or implied in favour of the mortgagee, shall be payable to him by the mortgagor on demand, and until paid shall be charged on the said land, together with interest at the rate of five per centum per annum computed from the date or dates of such moneys being expended.

8. That the power of sale and incidental powers in that behalf conferred upon mortgagees by the Land Transfer Act, 1915, shall be implied herein, with this modification: That they may be exercised without any notice or demand whatsoever if and whenever the mortgagor make default for fourteen days in the full and punctual payment of any moneys hereby secured, or the interest thereon, in accordance with the respective covenants for payment thereof herein contained; or if and whenever the mortgagor make default in the faithful observance and performance of any other covenant or condition on his [their] part herein contained or implied.

9. That if and whenever the mortgagor make any such default as in the last preceding covenant mentioned it shall be lawful for the mortgagee to call up and compel payment of all principal, interest, and other moneys for the time being owing under this security, notwithstanding that the time or times hereinbefore appointed for the payment thereof respectively may not have arrived.

10. That the covenants, powers, and provisions implied in mortgages by the Land Transfer Act, 1915, are modified or negated in so far as they are inconsistent with or repugnant to these presents.

11. That in the case of lands held under lease or license the mortgagor will at all times punctually pay the rent or other payments reserved by, and faithfully perform and observe all the covenants and conditions contained in, the lease or license herein mentioned; and that if he [they] fail or neglect so to do it shall be lawful but not obligatory on the mortgagee so to do at the cost and expense in all things of the mortgagor; and all moneys so expended by the mortgagee shall be payable to him by the mortgagor on demand, and until paid shall be charged on the said land, together with interest at the rate of five per centum per annum computed from the date or dates of such moneys being expended.

12. That the mortgagor will at all times cultivate and manage the mortgaged land in a skilful and proper manner, and according to the rules of good husbandry.

13. All the powers and duties conferred by these presents upon the mortgagee or directed or implied by statute shall, on behalf of the mortgagee, be exercisable and may be performed in his own name by the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the time being for the Land District.

14. That upon the transfer otherwise than by virtue of a will or intestacy to any person other than a discharged soldier as defined by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, or the amendments thereof, of the lands hereby mortgaged, or of the whole or any part of the mortgagor's interest therein, all principal moneys due hereunder, together with interest thereon to the date of payment, shall become immediately due and payable to the mortgagee.

15. That in the case of lands held under lease or license the mortgagor doth hereby appoint the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the time being for the Land District of to be the attorney and agent of the mortgagor, in his name and on his behalf to do all things, give all notices, and execute all deeds and documents necessary to obtain an extension or renewal of the said lease or license, and on the completion of the same to execute such mortgage or mortgages as may be necessary or required to charge the interest of the mortgagor in such renewed or extended lease or license with the balance of moneys still due and owing under this mortgage.

And it is hereby declared that the provisions of the regulations made by Order in Council dated the day of , 1917, are implied herein so far as applicable, and shall have the same force and effect as if the same were set out in full.

And for the better securing to the said mortgagee the repayment in manner aforesaid of the said principal sum

and further advances and interest the mortgagor hereby mortgages to the said mortgagee all the mortgagor estate and interest in the said land above described.

In witness whereof the mortgagor has [have] hereto signed his [their] name this day of , one thousand nine hundred and

Signed by the said , as mortgagor , in the presence of—

Witness :
Occupation :
Address :

Form 4.

APPLICATION FOR AN ADVANCE UNDER SECTION 2 OF THE DISCHARGED SOLDIERS SETTLEMENT AMENDMENT ACT, 1917, FOR THE ERECTION OF A DWELLING ON OTHER THAN RURAL LAND.

To the Land Board for the Land District.

I, [Name in full], of [Address and occupation], hereby apply, under the provisions of section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, and the regulations thereunder, for an advance for the erection of a dwellinghouse in accordance with the attached plans and specifications on the land hereinafter mentioned, namely:—

Section.	Block.	Locality. (Give Particulars of Streets, &c.)	Area.	Reference to Title in Land Transfer Office.

Plans and specifications, which may be inspected at any District Lands and Survey Office, are available for use of applicants free of charge. Applicants desiring their own designs must submit plans and specifications prepared by an architect.

For the purposes of this application I make the following replies to the questions hereinafter set forth:—

Question.	Answer.
1. What is your full name ?	
2. Of what Naval or Expeditionary Force were you a member ?	
3. What was— (a.) Your length of service in such Force ? (b.) The date of your discharge ? .. (c.) The reason of your discharge ? ..	
4. What physical disabilities (if any) do you suffer from by reason of wounds or disease resulting from your naval or military service ? State particulars as to loss of limb or faculty, or as to condition of health.	
5. (1.) Have you applied for a pension under the War Pensions Act, 1915 ? (2.) If so, has your application been (a) granted, or (b) refused, or (c) not finally dealt with ? (3.) If granted, to what rate of pension are you entitled ? (4.) If refused, what were the grounds of refusal ? (5.) In the case of an applicant who is married,— (a.) To what rate of pension under the War Pensions Act, 1915, is your wife entitled ? (b.) To what rates of pension are you entitled under the said Act in respect of your children (if any) ?	
6. What is the amount of capital at your disposal for use on the land ?— (a.) Amount of cash (b.) Value of other assets	
7. Are you single, married, or a widower ? If married or a widower, state number of children (if any) dependent on you.	
8. What land (if any) do you at present own or have an interest in ? Give particulars.	
9. If married, what land (if any) does your wife own or have an interest in ? Give particulars.	

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Question.	Answer.
10. Is land subject to any encumbrance ? Give particulars.	
11. Where may titles be obtained ?	
12. Are there any buildings on the land ? Give particulars.	
13. Are buildings insured ? State office and amount.	
14. Do you intend to enter into personal residence upon the land ?	

Dated at , this day of , 19
[Signature of Applicant.]

Statutory Declaration to accompany Application for an Advance under Section 2 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Amendment Act, 1917, for the Erection of a Dwelling on other than Rural Land.

I, [Name in full], of [Address and occupation], do solemnly and sincerely declare—

1. That I am a discharged soldier within the meaning of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.
2. That my answers to the questions set out in the said application are true and correct in every particular.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

Declared at , this day of , 19
before me—

Justice of the Peace for New Zealand
[or Solicitor, or Notary Public].

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amending Regulations for Fishing for Salmon and for Trout in Salmon Rivers.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Orders in Council dated the twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and the thirtieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 144, of the twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and No. 17, of the seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, regulations were made providing that the season for taking quinnat salmon and for taking trout in salmon rivers shall extend from the fifteenth day of January to the fifteenth day of April :

And whereas it is desirable that such season for one thousand nine hundred and eighteen shall extend to the tenth day of May in that year :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section eighty-three of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes of the hereinbefore-recited Act.

REGULATIONS.

1. THE 1918 season for taking quinnat salmon and for taking trout in salmon rivers shall end on the 10th day of May, 1918, instead of on the 15th day of April, as provided for in the said regulations of the 21st day of September, 1917, and the 30th day of January, 1918 ; provided that after the 15th day of April it shall be unlawful to take salmon or trout in the Waitaki River above a right line drawn from the west end of the stone wall near Clarksfield on the north bank to Borton's Railway-station, or in the Rangitata River above the mouth of Lynn Creek near Mount Peel.

2. Any person committing a breach of the above regulation is liable to a fine of not less than £2 and not more than £50.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Institutions controlled by the Public Health Department declared to be Public Institutions.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section two of the Destitute Persons Act, 1910, empowers the Governor by Order in Council to declare any institution (other than a prison) supported wholly or mainly out of the public revenues to be a public institution for the purposes of that Act :

And whereas it is desirable and expedient to declare certain institutions administered by the Department of Public Health, Hospitals, and Charitable Aid to be public institutions for the purposes of the said Act :

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, and in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by the Destitute Persons Act, 1910, doth hereby declare that the institutions set out in the Schedule hereto, and maintained out of public revenues, shall be public institutions for the purposes of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Te Waikato Sanatorium .. ..	.. ..	Cambridge.
The Otaki Sanatorium and Hospital .. ..	.. ..	Otaki.
St. Helens Hospital .. ..	.. ..	Auckland.
St. Helens Hospital .. ..	.. ..	Wellington.
St. Helens Hospital .. ..	.. ..	Christchurch.
St. Helens Hospital .. ..	.. ..	Dunedin.
St. Helens Hospital .. ..	.. ..	Invercargill.
Townley St. Helens Hospital .. ..	.. ..	Gisborne.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Addition to Regulations under the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this twenty-fifth day of March, 1918.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section sixteen of the Plumbers Registration Act, 1912 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following additional regulation under the said Act ; and doth hereby declare that the regulation hereby made shall form part of and be read with the regulations made under the said Act on the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-first day of May then instant, and shall come into force on the eleventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

REGULATION.

THE following are hereby declared to be districts or localities within which, after six months from the date of the coming into force of this regulation, all sanitary plumbing shall be done by a person registered under the said Act :—

1. The Hampstead Town District.
2. All that area outside the Borough of Hawera included within a circle having a radius of one mile and a half, and of which Hawera Post-office is the centre.
3. All that area outside the Borough of Gisborne included within a circle having a radius of three miles, and of which Gisborne Post-office is the centre.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Altering Regulations for Trout and Perch Fishing in the Hawke's Bay Acclimatization District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this second day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that the Governor-General in Council may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, make regulations, to have force and effect throughout New Zealand, or only in such waters or places as are specified in the regulations, for, amongst other things, imposing any conditions or restrictions upon the taking of any fish :

And whereas, by Order in Council dated the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 30, of the ninth day of the same month, regulations for the Hawke's Bay Acclimatization District were made providing, *inter alia*, that no bait other than artificial fly shall be allowed in the Tutakuri or its tributaries ; and it is desirable to amend such regulation in the manner hereinafter described :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said recited Order in Council of the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, in so far as it refers to the Tutakuri River or its tributaries, but not further or otherwise, and doth hereby make the following regulation in lieu thereof :—

"Provided that no bait other than artificial fly, artificial minnow, or spoon shall be used for taking fish in the Tutakuri River or its tributaries."

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block VII, Titirangi Survey District, Waitemata County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, in section fifteen thereof, *inter alia*, enacted that, except for the purposes of a railway or defence purposes, or for the purposes of any other work to be made under the authority of a special Act, nothing in this Act contained shall authorize the taking of any land occupied by any building, yard, garden, orchard, or vineyard, or in *bona fide* occupation as an ornamental park or pleasure-ground, without the previous consent of the Governor-General in Council or the consent in writing of the owner first obtained :

And whereas part of the land described in the Schedule hereto is occupied by an orchard, and the Waitemata County Council has applied for the consent of the Governor-General in Council to the taking of the said land for the purposes of a road, and it is expedient that such consent should be given :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the above-in-part-recited Act, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes above named.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.
0	1	14.5, part Allotment 53; coloured red.
0	0	6.5, part Lot 29 of Allotment 53; coloured purple.

Situated in Waikomiti Parish, Block VII, Titirangi Survey District (S.O. 19828).

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43583, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Constituting Kauri-gum Districts under the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor-General in Council may from time to time divide the North Island of New Zealand, or any portion thereof, into such districts as he shall think fit, and notice of the constitution of every such district shall be given in the *Gazette* :

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 conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby divide the portions of the said North Island as set forth in the Schedule hereto into districts for the purposes of the said Act, the descriptions and boundaries whereof shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto; and I do hereby declare that, for the purposes of the said Act, each of such districts shall be known by the name set over the description of each such district respectively.

SCHEDULE.

RAGLAN COUNTY KAURI-GUM DISTRICT.

ALL that area being the County of Raglan, as the same is at present constituted.

WAIKATO COUNTY KAURI-GUM DISTRICT.

All that area being the County of Waikato, as the same is at present constituted.

MANUKAU COUNTY KAURI-GUM DISTRICT.

All that area being the County of Manukau, as the same is at present constituted.

FRANKLIN COUNTY KAURI-GUM DISTRICT.

All that area being the County of Franklin, as the same is at present constituted.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portion of Beach Street, Island Bay, in the City of Wellington, to be a Public Street.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section three of the Wellington (City) Streets Empowering Act, 1909 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is provided that all or any of the private streets and private ways mentioned in the Schedule to that Act may from time to time, by resolution of the Wellington City Council, approved by the Governor-General in Council, be declared to be streets within the meaning of section one hundred and fifty-two of the *Municipal Corporations Act, 1908* :

And whereas the private streets and private ways declared in the Schedule to the said Act were, by resolution passed by the Wellington City Council on the tenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten, declared to be public streets within the meaning of section one hundred and fifty-two of the *Municipal Corporations Act, 1908* :

And whereas such resolution was approved by His Excellency the Governor-General by an Order in Council dated the first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the

fourth of that month, in so far as it affected the private streets and private ways described in the Schedule thereto :

And whereas such resolution also referred to the portion of Beach Street described in the Schedule hereto, and it is considered expedient that such resolution should be approved to the further extent hereinafter appearing :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and 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 approve of the said resolution in so far as it affects the portion of the private street described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that further portion of Beach Street, Island Bay, in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, situated between the Esplanade and Knoll Street. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43891, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portion of the Waitotara Valley Road (Lower), in the Patea County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Patea County, known as the Waitotara Valley Road (Lower), commencing at a point 28 chains south of the southern boundary of Section 8, Block II, Nukumarū Survey District, and continuing thence generally in a northerly direction through Rangitatau No. 3 Block and Sections 8 and 9, Block II, Nukumarū Survey District, and terminating at a point 29.50 chains south of the northern boundary of said Section 9, Block II, Nukumarū Survey District; being a distance of 140 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43946, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portion of the Retaruke Valley Road, in the Kaitieke County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Kaitieke County, known as the Retaruke Valley Road

commencing at a point forty-three chains west of the eastern boundary of Section 8, Block XI, Retaruke Survey District, and continuing thence generally in a westerly direction through Sections 8 and 7 of the said block, and terminating at a point twenty-eight chains beyond the eastern boundary of Section 7, Block XI, Retaruke Survey District; being a distance of eighty chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43943, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portions of Road in Blocks XIII, Waihua, and XII, Mohaka Survey Districts, to be Government Roads.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the portions of road declared Government roads:—

A.	B.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	2	17	Block 18, Block XIII, Waihua Survey District.
2	1	13	" 18 " " "
1	2	32	" 19 " " "
0	0	8	" 30 " " "
0	0	6	" 30 " " "
9	2	37	" 31 " " "
			" 34, Block XII, Mohaka Survey District.
0	0	17	" 34 " " "
5	3	21	" 71 " " "
1	0	20	" 71 " " "
3	2	13	" 71 " " "
5	3	34	" 71 " " "
0	0	18	" 71 " " "
3	1	20	" 71 " " "
23	3	5	" 71 and 72, Block XII, Mohaka Survey District.

Situated in Mohaka C.G.D. (Hawke's Bay R.D.).

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43230, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Road in Block XIII, Piako Survey District, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land declared to be a Government road: 4 acres 2 roods. Passing through Section 444, Whangamarino Parish, Block XIII, Piako Survey District. (S.O. 19955.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43931, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portions of Roads in Block V, Opotiki Survey District, to be Government Roads.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of roads declared Government roads:—

A.	B.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	3	14	Sections 469 (C.L.), 430.
0	2	25	" 469 (C.L.), 430.
2	0	5	" portion 470 (C.L.), 430.
3	1	29	" 470 (C.L.), 431.
6	2	14	" 469 (C.L.), 464.

Situated in Waiotahi Parish, Block V, Opotiki Survey District. (S.O. 19409.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43899, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Plumer Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this eighth day of April, 1918.

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 it appears expedient to again appoint a Domain Board to control the Plumer 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

HENRY CHARLES SWAN,
JOSEPH GREENWOOD,
JAMES ISAAC HOLT,
SAMUEL DAWSON ALLELY, and
JOHN PLATT,

as from the twenty-second day of July, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, to be the Plumer 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 eighteenth day of

April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Henderson Hall as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

PLUMER DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 10 acres 0 roods 38 perches, more or less, being Sections 20, 11, and 12, Plumer Hamlet, situate in the Parish of Waipareira, Block II, Titirangi Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Allotment 28, Section 7, Waipareira Parish, 65 links; towards the east generally by Section 1, Plumer Hamlet, and by the abutment of a public road, 139.4, 273.6, 330.5, 207, 261.6, 52.4, and 134.4 links; towards the north-east by a public road, 516.2 and 400 links; towards the south-east by Lot 13, Plumer Hamlet, 941 links; towards the south-west by Lot 31, Section 7, of Waipareira Parish, 666 links; and towards the west generally by the Opanuku Stream. As the same is delineated on plan marked L. and S. 1/106, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan 12269.)

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revocation of an Order in Council prohibiting all Alienations 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 eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, affecting the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

OWHAOKO C No. 2: Approximate area, 7,588 acres; Horotea Survey District.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revocation of an Order in Council prohibiting all Alienations 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 eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand*

Gazette of the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, affecting the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

OWHAOKO D 6 No. 1 Block: Approximate area, 5,724 acres 1 rood 20 perches; Mangamaire, Horotea, Motupuha, and Taumata Survey Districts.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revocation of an Order in Council prohibiting all Alienations 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 eighth day of April, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twelfth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, affecting the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

TAUMATA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
OWHAOKO C No. 3	10,858	0	0
.. C No. 7	7,656	0	0

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations made under the Census and Statistics Act, 1910.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing additional matters in regard to which the Statistician shall collect statistics.

REGULATIONS.

1. IN addition to the matters specified in paragraphs (a) to (j) of section 21 of the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, and in any other regulations heretofore made under that Act, the Statistician shall, subject to that section, collect statistics in regard to stocks, orders, and requirements of turnip, swede, and rape seed.

2. Every person holding stocks of turnip, swede, or rape seed, and every person having orders placed for supplies of turnip, swede, or rape seed direct from the United Kingdom, shall on request, within such time or times as he may be required by the Statistician so to do, furnish particulars as to the quantities and varieties thereof at a date or dates to be specified by the Statistician, together with details as to his usual annual requirements.

3. In order to comply with the last preceding regulation every such person shall fill up and supply to the Statistician, or to any officer authorized by him in writing, the particulars specified in the form set out in the Schedule hereto, in accordance with the instructions accompanying that form, and shall sign the form certifying to the correctness of the particulars entered therein.

SCHEDULE.

The Census and Statistics Act, 1910.

TURNIP, SWEDE, AND RAPE SEED.—STOCKS, ETC., AS AT [Date].

Name of person or firm :

Occupation or business :

Postal address :

	Variety.	Quantity held in Store in New Zealand.	Quantity on Direct Order from United Kingdom.			Usual Annual Requirements.
			Ordered direct for 1918 Requirements.	For which Advance received that it can be supplied.	On Water.	
Turnip-seed		Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.
Total ..						
Swede-seed						
Total ..						
Rape-seed						
Total ..						
Grand total						

I certify that the above information is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date :

[Signature of person furnishing the information.]

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Lands temporarily reserved in the Auckland, Wellington, Canterbury, and Otago Land Districts.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods, more or less, being Section 15, Block X, Tokatoka Survey District. Bounded, commencing on the southern boundary of Section 4, Block X aforesaid,

297.7 links from its south-western corner, towards the west, north, and east by Section 4 aforesaid, 200, 250, and 200 links respectively; and towards the south by a public road, 250 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/3/126, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. (Auckland Plan No. 19705.) For a site for a post-office.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 18 perches, more or less, being Lot 1 of Section 62, Block XIV, Ohinewairua Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by the main road, 416.6 links, and by part of Section 62 aforesaid; and towards the south-west generally by the Hautapu River: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/200, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red. For a resting-place for travelling stock.

All that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 14 acres 3 roods 31 perches, more or less, being Section 63, Raetihi Township Extension No. 1. Bounded towards the north by Alexander Road, 672.4 links; towards the east generally by Parapara Road, 417, 903.3, and 552.9 links; towards the south by Section 23 in the said township extension No. 1, 1224.5 links; and towards the west by Section 22 in the said township extension No. 1, 1696.4 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/140, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a site for a public hospital.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres, more or less, being Reserve 4010, Mount Nething Settlement, Block VI, Opawa Survey District. Bounded on the north-west by a public road, 604.3 links; on the north-east by Lot 1A, 1040.2 links; and towards the south-west by Lot 4, Mount Nething Settlement, 1201 links: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/6/145, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged green. For a site for a public school.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres, more or less, being Section 28, Block V, Woodland Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by section 4, Block V aforesaid, 214.4 links; towards the east by said section 4, 540.5 links; towards the south by a public road, 350 links; and towards the west and north-west by railway reserve, 325.7 and 380.1 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/6/44, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a site for a public school.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in Hawke's Bay Land District for Selection by Discharged Soldiers on Optional System.

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 land described in the Schedule hereto, which has been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, shall be open for sale or selection by discharged soldiers on Thursday, the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen; and also that the land 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 land shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do

declare that the said land 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

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—COOK COUNTY.—WHANGARA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Second-class Land.

SECTION 2, Block II: Area, 395 acres 3 roods. Capital value, £3,370. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £84 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £67 8s.

Land is of first-class quality, comprising easy slopes and low hills, with small flats along river suitable for homestead-site, yards, &c., covered with light bush, principally tawa, with sprinkling of rimu, kahikatea, puriri, and totara. Suitable for grazing and fattening stock when cleared. Situated about twenty-seven miles from Gisborne, of which distance sixteen miles and three-quarters is by the main coast road.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement lands described in the Schedule hereto, which have been set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, shall be open for selection by discharged soldiers on renewable lease on Tuesday, the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—ELLESMERE COUNTY.—LEESTON AND SOUTHBRIDGE SURVEY DISTRICTS.—LEESTON SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

SECTION 1: Area, 36 acres 3 roods 37 perches; capital value, £1,530; half-yearly rent, £34 8s. 6d.

Section 3: Area, 65 acres 3 roods 39 perches; capital value, £2,610; half-yearly rent, £58 14s. 6d.

Good, flat, agricultural land in grass and stubble. Situated about half a mile from Leeston Railway-station by good road.

The right is reserved to take water from the creek in Section 3 by existing 4 in. pipe and open ditch southward to Mr. W. Holley's homestead.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Notice of Change of the Purpose of a Reserve in the Town of Gisborne, Hawke's Bay Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section six of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), the Governor-General is empowered in the case of any public reserve vested in His Majesty or the Governor-General, for any of the purposes comprised in Class II of the Second Schedule to the said Act, to change the purpose for which such reserve was set apart to any other purpose:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was heretofore duly set apart as a site for a drill-shed, being a purpose within Class II in the Second Schedule to the said Act, and it is expedient to change, as hereinafter provided, the purpose for which such reserve was so set apart.

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section six of the said Act, as aforesaid, declare

that the purpose of the said reserve is hereby changed from a site for a drill-shed to a site for public buildings of the General Government: And I do hereby further declare that this notice is issued subject to the provisions of section seven of the said Act, and shall take effect according to the provisions of that section.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area of land in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 19 perches, more or less, being portion of Section 374, Town of Gisborne, commencing at a point on the south-east side of Customhouse Street 282.2 links from the junction of that street and Gladstone Road. Bounded towards the north-west by Customhouse Street, 61 links; towards the south-west by other part of Section 374, 205.6 links; towards the south-east by Read's Quay, 63.1 links; and towards the north-east by other part of Section 374, 187.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Appointing Public Places in the Ohai Railway District for Deposit of Plan and Book of Reference under the Local Railways Act, 1914.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section 51, subsection (1), of the Local Railways Act, 1914, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the places mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the deposit of the plan setting forth the middle-line and direction of the extension of the Wairio to Moretown Railway, and of the book of reference showing the lands required to be taken for the same, and the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands so far as the same can be ascertained.

SCHEDULE.

1. OFFICE of the Ohai Railway Board at Moretown.
2. Office of the Clerk to the Ohai Railway Board at Otautau.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Amended Regulations in respect of Timber-cutting Rights under the Mining Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Mining Act, 1908, and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby amend, as set out in the Schedule hereto, the regulations made under the said Act on the third day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in the Gazette of the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

SCHEDULE.

1. SUBCLAUSE 3 of clause 112 is hereby amended by adding the following:—

"Provided that such fee shall be deemed to be in or towards satisfaction of the amount payable by the warrant-holder for royalty under the next succeeding subclause, and in assessing the amount of royalty payment shall be demanded only of the amount by which such royalty exceeds the fee so paid."

2. Subclause 2 of clause 114 is hereby amended by deleting the words "6d. per hundred feet superficial measurement of the trees before cutting," and substituting the following words: "an amount equal to royalty, calculated in accordance with the Fourth Schedule hereto, on the estimated product of such tree."

3. The First Schedule is hereby amended as follows:—
Form 68.—By deleting the words "one year" in the first line of the third paragraph, and substituting the words "five years."

Form 70.—(1.) By deleting the paragraph commencing with the words "There are payable," and substituting the following:—

"The fee payable in respect of this warrant is £4. Royalty at rates specified in the Schedule hereto is payable quarterly on timber cut, provided that the aforementioned fees paid in respect of this warrant shall be deemed to be in or towards satisfaction of the royalty so payable."

(2.) By adding the following:—

SCHEDULE.

[Set out rates of royalty.]

4. The Fourth Schedule is hereby revoked, and the following substituted:—

"The rates of royalty on timber cut under sawmill licenses shall be as fixed by the Warden, but in no case less than the following:—

Class		Per 100 Sup. Ft. s. d.
" Class	I.—Kauri	3 0
"	II.—Totara	2 6
"	III.—Matai, puriri, maire, silver-pine, mangleo	2 0
"	IV.—Rimu, miro, tanekaha, rata	1 0
"	V.—Kahikatea, kahikawaka (cedar)	0 9
"	VI.—Beeches (called birches), taraire, tawa, and all other timbers	0 6
"	VII.—Railway-sleepers (each)	0 3
"	Blocks for paving sluices (each)	0 2
"	VIII.—Other sleepers, posts and rails, not less than 10s. per 100 in number.	
	Shingles, not less than 1s. per 100 in number.	
	Fencing-stakes, not less than 5s. per 100 in number.	
	Firewood, 2s. per cord.	

"No standing timber mentioned in Classes I to V inclusive, and no timber suitable for sawmilling purposes, to be permitted to be cut under Class VIII.

"Upon production of evidence to the satisfaction of the Warden that any timber under Classes IV or V has been cut exclusively for mining purposes, royalty to be payable at rate of 6d. per 100 superficial feet in lieu of rate prescribed for those classes."

5. These regulations shall apply to all licenses granted after the date hereof, including licenses granted in pursuance of subclause (7) of clause 110.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Mines.

Post-office where Miners' Rights may be issued revoked.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the Mining Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the appointment of the post-office at the undermentioned place to be a post-office at which miners' rights may be issued by the Postmaster in charge of such post-office, viz:—

UPPER MATAKITAKI, WESTPORT.

As witness my hand this twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred on him by the Public Service Act, 1912 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Commissioner, with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, doth hereby, in respect of the regulations made under the said Act on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and the amendments thereof, amend the regulations now in force in the manner and to the extent set forth in the Schedule hereto. Such regulations and amendments shall have effect from and after the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATION 178 is hereby amended by adding the following:—

(22.) Woodwork	300
(23.) Metalwork	300

Amendment to Regulation 181, gazetted the 8th April, 1914, is hereby further amended by adding the following:—

(22.) *Woodwork*.—Drawing.—How to test the accuracy of drawing-instruments, and rectify errors; construction of plain scales; drawing to scale from dimensioned sketches or from models or articles made in the workshop; hand sketching; plans, elevations, sections (easy cases only), and oblique projections of geometrical solids the surfaces of which are bounded by straight lines, and of articles made in the workshop.

Tools and Timbers.—The classification, description (illustrated by hand sketches), proper uses, and correct handling of tools; care of tools; hardening, grinding, and sharpening; the functions of their several parts; the mechanical principles underlying their construction and manipulation.

A knowledge of the geographical distribution, appearance, and general characters (including structure of trunk and limbs) of trees from which the timbers in common use in New Zealand are obtained; the countries and ports from which New Zealand receives its supplies of foreign timbers; the forms in which timber is brought into the market; the growth, felling, conversion, seasoning, storage, and preservation of timber; measurement of timber; selection of timber for particular purposes; methods of

working hard and soft woods; appearance, characteristic properties (including specific gravity), and defects of timbers. Candidates may be required to identify specimens of timbers in common use.

Bench-work.—Measuring and setting out work; dressing a piece of timber truly; principles to be observed in designing joints and fastenings; the construction of useful or ornamental articles providing opportunities for practice in the following processes, fastening-devices, and joints: Processes—sawing, planing, paring, grooving and trenching, slotting, gouging, cutting curves, shaping and filing, chamfering; fastening-devices—nails, screws, glue, dowels, pins, cleats, keys, and wedges; joints—the ordinary joints, including haunched mortise and tenon, bridle, mitre, common dovetail.

The examination in woodwork will consist of a written examination and a practical test.

(23.) **Metalwork.**—Drawing.—Use of T square and set-squares, compasses, dividers, and protractors. How to test accuracy of drawing-instruments, and how to rectify errors. The use of the foot rule, metric rule, and callipers; calculations based on measurements taken by these; candidates will be expected to measure with approximate accuracy to one-hundredth of an inch. Making approximately accurate hand sketches of simple geometrical solids and of objects such as tools, simple machine parts, &c.; the use of squared paper for hand sketching. Construction of plain scales; plans, elevations, sections, and oblique projections of geometrical solids the surfaces of which are bounded by straight lines, and of simple objects based thereon. Drawing to scale from actual parts, dimensioned photographs, or partially completed dimensioned sketches, such tools and simple machines or machine parts, instruments, &c., as pupils who have taken a two-years course in metalwork or in elementary mechanical engineering should be familiar with.

Instruments, Tools, Materials, &c.—The description, use, and care of the various measuring and testing instruments, hand tools, and simple machines used in metalwork or elementary engineering. The description of simple mechanical operations. Methods of setting out work from drawings, and the various operations involved in the completion of a simple piece of metalwork. Characteristic properties of the commoner metals used in metalwork, such as iron, steel, copper, brass, zinc, and sheet tin, and their preparation for workshop requirements.

Bench and Forge Work.—Exercises requiring the use of the hammer, chisel, file, and scraper; easy exercises involving the cutting, bending, and joining of cold sheet metal; various methods of fastening metals, such as riveting, screwing, soldering, and brazing; very elementary forge work, such as bending, drawing-down, upsetting (but not welding), hardening, and tempering a cutting-tool, such as chisel, cross-cut, flat, drill, or lathe tool.

The examination in Metalwork will consist of a written examination and a practical test.

As witness my hand this fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. ROBERTSON,
Public Service Commissioner.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

Approved in Council this twenty-fifth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

F. D. THOMSON,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 2nd April, 1918.

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

ANDREW LESLIE McNALLY and
ERNEST EDWARD EDE,

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Wellington Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to reappoint

JAMES GEORGETTI

to be a member of the Wellington Land Board, as from the 2nd day of May, 1918.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Auckland Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to reappoint

JAMES GILLIES RUTHERFORD

to be a member of the Auckland Land Board, as from the 16th day of April, 1918.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Culverden Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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

JOHN JAMES GALLAGHER,
HUGH ROBERT DAVISON, and
DUNCAN LESLIE RUTHERFORD

to be members of the Culverden Domain Board, in the place of David Hampton and Willis Ashton Scaife, who have removed from the district, and Duncan Rutherford, deceased.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Hastwell Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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

WILLIAM BRAY,
CHARLES SEYMOUR, Sen., and
ARTHUR PAGET

to be members of the Hastwell Domain Board, in the places of John McGovern, William Nation, and Hans Jacob Isakson, who have resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Rimu Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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

ARTHUR CLIFTON

to be a member of the Rimu Domain Board, in the place of Arthur William Upjohn, who has retired.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Waikino Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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

RICHARD BAINBRIDGE

to be a member of the Waikino Domain Board, in the place of Adam Crabb, who has resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Mangere Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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

WILLIAM SCOTT

to be a member of the Mangere Domain Board, in the place of Dr. William George Scott, who has resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Ohawe Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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

JOHN ALFRED DUFFILL

to be a member of the Ohawe Domain Board, in the place of Elliott L'Estrange Barton.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Chairman of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JOHN GEORGE LEWIS HEWITT, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wanganui, vice W. R. Haselden, Esq., S.M.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Licensing Officer under Arms Act, 1908, appointed.

Police Department,
Wellington, 6th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Senior Sergeant MICHAEL McKEEFY,

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

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

HENRY PATERSON

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

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable WILLIAM DANIEL FARR

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Port Awarui, on and from the 2nd day of March, 1918, *vice* Constable M. J. Kyne, transferred.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Town of Rotorua.—Appointment of Returning Officer revoked.

Department of Tourist and Health Resorts,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1918.

IT is hereby notified, in terms of the regulations made under the Rotorua Town Act, 1907, that the appointment of

FREDERICK MAXWELL LYONS

as Returning Officer for the Town of Rotorua has been revoked.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Minister of Tourist and Health Resorts.

Sheriff appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1918.

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

MICHAEL FOLEY

to be Sheriff for the District of Hawke's Bay for the purposes of the Judicature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of April, 1918.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrars of Births, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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

HAROLD LINCOLN SLYFIELD

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris, Registrar of Births and Deaths, and Vaccination Inspector for the District of Otahuhu, as from the 2nd April, 1918.

JOHN JOSEPH KEARNEY

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths and Vaccination Inspector for the District of Onehunga, as from the 2nd April, 1918.

GEORGE STACEY FULLER

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Raglan, as from the 2nd April, 1918.

GEORGE HAYMES MORRISH

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, Vaccination Inspector, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris for the District of Ngaruawahia, as from the 2nd April, 1918.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrars of Births and Deaths of Maoris, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 9th April, 1918.

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

WILLIAM ANDERSON

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris and Vaccination Inspector at Whangaruru, as from 16th February, 1918.

(Miss) JULIA BENJAMIN

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris and Vaccination Inspector at Waihua, as from 26th February, 1918.

FREDERICK JAMES HAYMAN

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris and Vaccination Inspector at Tokaanu, as from 1st January, 1918.

(Mrs.) ALICE D'OYLEY HEATLEY

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris and Vaccination Inspector at Pamoana, as from 8th October, 1917.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Inspector for the Purposes of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908, appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1918.

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

JAMES BRYDON SPEEDY

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Slaughtering and Inspection Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of February, 1918.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 9th April, 1918.

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

Name.	District.
JOHN MCKITTERICK	Mataura.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Appointments, Promotions, Retirements, and Transfers of Officers of the Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th March, 1918.

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

APPOINTMENTS.

Major Cyril Victor Atmore Baigent, M.B., N.Z. Medical Corps (N.Z. Expeditionary Force), is appointed a member of a Special District Medical Board, and is granted the pay of Lieut.-Colonel at Expeditionary Force rates whilst so acting. Dated 2nd March, 1918.

Lieutenant Charles Cockburn Miles, 5th (Wellington) Regiment, performed the duties of Assistant Provost Marshal, Auckland Military District, from 5th September, 1917, and is confirmed in the appointment. Dated 7th March, 1918.

PROMOTIONS, RETIREMENTS, AND TRANSFERS.

10TH (NELSON) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant Reginald William Sparrow is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 12th April, 1918, and is absorbed into the regiment with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Captain, as from 14th August, 1917 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 139, of the 6th September, 1917).

CORPS OF NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.

N.Z. Post and Telegraph Corps.

North Island Battalion.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) William Charles Edwin Hudson is confirmed.

South Island Battalion.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Harold Joseph Gray is confirmed.

4TH (OTAGO) REGIMENT.

Coast Defence Detachment.

Lieutenant Frank Leslie Hunt, from the Unattached List (b), to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th November, 1917.

6TH (HAURAKI) REGIMENT.

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 35, of the 7th March, 1918, relating to 2nd Lieutenant (temp.) David Albert Cumming Lilburne, is amended to read as follows:—

7TH (WELLINGTON WEST COAST) REGIMENT.

David Albert Cumming Lilburne to be 2nd Lieutenant (temp.). Dated 14th February, 1918.

15TH (NORTH AUCKLAND) REGIMENT.

Captain Claude Spencer White is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 12th April, 1918, and is absorbed into the regiment with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Captain, as from 4th September, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 107, of the 21st September, 1916).

NEW ZEALAND FORCES MOTOR SERVICE CORPS.

Motor-car Section, Wellington.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Stanley Powdrell is confirmed.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Canon William Stanley Bean (D.), Chaplain to the Forces, 2nd Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces, 1st Class. Dated 14th March, 1918.

The Reverend Owen Martin Doyle, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 12th April, 1918, and is absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, as from 24th November, 1915 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 143, of the 16th December, 1915).

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

The Reverend William Adam Watson. Dated 15th February, 1918.

The Reverend Charles Henry Olds. Dated 11th March, 1918.

The Reverend Eric Dudley Rice. Dated 14th March, 1918.

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

The Reverend Henry Begg Gray. Dated 11th March, 1918.

The Reverend John McArthur. Dated 14th March, 1918.

The Reverend James Thomas Burrows. Dated 15th March, 1918.

UNATTACHED LIST (b).

2nd Lieutenant William Frederick Sefton to be Lieutenant, under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 9th March, 1918.

Lieutenant Frank Leslie Hunt is transferred to the 4th (Otago) Regiment (Coast Defence Detachment). Dated 8th November, 1917.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Victor William Colville is confirmed.

UNATTACHED LIST (b), GENERAL LIST.

Staff Sergeant-Major (W.O.) Harold Victor Millington, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant whilst employed at General Headquarters. Dated 13th March, 1918.

Lieutenant Leslie Alec Craven, M.C., is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 5th April, 1918, and is absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 15th July, 1916 (*vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 150, of the 4th October, 1917).

MEMORANDA.

Honorary Chaplain the Reverend C. J. Kinnersley resigns his appointment in the Samoan Force (N.Z. Expeditionary Force). Dated 6th February, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant William Sarsfield Clancy is posted to the Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 26th September, 1916.

CORRIGENDUM.

With reference to the notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 35, of 7th March, 1918, under the heading "Mounted Rifles," delete the name of 2nd Lieutenant Charles Stanley Brown, N.Z. Rifle Brigade (T.).

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Appointments, Promotions, and Transfers of Officers on Active Service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 28th March, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, and transfers of officers on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, *vide* List No. 57, E.F. Orders, of 31st December, 1917.

AUCKLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant W. H. Coates, attached Royal Flying Corps, having been declared to be "missing" since 22nd July, 1917, remains seconded under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 15 (b). Dated 22nd October, 1917.

Lieutenant D. S. Manners to be temporary Staff Captain, N.Z. Mounted Rifles Brigade, and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 18th October, 1917.

Lieut.-Colonel C. E. R. Mackesy, C.M.G., D.S.O., to command N.Z. Training Units and Depots, Egypt, *vice* Major (temp. Lieut.-Colonel) C. R. Spragg, Wellington Mounted Rifles, appointed O.C. Desert Mounted Corps Rest Camp, Port Said, and remains seconded whilst so employed. Dated 6th November, 1917.

Major H. S. Whitehorn to be Second in Command of the Regiment. Dated 12th November, 1917.

Captain F. M. Twistleton, M.C. (since died of wounds) to be Major. Dated 27th October, 1917.

The undermentioned Captains to be Majors:—

W. E. Carter. Dated 12th November, 1917.

G. S. Cheeseman. Dated 12th November, 1917.

J. H. Herrold. Dated 15th November, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

W. Haeata (Acting Captain). Dated 12th November, 1917.

G. Cawte. Dated 12th November, 1917.

W. W. Averill. Dated 12th November, 1917.

H. L. Wade. Dated 12th November, 1917.

C. B. K. De Castro. Dated 15th November, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

H. M. Rorke. Dated 31st October, 1917.

H. K. Hatrick. Dated 12th November, 1917.

R. C. Chapman. Dated 12th November, 1917.

C. G. R. Jackson. Dated 12th November, 1917.

13/1000A, Sergeant J. T. Hatton to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1917.

13/288, Staff Sergeant-Major T. H. Bond to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 12th November, 1917.

13/146, Staff Quartermaster-Sergeant J. R. Thorburn to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 14th November, 1917.

The notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 28, of the 28th February, 1918, relating to 2nd Lieutenant M. E. Johnstone, Auckland Mounted Rifles, is amended to read as follows:—

2nd Lieutenant M. E. Johnson to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1917.

CANTERBURY MOUNTED RIFLES.

Captain D. T. Wood ceases to be seconded for duty as Assistant to the Commandant, Headquarters, N.Z. Expeditionary Force, in Egypt. Dated 12th November, 1917.

7/90, Sergeant A. Martin to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1917.

WELLINGTON MOUNTED RIFLES.

Major (temp. Lieut.-Colonel) C. R. Spragg ceases to command Desert Mounted Corps Rest Camp, on return to regimental duty, relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel, and ceases to be seconded. Dated 6th November, 1917.

Lieutenant W. G. Lyons to be A.D.C. to Major-General (temp. Lieut.-General) Sir H. G. Chauvel, K.C.M.G., C.B., and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 26th August, 1917.

MEMORANDA.

Major A. S. Wilder, M.C., performed the duties of Second in Command of the Regiment from 11th September, 1917, to 7th November, 1917.

Major C. R. Spragg commanded N.Z. Training Units and Depots in Egypt from 26th April, 1917, to 22nd July, 1917, and temporarily commanded Desert Mounted Corps Rest Camp from 22nd July, 1917, to 6th November, 1917.

N.Z. CYCLIST CORPS.

10740, Company Sergeant-Major A. H. Coe to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 17th December, 1917.

N.Z. FIELD ARTILLERY.

Major H. J. Daltry, D.S.O., appointed Live-stock Commissioner, relinquishes the appointment of Staff Captain, N.Z. Divisional Artillery, and is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 24th December, 1917.

Lieut.-Colonel H. E. Pilkington, *g.*, R.N.Z.A., appointed A.D.O.S., 19th Corps, remains seconded whilst so employed. Dated 3rd December, 1917.

Lieutenant F. J. W. Stallard, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst commanding a heavy trench-mortar battery. Dated 4th December, 1917.

Major (temp. Lieut.-Colonel) H. C. Glendinning, N.Z.S.C., relinquishes the command of N.Z.D.A.C. and the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel. Dated 22nd November, 1917.

N.Z. ENGINEERS.

Field Companies.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 24th December, 1917:—

F. K. Broadgate.

P. R. Angus.

Captain B. L. R. Reeve is granted the temporary rank of Major. Dated 20th December, 1917.

Signal Services.

2nd Lieutenant J. L. Braithwaite, M.C., to be Lieutenant, and remains seconded for duty with Signal Squadron, Anzac Mounted Division. Dated 9th October, 1917.

AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant H. G. Johnston is transferred to N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 16th December, 1917.

Major C. A. Herman to be A.P.M., N.Z. Division, and remains seconded whilst so employed. Dated 23rd December, 1917.

Lieutenant A. Oakey to be O.C., 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade Details, N.Z. Base, and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 31st December, 1917.

Captain C. T. Cobourne to be Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 25th December, 1917.

The undermentioned to be Company Commanders, 4th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 25th December, 1917:—

Major G. de B. Devereux, M.C.

Captain W. Watson, M.C.

Captain F. E. Beamish.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 17th December, 1917:—

3/1186, Private A. J. Petrie.

2/908, Sergeant W. A. Moore.

12/561, Sergeant R. H. Harris.

20911, Sergeant W. M. Cottrell.

The undermentioned are granted the temporary rank of Captain:—

Lieutenant E. V. Daidy. Dated 3rd November, 1917.

Lieutenant F. R. Baker. Dated 30th November, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant A. K. Robertshaw, dated 30th November, 1917; and relinquishes the temporary rank, dated 11th December, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) F. E. Beamish relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 17th December, 1917.

Memorandum.

Major G. de B. Devereux, M.C., performed the duties of Staff Captain, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, from 16th October, 1917, to 3rd November, 1917.

CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant G. R. Buttle is transferred to N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 16th December, 1917.

Major D. A. Dron to be Second in Command, 4th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 31st December, 1917.

Lieutenant W. M. Hocking relinquishes the appointment of Lewis-gun Officer, 2nd Battalion. Dated 15th December, 1917.

Captain F. J. W. Stewart relinquishes the appointment of Quartermaster, 1st Battalion. Dated 22nd December, 1917.

Lieutenant E. T. Stout to be Quartermaster, 1st Battalion. Dated 22nd December, 1917.

Major G. E. Simeon, N.Z. Rifle Brigade, is temporarily appointed Quartermaster, 4th (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 19th November, 1917.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) D. Ferguson to be a Company Commander, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, and to retain the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 31st December, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. V. Wilson. Dated 3rd November, 1917.

H. H. Hanna. Dated 9th November, 1917.

C. H. Holmes, M.C. Dated 21st November, 1917.

J. M. C. McLeod. Dated 3rd December, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant F. G. Painter to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th December, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 17th December, 1917:—

3/255, Sergeant B. Hartman.

3/164, C.Q.M.S. F. Campbell.

21/26, S. Sergeant C. C. Forgie.

9/707, R.S.M. E. J. Haydon.

8/385, Sergeant E. P. Gray. Dated 27th November, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants are granted the temporary rank of Captain:—

W. J. Rodger. Dated 29th September, 1917.

A. C. C. Hunter, M.C. Dated 12th November, 1917.

T. S. Gillies, M.C. Dated 17th December, 1917.

I. A. Bristol, M.C. Dated 10th December, 1917.

OTAGO REGIMENT.

Lieutenant R. Worley, M.C., to be Corps Light Railway Officer, II Anzac Corps, and remains seconded. Dated 22nd December, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains:—

D. Glanfield. Dated 11th November, 1917.

K. O. De Cent. Dated 11th November, 1917.

A. S. Reid (temp. Captain), since killed in action. Dated 28th November, 1917.

J. N. Hines, M.C. Dated 29th November, 1917.

G. W. Insley. Dated 3rd December, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

G. H. Elstone. Dated 16th October, 1917.

R. Worley, M.C. (temp. Lieutenant). Dated 11th November, 1917.

A. D. Paisley (Acting Captain). Dated 11th November, 1917.

F. J. Traynor. Dated 11th November, 1917.

C. B. McClure, M.C. Dated 11th November, 1917.

R. S. Halliwell, M.C. Dated 16th November, 1917.

H. S. Kenrick. Dated 28th November, 1917.

P. F. Armstrong. Dated 29th November, 1917.

J. M. Gillies. Dated 3rd December, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 17th December, 1917:—

8/2371, S. Sergeant W. B. Willstead.

14191, Sergeant C. Darling.

11/2395, Corporal E. S. Raimnie.

9/1519, C.S.M. W. S. Dawson.

9/1962, Sergeant J. R. Sanders.

8/3812, C.S.M. J. O. Doherty.

Lieutenant J. R. R. Leys is granted the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 2nd December, 1917.

Memorandum.

Captain A. S. Falconer, M.C., performed the duties of Brigade Major, 1st N.Z. Infantry Brigade, from 4th October, 1917, to 3rd November, 1917.

WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant J. R. Henderson ceases to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 19th December, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant J. C. McG. Nutt is transferred to N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 16th December, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant R. K. Nicol, M.C., is seconded for duty with a light trench-mortar battery. Dated 18th December, 1917.

Major D. Kettle, M.C., from A.P.M., N.Z. Division, to be A.P.M., II Anzac Corps, and remains seconded. Dated 5th December, 1917.

Lieutenant (Acting Captain) C. A. L. Treadwell relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant, 2nd Battalion, and the acting rank of Captain. Dated 9th December, 1917.

Captain H. Simmonds, M.C., to be Adjutant, 2nd Battalion. Dated 9th December, 1917.

Captain R. F. Gambrill, from Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, to be Officer in Charge War Records Section, and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 20th December, 1917.

Lieutenant C. A. L. Treadwell to be Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, and is granted the acting rank of Captain whilst so employed. Dated 20th December, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

A. J. Williams. Dated 23rd October, 1917.

A. Gibb. Dated 23rd October, 1917.

G. H. Davey. Dated 25th October, 1917.

J. M. McQueen. Dated 29th October, 1917.

P. D. Healy. Dated 15th November, 1917.

C. T. Natusch. Dated 15th November, 1917.

K. S. Ewing. Dated 20th November, 1917.

S. A. Murrell. Dated 26th November, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 17th December, 1917:—

10/274, C.S.M. P. H. G. Bennett.

10/2081, Sergeant N. A. Brodrick.

10/3760, Sergeant A. N. Tod.

10/3333, Sergeant L. W. Butler.

10/753, C.Q.M.S. C. Street.

Captain (temp. Major) H. E. McKinnon, M.C., is granted the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel. Dated 8th December, 1917.

The undermentioned Captains are granted the temporary rank of Major:—

W. H. McLean, M.C. Dated 17th November, 1917.

G. H. Hume, M.C., N.Z.S.C. Dated 8th December, 1917.

The undermentioned Lieutenants are granted the temporary rank of Captain:—

G. F. Bertrand. Dated 5th December, 1917.

A. G. Melles, M.C. Dated 12th December, 1917.

F. E. Ashby. Dated 28th November, 1917.

MEMORANDUM.

2nd Lieutenant H. A. W. Gray temporarily performed the duties of Adjutant, 4th (Reserve) Battalion, Auckland Regiment, from 1st September, 1917, to 25th December, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE.

Major (temp. Lieut.-Colonel) L. H. Jardine, M.C., from Instructional Staff, Senior Officers' School, Aldershot, to be Second in Command of a service battalion, ceases to be seconded, and relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel. Dated 15th December, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant A. B. Sands is transferred to N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 16th December, 1917.

Lieutenant W. A. Gray, M.C., having been a prisoner of war since 7th August, 1917, is seconded under provisions of N.Z. Expeditionary Force Regulation 15 (b). Dated 7th November, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant G. Owen is seconded for duty with a field survey company, Royal Engineers. Dated 13th October, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

J. Pagan. Dated 7th November, 1917.

C. G. Baker. Dated 9th November, 1917.

I. P. Grant. Dated 21st November, 1917.

W. J. Organ (temp. Captain). Dated 21st November, 1917.

H. A. Ellingham. Dated 21st November, 1917.

E. Baxter. Dated 25th November, 1917.

S. G. Paterson. Dated 17th December, 1917.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 17th December, 1917:—

23/982, Sergeant W. A. Stead.

24/502, Sergeant R. O. C. Marks.

26/1084, R.Q.M.S. W. Alexander.

10/1368, Corporal W. F. Dudson.

26/834, Sergeant L. S. Lipscombe.

24/529, Sergeant A. R. Munro.

The undermentioned are granted the temporary rank of Captain:—

2nd Lieutenant L. J. Rowe, to date from 10th October, 1917, and relinquishes the temporary rank. Dated 25th November, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant W. J. Organ. Dated 15th November, 1917.

Lieutenant J. A. Duffy, dated 12th November, 1917; and relinquishes the temporary rank. Dated 4th December, 1917.

Major (temp. Lieut.-Colonel) J. Pow, D.S.O., relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel. Dated 27th December, 1917.

Captain (temp. Major) M. H. R. Jones relinquishes the temporary rank of Major. Dated 18th December, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MAORI (PIONEER) BATTALION.

Major P. H. Buck, D.S.O., is transferred to N.Z. Medical Corps, with seniority as a Captain, from 22nd November, 1914. Dated 31st December, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MACHINE-GUN CORPS.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants are transferred to the Corps. Dated 16th December, 1917:—

G. R. Buttle, from Canterbury Regiment.

A. B. Sands, from N.Z. Rifle Brigade.

J. C. McG. Nutt, from Wellington Regiment.

H. G. Johnston, from Auckland Regiment.

Lieutenant J. A. D. Hopkirk to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant E. B. Davidson to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th October, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 27th November, 1917:—

J. A. Dean.

G. D. Lockhead.

V. Higgins.

E. M. Mackersey.

11/643, S.Q.M.S. E. A. Coates to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 1st November, 1917.

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

10/2443, Sergeant G. H. Liardet.

22586, Sergeant J. C. Coote.

6/1444A, Sergeant J. H. Addison.

13/2091, Sergeant F. C. Watson.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) G. W. Horn relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain. Dated 1st December, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain G. J. Adams, M.B., F.R.C.S., attested in England, is taken on the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 28th December, 1917.

Major P. H. Buck, D.S.O., is transferred from N.Z. Maori (Pioneer) Battalion, with seniority as a Captain, from 22nd November, 1914. Dated 31st December, 1917.

The undermentioned are seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 13th December, 1917:—

Major F. G. Cameron, M.B.

Captain I. E. Faris, M.B.

Lieut.-Colonel T. Mill, M.B., F.R.C.S., relinquishes the appointment of O.C., No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital, and is seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 31st December, 1917.

Lieut.-Colonel E. J. O'Neill, D.S.O., M.B., F.R.C.S., from O.C., N.Z. Stationary Hospital, to be O.C. No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital. Dated 31st December, 1917.

Lieut.-Colonel C. T. H. Newton, M.D., F.R.C.S., from O.C., N.Z. Mounted Field Ambulance, to be O.C., N.Z. Stationary Hospital. Dated 31st December, 1917.

Major R. H. Walton, M.D., F.R.C.S., from D.A.D.M.S., N.Z. Division, to be O.C., N.Z. Mounted Field Ambulance, and to be Lieut.-Colonel. Dated 31st December, 1917.

Major H. F. Bernau relinquishes the appointment of Senior Medical Officer, N.Z. Command Depot. Dated 19th December, 1917.

Major A. R. L. D. Carbery, F.R.C.S., to be Senior Medical Officer, N.Z. Command Depot. Dated 19th December, 1917.

Captain E. A. Widdowson, M.B., to be Major. Dated 13th December, 1917.

Captain P. H. Buck, D.S.O., to be Major. Dated 31st December, 1917.

Lieutenant P. Chisholm, having completed the prescribed term of service, to be Captain. Dated 16th December, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend P. J. Minogue, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, is taken on the strength, with seniority from date of disembarkation from H.M.N.Z. Hospital Ship "Maheno." Dated 21st December, 1917.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Appointments and Promotions of Officers of the Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,

Wellington, 9th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments and promotions of the undermentioned officers of the Territorial Force:—

COMMANDS AND STAFF.

Colonel Ralph Anderson Chaffey (D), Officer Commanding Canterbury Military District, to be Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, P.C., G.C.M.G., M.V.O., Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief, *vice* Colonel Vere Staunton Smyth, N.Z. Staff Corps, who relinquishes the appointment on transfer to British Army. Dated 11th July, 1917.

APPOINTMENT.

Major William Henry Borrie, M.B., N.Z. Medical Corps, is appointed Officer in Medical Charge, Quarantine Island and R.N.Z.A. Detachment, Otago Heads, and is also detailed for duty on Transports at Port Chalmers. Dated 15th February, 1918.

PROMOTIONS.

3RD AUCKLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 18th March, 1918:—

Hugh Graeme Carruth.

Albert Henry Richards.

Percy Wakeham Smith.

2nd Lieutenant Arthur Gilbert Quartley to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1918.

NEW ZEALAND GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Wellington G.A. Division.

Lieutenant Robert Wakelin Dunn to be Captain under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 9th March, 1918.

CORPS OF NEW ZEALAND ENGINEERS.—NEW ZEALAND RAILWAY BATTALION.

North Island.

Lieutenant Cecil Robert Lynden Bell to be Captain. Dated 8th February, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant George Augustus Avey to be Lieutenant under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 8th February, 1918.

1ST (CANTERBURY) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant Andrew Douglas Wilkie is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 16th April, 1918, and is absorbed into the regiment with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Lieutenant, as from 8th August, 1917, *vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 139, of the 6th September, 1917.

12TH (NELSON AND MARLBOROUGH) REGIMENT.

Captain William Norris Masefield is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 15th April, 1918, and is absorbed into the Regiment with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., Lieutenant, as from 30th July, 1917, *vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 129, of the 16th August, 1917.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants under the provisions of paragraph 111, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 13th March, 1918:—

William James Gallen.
William Thompson Churchward.

2nd Lieutenant William Benzies to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants (temp.) to be Lieutenants (temp.). Dated 13th March, 1918:—

Gordon James Waters Boundy.
Richard Wanden.
Francis Henry Sharland.

NEW ZEALAND RIFLE BRIGADE (EARL OF LIVERPOOL'S OWN), TERRITORIAL.

2nd Lieutenant Hector James Aekins is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 15th April, 1918, and is absorbed into the Regiment, with his original rank and seniority therein—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 28th May, 1917, *vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 91, of the 31st May, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND MEDICAL CORPS.

Ernest James Cooke, M.B., to be Captain. Dated 16th March, 1918.

Major (temp.) William R. Stowe, M.R.C.S., Eng., is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 27th March, 1918, and is absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Major (temp.), as from 1st December, 1915, *vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 143, of the 16th December, 1915.

NEW ZEALAND CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Robert Richards, M.C., Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces, 3rd Class. Dated 15th November, 1917.

NEW ZEALAND ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned to be Staff Nurses. Dated 20th March, 1918:—

Elizabeth Cairns.
Marguerite Hindmarsh Guinness.
Marion Barbara Garland.
Mary Chadwick Brown.
Mary Victoria Bremner.
Beatrice Wallace.
Jean Gray Haliburton.
Euphemia Laidlaw McGibbon.
Alice Mary Rowntree.
Marion McNicol.
Jessica May McCallum.

UNATTACHED LIST (b).

Lieutenant William Arthur Greener Penlington to be Captain. Dated 1st December, 1917.

2nd Lieutenant Victor William Colville to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant John William Richardson Oakes to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1918.

Captain Ernest John Brammall is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 16th April, 1918, and is absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Lieutenant, as from 8th July, 1915, *vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 128, of the 11th November, 1917.

Captain Edward Holdsworth Buckeridge is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from

16th April, 1918, and is absorbed with his original rank and seniority—viz., Lieutenant, as from 26th March, 1917, *vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 141, of the 13th September, 1917.

Arthur George Pilkington is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst acting as Military Representative to a Military Service Board. Dated 14th November, 1916.

Lieutenant Frederick Gordon Ashley Couper is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 16th April, 1918, and is posted to the Unattached List (b), General List, with his original rank and seniority—viz., Lieutenant, as from 22nd July, 1916, *vide New Zealand Gazette* No. 78, of the 20th July, 1916.

2nd Lieutenant Patrick Gilbert Ford is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from 15th April, 1918, and is posted to the Unattached List (b), General List, with his original rank and seniority—viz., 2nd Lieutenant, as from 9th April, 1917.

CORRIGENDA.

With reference to the notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 101, of the 26th August, 1915, under the heading "1st (Canterbury) Regiment," the seniority of the undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants is as now shown, and not as therein stated:—

Charles Bell.
Stuart James Sampson.
Frederick Frank James Trent.
Harry Watts.

With reference to the notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 5, of the 17th March, 1918, relating to Captains Charles Leslie Sommerville, William Morrison, and John Bird Hine (Reserve of Officers), Queen Alexandra's 2nd (Wellington West Coast) Mounted Rifles, for "1916" read "1915."

With reference to the notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 132, of the 23rd August, 1917, relating to 2nd Lieutenant Augustine Georgetti, for the words "Unattached List (b), General List," read "9th (Wellington East Coast) Mounted Rifles."

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of Meritorious-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

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 a Meritorious-service Medal to

Staff Sergeant-Major FREDERICK JAMES FRAZER, New Zealand Permanent Staff.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to

Lieutenant FRANK HERBERT DODD, Unattached List (b), he having a total service to the 16th March, 1918, entitling him thereto, of twenty-three years three hundred and fifty-three days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Honours conferred by His Majesty.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

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

The Hon. WILLIAM FRASER and
JOHN ROBERT SINCLAIR, Esq.,

as Knights Bachelor; and

Lieutenant-Colonel LOUIS EDWARD BARNETT

as a Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the Taranaki County Council merging Portion of Waitara West Road District in Moa Road District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

THE following special order, made by the Taranaki County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Amendment Act, 1913.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

TARANAKI COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order merging Portion of Waitara West Road District into the Moa Road District.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 10 of the Road Districts Act, 1908, the Council resolves, by way of special order, that the portion of the Waitara West Road District as described in the Schedule hereunder be annexed to the adjoining Moa Road District and cease to form part of the Waitara Road District, as from the date of coming into force of this special order.

SCHEDULE.

Sections 116, 206 (Huirangi District), Block 13, Waitara Survey District; Sections 117, 118, 119, 120, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, and 207 (Huirangi District), Block 13, Waitara Survey District.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Taranaki was affixed hereto by the Chairman, John Connett, duly authorized by resolution of the Council passed on the 4th day of February, 1918.

JOHN CONNETT, County Chairman.
JOHN ANDREWS, Councillor.

Sealed and signed in the presence of—ROBERT ELLIS, County Clerk, New Plymouth.

Dated at New Plymouth this 4th day of February, 1918.

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

ROBERT ELLIS, County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above boundaries can be followed on the office record maps.

FOLLETT CARRINGTON,
For Chief Surveyor, Taranaki Land District.

Approval of Fees for Licensing of Vehicles fixed by By-law.—Manawatu County Council.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with section 107 of the Counties Act, 1908, that so much of the by-law made by the Manawatu County Council on the 7th day of January, 1918, as appoints the several sums to be paid to the Manawatu County funds for the licensing of vehicles has this day been approved by His Excellency the Governor-General.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Authorizing the Laying-off of Kettle Street, in the Town of Havelock Extension No. 20, of a Width of not less than 66 ft.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th April 1918.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 15 of the Land Act, 1908, I hereby authorize the laying-off of Kettle Street, in the Town of Havelock Extension No. 20, Hawke's Bay Land District, of a width of not less than 66 ft. instead of 99 ft.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks XII, Patetere North, and V, Patetere North-east Survey Districts, for Road Purposes.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a road in Blocks XII, Patetere North, and V, Patetere North-east Survey Districts; and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the

post-office at Putaruru, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
7	2	6	Whaiti-Kuranui 1A, north portion, Block XII, Patetere North Survey District.
6	0	12	Whaiti-Kuranui 1A, north portion, Blocks XII, Patetere North, and V, Patetere North-east Survey Districts.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48463, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red. (S.O. 19312.)

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 9th day of April, 1918.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Wharepapa Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

J. G. WARD,
Minister of Finance.

WHAREPAPA ROAD BOARD.

Notice of Result of Poll on Proposal to raise 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 Wharepapa Road District taken on the 20th day of March, 1918, on the proposal of the Wharepapa Road Board to borrow the sum of £5,000 for the purpose of forming and metalling roads in the Wharepapa Road District for the first time, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 73, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 0; informal, 1.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1918.

GEORGE KAY, Chairman.

Scheme for the Control of the Auckland Grammar School and the Auckland Girls' Grammar School.

Education Department,
Wellington, 4th April, 1917.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, 1914, and with the powers hereunder, I, Josiah Alfred Hanan, Minister of Education, do hereby, on the advice of the General Council of Education, approve of the following amendment in the scheme for the control of the Auckland Grammar School and the Auckland Girls' Grammar School as gazetted 15th July, 1915:—

Subclause (3) of clause 4 thereof is hereby deleted, and the following substituted therefor:—

“(3.) The net fees to be charged to those who are not holders of scholarships or free places shall be £13 10s. per annum for those over thirteen, and £10 10s. per annum for those under thirteen years of age.”

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of April, 1918.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Education.

Town of Rotorua.—Appointment of Returning Officer.

Department of Tourist and Health Resorts,
Wellington, 6th April, 1918.

IT is hereby notified for public information that

WILLIAM HILL, Esq.,

has been appointed Returning Officer for the Town of Rotorua.

B. M. WILSON,
General Manager.

Officers appointed.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office, Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

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

J. G. WARD, Postmaster-General.

NON-PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
POSTMASTER.			
<i>Railway Officer.</i>			
Kirkwood, Donald Malcolm	Hindon Railway	Dunedin	4 Jan., 1918.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEGRAPHISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Croft, William Alexander	Glenavy	Timaru	21 Nov., 1917.
Curtin, James	Selwyn	Christchurch	19 Jan., 1918.
Gaw, Samuel Ernest Alexander	Woodlands	Invercargill	17 Dec., 1917.
MacDonald, James	Pokeno	Auckland	6 " "
Paterson, John	Heriot	Dunedin	15 " "
Paterson, John	Woodlands	Invercargill	13 " 1918.
Polson, Gustaf	Stirling	Dunedin	14 Jan., 1918.
Soulsby, Robert William	Kingston	Invercargill	15 Dec., 1917.
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Russell, Robert Gibb	Glenhope	Nelson	2 May, 1917.
Simon, John Powell	Dunback	Dunedin	22 Dec., "
TELEGRAPHISTS.			
<i>Railway Officers.</i>			
Taylor, Leslie Retalie	Centre Bush	Invercargill	13 Dec., 1917.
Finlan, Edward Andrew	Bennett's	Christchurch	8 Jan., 1918.
POSTMASTERS.			
Booker, Gordon Rabbeth	Kopuarahi	Thames	21 Jan., 1918.
Brain, Irenie Muriel	Oratia	Auckland	1 Dec., 1917.
Scott, Emily Ada	Matakana Lower	"	15 Nov., "
Chandler, Caroline	Wangapeka	Nelson	1 Jan., 1918.
Forrest, James Russell	Horroville	Christchurch	9 Dec., 1917.
Huggins, Charles	Waipango	Invercargill	1 Jan., 1918.
Leggett, Margaret	Waiohika	Gisborne	22 Dec., 1917.
McHarry, William	Ngaawapurua	Wellington	1 Jan., 1918.
Marceon, Vera Constance	Ngaurua	Auckland	17 Dec., 1917.
O'Brien, Patrick Joseph	Albert Road	New Plymouth	20 Nov., "
Phillips, Mary Jane	Streamlands	Auckland	8 Dec., "
Rutherford, Vera Muriel	Inchelutha	Dunedin	22 " "
Vickery, Winnie Leah	Kokako	Auckland	11 " "
POSTMASTERS AND TELEPHONISTS.			
Anthony, Frank Sheldon	Mokoia	New Plymouth	17 Dec., 1917.
Barrett, Frederick Stanley	Hororata	Christchurch	13 Nov., "
Burgess, Kathleen	Parkvale	Wellington	1 Jan., 1918.
Cain, Edward	Douglas	New Plymouth	21 " "
Dent, Thomas	Kauroa	Auckland	6 Dec., 1917.
Dowse, Myrtle Josephine	Tai Tapu	Christchurch	13 " "
Edgar, Priscilla Harriet	Inangahua Junction	Westport	1 " "
Francis, Jessie Ellen	Houputo	Thames	1 Oct., "
Gilshnan, Catherine Iris	Kakarama	Wanganui	23 Dec., "
Green, Emily	Rangiwahia	Wellington	20 Nov., "
Gregory, Edmund John	Whatatutu	Gisborne	1 Jan., 1918.
Hare, Violet Muriel	Tarras	Dunedin	1 Dec., 1917.
Hunt, Lawrence Josiah	Mokoia	New Plymouth	19 Jan., 1918.
Johns, Elizabeth Annie	Ohutu	Wanganui	18 " "
Lee, Annie	Kauana	Invercargill	10 Dec., 1917.
McClenaghan, Henry Francis	Bainesse	Wellington	1 Jan., 1918.
McDonald, Robert	Petane, H.B.	Napier	8 Sept., 1917.
Macey, Gertrude Miriam	Glenfield	Auckland	1 Jan., 1918.
Mitchell, Ruby	Pouto	"	16 Dec., 1917.
Moffatt, Percy George	Port Motueka	Nelson	1 Jan., 1918.
Morgans, Sina	Mokauiti	Auckland	1 " "
Newman, Charles	Pouto	"	12 " "
Nordstrom, Annie	Hapuku	Blenheim	15 " "
Osborne, Annie Mary	Tangoio	Napier	1 Dec., 1917.
Pattullo, Norma Mary Isabel	Manurewa	Auckland	1 Jan., 1918.
Pedrazzi, Rose	Mawheraiti	Greymouth	1 Oct., 1917.
Richardson, Myrtle	Ohakea	Wellington	1 Jan., 1918.
Screaton, James Rowland	Puni	Auckland	1 Dec., 1917.
Shinc, Catherine Augusta	Waiharara	"	1 Jan., 1918.
Smith, Emily	Pukehuia	"	8 Nov., 1917.
Smith, Robert Henry	Petane, H.B.	Napier	1 Sept., "
Wareham, Agnes	Waimiha	Auckland	19 Jan., 1918.
White, Gertrude Theresa	Karioi	Wanganui	11 Dec., 1917.
Wright, Moses Exler	Taupaki	Auckland	12 Jan., 1918.

NON-PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS—*continued.*

Name.	Office.	District.	Date.
TELEPHONISTS.			
Allen, Launcelot George	Tawhiwhi	Wanganui	9 Jan., 1918.
Boese, Cecilia	Korepo	Wellington	1 " "
Bunn, Ernest	Paparangi	Wanganui	16 Dec., 1917.
Davidson, Henry	Rocklands	Dunedin	1 " "
Forsey, Minnie	Kainui	Blenheim	10 " "
Gardiner, Harold	Diamond Harbour	Christchurch	17 Jan., 1918.
Hansen, Anders	Cape Saunders	Dunedin	18 Oct., 1916.
Harding, Albert Edwin	Taumahu	New Plymouth	10 Jan., 1918.
Huggins, Charles	Waipango	Invercargill	3 Dec., 1917.
Lunny, John Edward	Waimangu	Auckland	1 " "
McBratney, John Cuthbert Leaf	Moura	Timaru	31 " "
Morrison, Mary Anne	Hauparu	Auckland	16 Nov., "
Poole, Ethel Mary	Murital Park	Wellington	1 Jan., 1918.
Spanhake, Rowland	Utukai	Auckland	1 Dec., 1917.
Watson, Robert John	Kapara	Wanganui	3 Jan., 1918.
Wells, Ellen	Waipingao	New Plymouth	10 " "

Offices opened and closed, &c.

Post and Telegraph Department.
General Post Office, Wellington, 5th April, 1918.

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

J. G. WARD, Postmaster-General.

OFFICES.

Office.	District.	Date.
POST-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Dunganville	Greymouth	31 October, 1917.
Mangaituroa	Wanganui	12 January, 1918.
Ngatira*	Auckland	30 April, 1916.
No Town	Greymouth	8 August, 1917.
Okoke	New Plymouth	31 December, "
Pukepoto	Auckland	14 " "
Tiriraukawa	Wanganui	17 November, "
* Correcting entry in <i>New Zealand Gazette</i> No. 65, of 12th April, 1917.		
SAVINGS-BANK OFFICE OPENED.		
Apia	Auckland	1 March, 1918.
POSTAL-NOTE OFFICES OPENED.		
Bulwer	Blenheim	1 February, 1918.
Mahurangi	Auckland	16 " "
TELEPHONE BUREAUX OPENED.		
Kapara	Wanganui	3 January, 1918.
Turiwhati	Hokitika	16 " "
Waipingao	New Plymouth	10 " "
Whangara	Gisborne	1 February, "
TELEPHONE BUREAUX CLOSED.		
Aratoro	Auckland	9 January, 1918.
Braeburn	Nelson	16 October, 1917.
Horsham Downs	Auckland	8 February, 1918.
Mangaituroa	Wanganui	12 January, "
Orangapai	Dunedin	7 September, 1917.
Pakarae	Gisborne	31 January, 1918.
Patetere	Auckland	31 " "
Te Aroha West	Thames	12 December, 1917.
Tuhua	Hokitika	18 " 1916.
Waitewhena	Auckland	31 " 1917.
TELEPHONE-OFFICES OPENED.		
Kapara*	Wanganui	3 January, 1918.
Turiwhati†	Hokitika	16 " "
Waipingao†	New Plymouth	10 " "
Whangara‡	Gisborne	1 February, "

* Reopened, no post-office.

† No post-office.

‡ Post and telephone combined.

OFFICES—continued.

Office.	District.	Date.
TELEPHONE-OFFICES CLOSED.		
Aratoro	Auckland	9 January, 1918.
Braeburn	Nelson	16 October, 1917.
Horsham Downs	Auckland	8 February, 1918.
Mangaituroa	Wanganui	12 January, ..
Orangapai	Dunedin	7 September, 1917.
Pakarae	Gisborne	31 January, 1918.
Patetere	Auckland	31
Te Aroha West	Thames	12 December, 1917.
Tuhua	Hokitika	18 1916.
Waitewhena	Auckland	31 1917.
TELEGRAPH RECEIVING-OFFICE CLOSED.		
Timaru Railway	Timaru	21 January, 1918.

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of MARCH 1918, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS FROM AND DEPARTURES TO DIFFERENT PLACES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	96	67	11	8	182	1	1	..	..	2
Australian Commonwealth	377	373	57	49	856	535	542	62	48	1,187
Cook Islands	5	3	..	1	9	9	9	4	1	23
Fiji	24	19	10	8	61	9	13	1	1	24
Canada	22	8	..	..	30	28	20	6	4	58
United States	7	5	3	..	15	9	4	..	..	13
Hawaii	5	2	..	..	7	15	6	..	..	21
Samoa	9	7	4	5	25	6	6	..	..	12
Foreign Pacific Islands (undefined)	2	2	..	2	6	5	1	..	1	7
Totals, March, 1918	547	486	85	73	1,191	617	602	73	55	1,347
Totals, March, 1917	1,301	606	97	111	2,115	1,639	780	83	79	2,581

The excess of the departures from New Zealand over the arrivals therein during the month of March, 1918, was therefore 156 persons, as against 466 in the corresponding month of 1917.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland	461	90	315	236	551	455	48	271	232	503
Wellington	540	64	303	301	604	715	72	405	382	787
Invercargill	32	4	14	22	36	49	8	14	43	57
Totals, March, 1918	1,033	158	632	559	1,191	1,219	128	690	657	1,347
Totals, March, 1917	1,907	208	1,398	717	2,115	2,419	162	1,722	859	2,581

CHINESE (included above).

Arrivals.		Departures.	
At Auckland	Males.	From Auckland	Males.
.. .. .	4	.. .. .	11
.. Wellington	5	.. Wellington	32
.. .. .	9	.. .. .	43
.. .. .	2	.. .. .	1

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

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

Census and Statistics Office,
Wellington, 8th April, 1918.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

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 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 £40 in each case.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
1	Abbott, Thomas Lindsay	Blackball	Miner	30/7/17	23/3/18	Intestate.
2	Adams, John Thomas	Dunedin	Engineer	15/9/16	23/3/18	Testate.
3	Bain, William	Rangiora	Farm labourer	14/10/17	4/4/18	Intestate.
4	Bainbridge, Anthony	Riccarton	Farm hand	3/12/17	3/12/17	Testate.
5	Barlow, Harry	Pihama	Farmer	19/11/17	26/3/18	"
6	Bennett, Joseph Llewellyn	Otaki	"	12/10/17	3/4/18	"
7	Black, Colin	Auckland	Clerk	18/11/17	11/3/18	"
8	Bloxham, Christina Mary	Roxburgh	Widow	25/11/17	15/3/18	"
9	Boddington, Ernest Nelson	Longburn	Farm hand	12/11/17	11/3/18	"
10	Boyle, James McKenzie	Kilbirnie	Prison warder	12/10/17	3/4/18	"
11	Browne, Bessie	McNab	Married woman	4/1/18	19/3/18	"
12	Bruce, James	Hastings	Orchardist	14/8/17	28/3/18	"
13	Bruce, Robert	Coalgate	Labourer	6/8/17	16/3/18	Intestate.
14	Burr, Charles Wilcox	Rotorua	Teamster	16/10/17	28/3/18	Testate.
15	Campbell, Malcolm James	Thornbury	Labourer	5/12/17	28/3/18	"
16	Capstick, Arthur Alfred	Huntly	Blacksmith	8/10/17	26/3/18	"
17	Carncross, Cyril Cutten	Eltham	Reporter	12/10/17	28/3/18	"
18	Clark, Robert McGavin	Matamata	Farm hand	14/10/17	11/3/18	"
19	Clarkson, William Coates	Papanui, Christchurch	Butcher	3/12/17	26/3/18	"
20	Clinton, Thomas	Barrhill	Contractor	28/10/17	19/3/18	"
21	Cobb, John Wesley	Eketahuna	Carpenter	7/6/17	11/3/18	"
22	Cockburn, Edward	Catterly, Waikaia, formerly Bluff	Railway clerk	19/8/17	15/3/18	"
23	Collinson, William Henry	Gisborne	Butter-factory assistant	12/10/17	28/3/18	"
24	Crombie, Albert James	Stratford	Law clerk	12/12/17	28/3/18	"
25	Dean, Albert Ernest	Gisborne	Station hand	3/12/17	28/3/18	"
26	Denyer, Ernest Frederick	Cambridge	Surfaceman	4/1/18	4/4/18	Intestate.
27	Dodds, Harold Binnie	Port Chalmers	Chemist	12/10/17	11/3/18	Testate.
28	Doyle, Philip Edmund	Johnsonville	Public servant	20/10/17	11/3/18	"
29	Duncan, Helen	Hawkesbury	Widow	17/11/05	13/3/18	"
30	Dunn, Cecil	Sydenham, Christchurch	Brass-finisher	13/12/17	23/3/18	"
31	Elliott, William Nixon	Lovell's Fla	Carpenter	3/12/17	28/3/18	"
32	Esselborn, William Ruxton Leys	Christchurch	Inspector of Nuisances	4/10/17	11/3/18	"
33	Favell, Edward Stewart	Wellington, formerly Blenheim	Police constable	22/11/17	11/3/18	"
34	Ferguson, David	Strathmore	Labourer	24/10/17	15/3/18	"
35	Flint, Daniel Henry	Dunedin	"	3/12/17	28/3/18	"
36	Gardiner, William	Ross	Carter	11/10/17	26/3/18	"
37	Genet, Catherine	Christchurch	Married woman	12/2/15	21/3/18	Intestate.
38	Glanville, Edward John Robert	Prorose	Farm labourer	17/6/17	13/3/18	"
39	Gonley, Dominic	Otautau	Saleswoman	12/10/17	26/3/18	Testate.
40	Granger, Claude Arthur	Whitford	Brickmaker	1/10/17	26/3/18	"
41	Green, Clarence Henry	Mataura	Carpenter	26/7/17	11/3/18	"
42	Green, Selina	Christchurch	Widow	28/1/18	26/3/18	"
43	Guild, William Alexander	New Plymouth	Bank clerk	7/6/17	19/3/18	"
44	Hamilton, Percy	Mercury Bay	Farm labourer	15/10/17	28/3/18	"
45	Harkess, Bertie Victor Huon	Lyttelton	Clerk	5/12/17	28/3/18	"
46	Haslett (or Haslitt), David	Rakaia	Labourer	5/11/17	3/4/18	"
47	Henderson, John	Dunedin	Wool-classer	25/1/18	16/3/18	Intestate.
48	Henneker, George James	Wellington	Traveller	13/1/18	28/3/18	Testate.
49	Hewitt, John	Timaru	Grocer	24/11/17	28/3/18	"
50	Hight, Cecil Morland	"	Ironmonger	12/10/17	19/3/18	"
51	Hill, Donovan Oldham	Nelson	Engineer	24/11/17	28/3/18	"
52	Hill, Hector Grey (or Gray)	Westport	Grocer's assistant	8/12/17	19/3/18	"
53	Houghton, Harold Clarke	Hamilton	Carpenter	24/9/16	26/3/18	"
54	Howells, Tra John (or John Tra)	Avova	Railway surfaceman	2/10/17	15/3/18	"
55	Howes, John	Ormondville	Contractor	15/9/16	23/3/18	"
56	Hudson, George	Ngakawau	Miner	27/9/16	23/3/18	"
57	Hutchings, Harry Bujton	Pukekohe	Freezing-works employee	20/8/17	28/3/18	"
58	Hynes, Elizabeth Mary	Napier	Widow	19/9/17	13/3/18	Intestate.
59	Jeffery, Edward	Fairlight	Miner	8/6/16	4/4/18	"
60	Jorgensen, Caroline Mathilde; also known as Caroline Matilde Jorgensen; also known as Caroline Matilde Jorgenson	Marton	Married woman	1/1/18	13/3/18	"
61	Julian, Stanley Herbert	Okato	Farmer	22/11/17	28/3/18	Testate.
62	Kavanagh, James Joseph	Darfield	Farm labourer	14/10/17	19/3/18	"
63	Keir, Robert Kirkpatrick	Christchurch	Inspector	11/1/18	28/3/18	"
64	Kelsall, Victor Albert	Palmerston North	Soldier	8/8/15	4/4/18	Intestate.
65	Kew, William	Taradale	Farmer	24/1/18	20/3/18	Testate.
66	Kinzett, Tuness (or Taiss)	Kaimatarau, Rongotea	"	12/10/17	3/4/18	"
67	Kissane, Daniel	Invercargill	Farm labourer	15/7/17	19/3/18	"
68	Kitchingham, Charles	Napier	Labourer	13/7/17	3/4/18	"
69	Laloli, John Henry	Roxburgh	Clerk	12/10/17	28/3/18	"

NOTICE published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, &c.—continued.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
70	Lees, Thomas William	Onehunga	Draper	26/11/17	25/3/18	Intestate.
71	Leslie, Thomas	Kawakawa, Bay of Islands	Labourer	12/8/17	19/3/18	Testate.
72	Lord, Seth	Christchurch	Salesman	4/10/17	3/4/18	..
73	MacGibbon (or McGibbon), Emily Frances Thompson	Dannevirke	Married woman	2/11/17	15/3/18	..
74	MacGregor, James Leslie	Auckland	Estate agent	19/10/17	26/3/18	..
75	Marshall, Albert	Wellington	Clerk	23/8/17	23/3/18	..
76	Martin, Frederick	Ormondville	Labourer	2/10/16	28/3/18	..
77	Meikle, William	Dunedin	Farm labourer	27/11/17	28/3/18	..
78	Merrett, Cecil Stanley	Spreydon	Shepherd	18/12/17	26/3/18	..
79	Miller, William	Auckland	Seaman	6/10/17	4/4/18	Intestate.
80	Milroy, William John Sawyer (or Sawers)	.. ..	Bank clerk	11/12/17	23/3/18	Testate.
81	Mitchell, Arthur Ralph	Chatham Islands	Farm labourer	21/8/17	11/3/18	..
82	Murray, Kenneth Ritchie	Wellington	Bricklayer	27/11/17	15/3/18	..
83	Mundy, Herbert Rignald	Christchurch	Salesman	12/10/17	28/3/18	..
84	McCaw, William Armstrong, jun.	Hamilton	Civil servant	12/10/17	19/3/18	..
85	McCullough, James Alexander	Christchurch	Shopfitter	26/8/17	3/4/18	..
86	McEwen, Stanley Hugh	New Plymouth	Farmer	7/6/17	28/3/18	..
87	McHardie, Raymond Shirley	Otaki	Telegraph cadet	12/10/17	26/3/18	..
88	McKenna, Isadore	Morton Mains, via Invercargill	Farm labourer	4/10/17	19/3/18	..
89	McKenney, Ellen (or McCanney, Ellen)	Lincoln	Spinster	21/6/17	28/3/18	..
90	McKenzie, James	Waimakaka	Shepherd	12/10/17	28/3/18	..
91	McLean, John	Reefton	Settler	13/12/17	28/3/18	..
92	McMahon, Thomas John	Wellington	Railway employee	4/11/17	28/3/18	..
93	McMurray, Frederic (or Frederick Percival)	Christchurch	Farmer	25/9/17	11/3/18	..
94	Napier, James	Hororata	Farm labourer	13/6/17	19/3/18	..
95	Naseby, James	Parnell, Auckland	Rigger	15/1/18	16/3/18	Intestate.
96	Nelson, Charles Augustus	Auckland	Carpenter	19/11/17	28/3/18	Testate.
97	Nelson, Charles Ernest	Taupaki	Labourer	23/11/17	19/3/18	..
98	Nelson, William Henry	Owaka	Farmer	4/10/17	3/4/18	..
99	Neville, Patrick	Wellington	Civil servant	4/10/17	19/3/18	..
100	Noble, William John	Feilding	Labourer	22/11/17	28/3/18	..
101	Oxenham, Frederick George	Mt. Albert, Auckland	Grocer's assistant	14/11/17	28/3/18	..
102	Oxley, William Frank	Dunedin	Joiner	12/10/17	28/3/18	..
103	Parker, William	Devonport	Mill hand	4/10/17	11/3/18	..
104	Parkinson, Harold	Awatuna	Farmer	6/12/17	28/3/18	..
105	Parr, Ellis Alexander	Petone	Railway clerk	30/10/17	13/3/18	..
106	Paul, James Coutts	Wellington	Civil servant	8/6/17	23/3/18	..
107	Poland, Hugh Francis	Formerly Hamilton, latterly Paeroa	Bank clerk	4/10/17	26/3/18	..
108	Pollock, George Harold	Koritaki	Farmer	12/10/17	23/3/18	..
109	Rees, Alfred Ellis	Longburn	Labourer	24/11/17	11/3/18	..
110	Rice, Henry Harkenness	Formerly Oamaru, latterly Dunedin	Clerk	12/10/17	11/3/18	..
111	Rock, Rose	Timaru	Widow	9/9/17	11/3/18	..
112	Russell, James	Dunedin	Ship's cook	6/3/18	25/3/18	Intestate.
113	Sage, Walter George	Wellington	Clerk	15/10/17	19/3/18	Testate.
114	Saulbrey, Thomas Percival	Ngaruawahia	Farmer	14/10/17	3/4/18	..
115	Shepherd, Herbert Guthrie	Roxburgh	Grocer	12/10/17	3/4/18	..
116	Shirley, John	Dunback	Farmer	29/10/15	11/3/18	..
117	Shirley, William	Pahiatua .. ..	.. ..	20/10/17	11/3/18	..
118	Smith, Albert	Waitaki .. ..	.. ..	12/10/17	28/3/18	..
119	Smith, Daniel (or Daniell) William	Whangamomona .. ..	.. ..	7/12/17	26/3/18	..
120	Smith, Cyril Charles Joseph Winzar	Waikari	Labourer	7/6/17	28/3/18	..
121	Stapleton, Sarah Ann	Christchurch	Married woman	26/10/17	28/3/18	..
122	Stewart, William	Rakaja	Retired farmer	17/8/17	16/3/18	..
123	Stuart, Alfred	Wanganui	Farmer	14/10/17	19/3/18	..
124	Sutherland, Clair Nelson	Dunedin	Student	12/10/17	3/4/18	..
125	Sutherland, Frederick Vincent	Arthurton, via Gore	Railway surfaceman	15/6/17	19/3/18	..
126	Teggart, Stuart Blacker	Kuaotuna	Cook	6/12/17	4/4/18	Intestate.
127	Thompson, William	Kaipoi	Gardener	5/5/17	11/3/18	Testate.
128	Thompson, William Gray	Napier	Retired railway man	7/1/18	13/3/18	Intestate.
129	Thomson, William Calder	Milton .. ..	.. ..	24/12/17	3/4/18	Testate.
130	Vidal, George	Auckland	Clerk	2/1/18	13/3/18	Intestate.
131	Walker, Alice Mary	Napier	Married woman	21/6/17	13/3/18	Testate.
132	Watkins, Frederick Honor	Takapuna	Driver	7/6/17	3/4/18	..
133	Williams, Arthur	Lilburn, Clifden	Labourer	6/10/17	3/4/18	..
134	Williams, William Stephen	Ohakune	Farmer	8/8/15	15/3/18	..

Wellington, 10th April, 1918.

ROBERT TRIGGS, Public Trustee.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 23 of 1918.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 9th April, 1918.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Hydrographic Office, London; the Hydrographic Office, Washington; the Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne; and the Harbours Board Offices, Adelaide, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

SOUTH-EAST COAST.—PORT MACDONNELL.—MOORINGS.

THE attention of masters of vessels and others is directed to a regulation dated 4th June, 1891, advising that the Board will not be responsible for any damage done to any ship arising from the defective conditions of any mooring provided by them. In this connection a warning is hereby given that the moorings at Port MacDonnell are at present unreliable, and will continue so until they can be overhauled, when a further notice will be issued.

Approximate position: Lat. 38° 4' S., long. 140° 44' E.
This affects Admiralty Charts Nos. 1007, 1083, and 2759B.

AUSTRALIA.—WEST COAST.

KOOMBANAH BAY.—BUNBURY MOLE LIGHT.—INTENDED ALTERATION IN POSITION.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that the existing white flashing light will be moved to the end of the new mole on or about 1st May, 1918.

Position.—The light will be moved to a position 1,000 ft. north-eastward of its present position. Lat. 33° 18' S., long. 115° 39½' E.

Remarks.—The other details of the light are unaltered. No further notice will be given.

HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.

OAHU.—HONOLULU HARBOUR.—CHANGES IN AIDS POSTPONED.

Referring to Notice to Mariners 50 (3190) of 1917, further notice is given that the changes in aids in Honolulu Harbour have been postponed.

ENGLAND.—SOUTH COAST.

ANVIL POINT.—WRECK SOUTH-EASTWARD OF.

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 7½ miles south-eastward from Anvil Point. Lat. 50° 29' N., long. 1° 51' W.

Description.—A sunken wreck, with derrick showing about 8 ft. above water.

Note.—This wreck is already shown on the latest editions of Charts Nos. 2675B and 1598.

SPLITHEAD APPROACH.—SELSEA BILL.—WRECK WESTWARD OF.

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 4 miles westward from Selsea Bill. Lat. 50° 41' 42" N., long. 0° 53' 10" W.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a steamer.

Note.—This wreck, which was sunk in 1917, is already shown on the latest editions of Charts Nos. 2675B, 2675C, and 1598.

ANVIL POINT.—WRECK SOUTH-EASTWARD OF.

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 5 miles south-eastward from Anvil Point. Lat. 50° 33' N., long. 1° 50' 36" W.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a steamer.

Note.—This wreck, which was sunk in 1917, is already shown on the latest editions of Charts Nos. 2675B and 1598.

OWERS LIGHT-VESSEL.—WRECK SOUTHWARD OF.

Position.—At a distance of about 6½ miles southward from the Owers Light-vessel. Lat. 50° 30' 50" N., long. 0° 37' 50" W.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a steamer.

Note.—This wreck, which was sunk in 1917, is already shown on the latest editions of the charts.

OWERS LIGHT-VESSEL.—WRECK EASTWARD OF.

Position (approximate).—At a distance of about 3½ miles eastward from the Owers Light-vessel. Lat. 50° 37' 45" N., long. 0° 35' W.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a steamer.

Note.—This wreck, which was sunk in 1917, is already shown on the latest editions of the charts.

TEIGNMOUTH.—WRECK EASTWARD OF, MARKED BY BUOY.

(a.) Wreck:

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles eastward from Teignmouth. Lat. 50° 33' 18" N., long. 3° 26' 15" W.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a steamer, with mast and funnel showing above high water.

(b.) Buoy:

Position.—At a distance of about three-quarters of a cable south-eastward from the wreck.

Description.—A green wreck-marking buoy.

Note.—This wreck, which was sunk in 1917, is already shown on the latest editions of Charts Nos. 2675B and 1518.

UNITED STATES.

FLORIDA, GULF OF MEXICO.—ANCLOTE CAYS LIGHT.—ALTERATION IN CHARACTERISTICS.

Position.—Lat. 28° 10' N., long. 82° 50¼' W.

New abridged description.—Lt. gp. fl. (4), ev. 30 secs., 101 ft., vis. 16 m.

Details.—The flashing white light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics:—

Character.—A group flashing white light showing four flashes every thirty seconds.

Power.—54,000 candles.

Remarks.—The other characteristics of the light remain unchanged.

WEST INDIES AND BERMUDA ISLANDS.

CERTAIN PORTS CLOSED BY NIGHT; CAUTION APPROACHING CERTAIN PORTS; DISCONTINUANCE OF AIDS TO NAVIGATION.

Former notice hereby cancelled.

Ports closed by Night.

Mariners are hereby warned that the following ports are closed between sunset and sunrise, until further notice:—

- (a.) Port Kingston (Jamaica).
- (b.) Port Castries (St. Lucia).
- (c.) St. George Harbour (Grenada).
- (d.) Georgetown and New Amsterdam (British Guiana).

Caution approaching certain Ports.

Vessels approaching the undermentioned ports are to pay careful attention to any signals made by patrol vessels, and all orders received from them are to be immediately complied with:—

- (a.) Kingston (Jamaica).
- (b.) Port Castries (St. Lucia).
- (c.) Bermuda Islands.
- (d.) Carlisle Bay (Barbados).
- (e.) Port of Spain (Trinidad).

Lights extinguished.

The lights at the following ports and islands are extinguished:—

- (a.) Harbours in Jamaica.
- (b.) Myhlenfeldts Point (St. Thomas).
- (c.) St. John's (Antigua).
- (d.) Guadeloupe.
- (e.) St. Lucia.
- (f.) St. Vincent.
- (g.) Grenada.
- (h.) Carlisle Bay and South Point (Barbados).
- (i.) Nassau Harbour leading-lights (Bahamas).
- (j.) Georgetown and New Amsterdam (British Guiana).

Mariners are hereby warned that it may be necessary to extinguish certain lights, and to discontinue or remove any aids to navigation on the coasts of the Bermuda Islands and outlying reefs without further notice.

Note.—This notice is a revision of the former notice.

BRAZIL.

Former notice hereby cancelled.

(1.) Lights extinguished.

The undermentioned lights are extinguished:—

San Marcos (Maranhm) Bay..	San Marcos and Barra lights.
Port Camocin	Rio Camocin light and light of Fairway light-buoy.
Rio Grande do Norte	Rio Grande do Norte light.
Parahiba River	Podra Secca light and light of Fairway light-buoy.
Port Pernambuco	Olinda Point and Picao lights and lights of light-buoys at entrance to Port of Recife.

Port Maceio	Maceio light and light of Peixe-Páo light-buoy.
Port Aracaju (Rio Cotinguiba)	Aracaju light.
Rio Real	Rio Real light.
Port of Bahia (San Salvador) ..	Fort San Antonio, Fort Santa Maria, Fort San Marcello do Mar, and Frade Island lights.
Espirito Santo Bay	Espirito Santo Bay light.
Barra Nova	Barra Nova (Laginha) light.
Rio de Janeiro approach	Maricas islands and Raza lights.
Rio de Janeiro	All lights.
Mangaratiba Bay	Castelhanos Point light.
Ilha Grande Bay	All lights.
Santos Harbour	Santos Harbour light.
Paranagua Bay	All lights, including light of Fairway light-buoy.
Rio Sao Francisco do Sul	Paz Island and Rio Sao Francisco do Sul lights.
Tajahy Harbour	Tajahy River light.
Santa Catharina Island and vicinity	Arvoredo Islet, Anhatomirim Islet, Fort Santa Anna, and Point dos Naufragados lights.
Rio Grande do Sul	Rio Grande do Sul light.

(2.) Ports closed by Night.

Mariners are warned that entry and exit of vessels to all ports on the coasts of Brazil, between sunset and sunrise, is prohibited until further notice.

(3.) Port of Rio de Janeiro.—Traffic Regulations.

Vessels entering or leaving the port of Rio de Janeiro must embark an official Government pilot, and pass through the entrance under his orders; movements of vessels inside the port are also subject to the pilot's orders.

Entry or exit of merchant vessels from the port is prohibited at night.

The pilot-boat, which is stationed outside the entrance, carries the usual distinguishing marks prescribed.

Note.—This notice is a revision of the former notice.

CANADA.

NOVA SCOTIA.—CAPE BRETON ISLAND, EAST COAST.—WHITE HEAD LIGHT.—ALTERATION IN CHARACTERISTICS.

Position.—In small cove under White Head. Lat. 46° 53' N., long. 60° 21½' W.

New abridged description.—Lt. F., 53 ft., vis. 10 m.

Details.—The fixed red light has been replaced by a light having the undermentioned characteristics:—

Character.—A fixed white light.

Elevation.—53 ft.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Structure.—A pole, 26 ft. in height, with shed and base.

HALIFAX APPROACH.—SAMBRO OUTER BANK.—LIGHT-VESSEL REPLACED ON STATION.

Former Notices.—Nos. 1097 and 1301 of 1917 hereby cancelled.

Position.—Lat. 44° 20½' N., long. 63° 30½' W.

Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.

Remarks.—This light-vessel which had been removed for repairs has been replaced on her station, and the light-and-whistle buoy temporarily marking the position has been withdrawn.

SABLE ISLAND, WEST LIGHT.—ALTERATION IN POSITION.

New position.—At a distance of 4,000 ft., 91° (S. 66° E. mag.), from former position, and about 1½ miles from the extremity of West Point. Lat. 43° 56½' N., long. 60° 5½' W.

New abridged description.—Lt. fl. ev. 5 secs., 110 ft., vis. 16 m.

Details.—The light is as described in the Admiralty List of Lights, with the exception that the light is now exhibited at an elevation of 110 ft. from a black square framework tower 107 ft. high, with white wooden slats on upper portion.

Remarks.—The old light-tower, which has been left standing, is painted white; the lantern has been removed.

Variation.—23° W.

CHINA SEA AND PACIFIC OCEAN.

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS, EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS, AND DISCONTINUANCE OR WITHDRAWAL OF AIDS TO NAVIGATION.

Former notice hereby cancelled.

I. Philippine Islands.

Manila Bay.

The south channel into Manila Bay is closed to traffic, and is protected by mines; this channel extends from Caballo Island on the north to Restinga Point on the south.

The north channel between Corregidor Island and the shore of Bataan Province to the northward is closed to inward-bound traffic from sunset to sunrise, except to certain vessels engaged in public service. Vessels are, however, permitted to leave Manila Bay by the north channel without restriction as to time.

Obedience to the above regulations will be enforced by vessels of the United States Navy and by the shore batteries. Failure to comply with any of the above regulations may result in the destruction of the offending vessels.

Subic Bay.

Subic Bay is closed to traffic; any unauthorized vessel attempting to enter the port does so at her peril.

II. Hong Kong.

Cape Collinson light is extinguished.

Gap Rock light, Wag Lan Islet light, and Green Island lights are extinguished, but lights will be exhibited from these lighthouses when the local typhoon signals are hoisted, and will be shown until the signals are hauled down.

III. Russian Maritime Province.

All lights are liable to be extinguished, and aids to navigation discontinued or withdrawn on the coasts of the Russian Maritime Province.

IV. Sandwich Islands, Honolulu.

All lights in Honolulu Harbour are extinguished, and the harbour is closed by night.

V. Society Islands, Tahiti.

Leading lights for Papiete Pass are extinguished.

Note.—This notice is a revision of the former notice.

Officiating Ministers for 1918.—Notice No. 12.

Registrar-General's Office,

Wellington, 9th April, 1918.

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:—

Baptists.

The Reverend SAMUEL BECKINGHAM.
" HOWARD ELLIOTT.
" W. L. SALTER.

Salvation Army.

Captain SAMUEL M. HAYES.

W. W. COOK,

Registrar-General.

Soldiers' Property Boards of Trustees appointed.

National Efficiency Board,

Wellington, 6th April, 1918.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the regulations made on the 2nd April, 1917, under the War Regulations Act, 1914, and its amendments, the Minister of Defence has constituted and appointed the following Soldiers' Property Boards of Trustees, namely:—

1. THE W. S. GLENNY SOLDIERS' PROPERTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—Consisting of Thomas Moss, of Eketahuna, Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board for the Wellington Military District; Davis Canning, of Wallingford, Sheep-farmer; William Isaac Limbrick, of Waipawa, Farmer; Leslie Martin Moncton, of Waipukurau, Sheep-farmer; John Winlove, of Waipukurau, Builder and Contractor; and William Henry Rathbone, of Waipawa, Sheep-farmer.

2. THE JOHN LORRETT SOLDIERS' PROPERTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—Consisting of George Elliot, of Auckland, Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board for the Auckland Military District; Arthur William Gillies, Expert Adviser to the Auckland Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Joseph Barugh, of Hamilton, Farmer; John William Ellis, of Hamilton, Merchant; and Frederick Richard Seddon, of Hamilton, Farmer.

3. THE F. M. GOGGIN SOLDIERS' PROPERTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—Consisting of Thomas Moss, of Eketahuna, Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board for the Wellington Military District; Francis Collinson Turner, of Eketahuna, Farmer; Thomas Benjamin Mason, of Nireaha, Farmer; Cecil Kebbell, of Alfredton, Farmer; Albert Edward Bell, of Nireaha, Farmer; and William B. Matheson, of Rongomai, Farmer.

WILLIAM FERGUSON,

Chairman.

Results of Elections of Members of River Boards.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 2nd April, 1918.

THE following results of elections of members of River Boards have been received from the Returning Officer, and are published in accordance with the provisions of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913.

J. HISLOP,
Under-Secretary.

South Wairarapa River District, Counties of Wairarapa South and Featherston—

John Thomas Dagg.
Quentin Donald.
William Hume.
Alfred Matthews.
Charles Matthews.

Waipawa River District, Counties of Waipawa and Patangata—

Albyn V. Collins.
Hector Owen Dillon.
William Henry Small.
Rosalyn H. Tod.
Allan M. Williams.

North Rakaia River District, County of Ellesmere—

James Storry.
Walter Lockhead.
Edward James Cowan.
William Martin Gabbie.
John Peter McEvedy.

Rangitata Island River District, County of Geraldine—

David Watts.
John Ross Brodie.
Charles Francis Hearn.
George Tate.
Joseph Buck.

Otautau River District, County of Wallace—

Robert Greenslade. No. 1 Subdivision.
John Lindsay. "
Thomas Norman. "
Edwin C. Harrington. No. 2 Subdivision.
Robert Scatter. "
Elisha Harrington. "

Palmerston North - Kairanga River District, County of Kairanga—

Hugh Akers. Palmerston North Subdivision.
Ernest Hugh Crabb. "
Charles Frederick Spooner. "
John Octavius Batchelar. Kairanga Subdivision.
George Greer. "

South Orari River District, County of Geraldine—

Andrew R. Guild.
Robert Macaulay.
Murdoch H. McLeod.
William Quirk.
David Stewart.

Upper Orari River District, County of Geraldine—

George B. Cartwright.
Donald Grant.
George Hancox.
Thomas Harrington.
William Mason.
John McDonald.
Colin McKenzie.

Waiau Township River District, County of Amuri—

M. Bethell.
W. Hanmer Atkinson.
H. T. Beaven.
H. R. Davison.
G. Fulton.
B. Hampton.
J. Lee, junior.
K. Pettigrew.
G. O. Rutherford.

Lower Wairau River District, County of Marlborough—

Frank Adams.
Robert John Bell.
William Carr.
Archibald McCallum.
Edward Stone Parker.

Clutha River District, Counties of Clutha, Bruce, and Tuapeka—

John Crawford Anderson. Stirling.
John Begg, junior. Pukeawa.
James Ross Mitchell. Clydevale.
Patrick McInerney. Kononi, Tuapeka West.
Charles Fitzroy Overton. Wharetoa.

Kaikoura River District, County of Kaikoura—

Alexander Boyd.
J. G. Garrett.
J. W. Harris.
J. Peoples, junior.
W. Chapman.

Waikato River District, Counties of Waikato, Franklin, and Raglan—

John Thomas Cronin. Maramarua Subdivision.
Michael Gallery. Mercer Subdivision.
Thomas Samuel Percival Prendergast. Pokeno Subdivision.
Harold William Matthews. Wangape Subdivision.
Arthur Lapwood. Tuakau Subdivision.
Arthur Gilpin Canning Glass. Whangamarino Subdivision.

Election of Member of the Teachers' Superannuation Board.

Education Department,
Wellington, 10th April, 1918.

IN pursuance of regulations dated 24th April, 1917, under the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1908, I hereby certify that, for the election of a member of the Superannuation Board constituted by the said Act, from among the contributors resident in the North Island, the persons nominated and the number of votes received by each was as follows:—

	Number of Votes.
Cousins, Herbert Glanville	634
Munro, Colin Robert	576

I hereby declare that HERBERT GLANVILLE COUSINS has been duly elected a member of the Board.

The total number of voting-papers received was 1,217. Of these, seven were informal. Fifty-nine papers that bore evidence of having been posted after the day of election were not opened.

W. L. DUNN,
Secretary, Teachers' Superannuation Board,
Returning Officer.

Result of Land Surveyors' Examination, March, 1918.

Office of the Surveyors' Board,
Government Buildings,
Wellington, 26th March, 1918.

AT the examination of candidates for a surveyor's license held in March, 1918, under the Surveyors' Institute and Board of Examiners Act, 1908, and conducted by the Federated Surveyors' Boards of Australia and New Zealand, four candidates presented themselves in New Zealand.

None of these candidates succeeded in passing the examination.

M. CROMPTON-SMITH,
Secretary, Surveyors' Board.

Observances respecting Anzac Day.

Prime Minister's Office,
Wellington, 11th April, 1918.

I HEREBY notify, for public information, that the Government have decided to observe Anzac Day, Thursday, 25th April, 1918, as a public holiday.

2. I shall be glad if the Mayors of all cities and boroughs, the Chairmen of County Councils and Town Boards, as well as other local bodies, as far as their districts are concerned, will similarly observe the day in remembrance of the notable deeds performed by the Australians and our brave New Zealand soldiers on that memorable and historical occasion.

3. It is specially fitting that on this occasion special services of public worship be held by all religious denominations, and I therefore appeal to all Ministers of religion and all congregations to hold such services on behalf of the people of the Dominion at such hours during the forenoon or afternoon as are found convenient.

4. The New Zealand Ensign will be displayed on all public buildings in the Dominion from sunrise to sunset.

5. It is requested that the managers and representatives of shipping companies should direct that all ships in the various harbours display their flags during that day.

6. It is considered that the occasion is particularly one upon which opportunity should be taken to arrange patriotic meetings during the day, and especially in the evening, to commemorate the anniversary, the question of how this may best be done being left to the discretion of the Mayors of the various boroughs and the Chairmen of other local bodies.

W. F. MASSEY,
Prime Minister

Assistant Censor of Telegraph Messages appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the authority conferred upon me by an Order in Council on the third day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, in pursuance of section two of the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1910, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in the present state of war, do hereby authorize and appoint

WYNNE JOHNSON PATERSON,

of Auckland, to act during my pleasure as an Assistant Censor of Telegraphic Messages in respect of the telegraph stations at or near Auckland.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this eighth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Assistant Censor of Telegraph Messages appointed.

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CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Invercargill, 8th April, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned section will be offered for sale at auction for cash, under the provisions of section 132 of the Land Act, 1908, at this office on Thursday, the 23rd day of May, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—RURAL LAND.

Wallace County.—Wairio Survey District.

SECTION 189, Block XIV: Area, 2 acres; upset price, £10. Good arable level land, mostly covered with gorse, adjacent to Woodlaw Railway-station.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter. Otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1909.

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

Land in the Southland Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 8th April, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for sale or lease under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 22nd day of May, 1918.

The land may be selected for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on lease for thirty-three years, with right of re-

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newal for further successive terms of thirty-three years, and a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, on Thursday, 23rd May, 1918, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Wallace County.—Waiau Survey District.—Merrivale No. 1 Settlement.

SECTION 14, Block XI: Area, 293 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £2,014 10s. 1d. Deferred-payment instalment (excluding interest), £100 14s. 6d. Half-yearly rent on lease, £45 6s. 9d.

Weighted with £245 14s., valuation for dwelling, byre, fencing, &c.

Situated immediately opposite Orawia Post-office and store, half a mile from dairy factory, and one mile and a half from school. Whole area capable of cultivation, and is suitable for sheep and agricultural farming. 125 chains frontage to good gravelled road, and 36 chains to unformed road. Permanently watered by Fenham Stream. About ten miles by a good gravelled road to Tuatapere Railway-station, and about one mile and a half to nearest point of proposed, and partly formed, Orawia section of the Orepuki-Orawia Railway.

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

H. D. M. HASZARD,
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The lands may be selected for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on lease for sixty-six years, with right of renewal for further successive terms of sixty-six years, and a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, on Thursday, 23rd May, 1918, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Southland County.—Toetoes Survey District.

SECTIONS 42, 43, and 44, Block I: Area, 125 acres 2 roods 33 perches. Capital value, £500. Instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £25. Half-yearly rent on lease, £11 5s.

Undulating land; good soil, on clay subsoil; mostly covered with small trees and scrub; well watered; suitable for dairying or cropping when cleared. Situated within one mile and three-quarters of Titiroa Railway-station—one mile and a half good gravelled road, balance unformed but good dray-track.

Sections part 24A and 31, Block IX: Area, 167 acres 0 roods 12 perches. Capital value, £250. Instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £12 10s. Half-yearly rent on lease, £5 12s. 6d.

Worked-out bush country; well watered, soil fair; when cleared, suitable for grazing and dairying. Fifty chains from Pukewao Railway-siding by uncleared road, and four miles and a half of good gravel road and half a mile unformed road to Tokonui Railway-station.

Section 16, Block X: Area, 219 acres 2 roods 15 perches. Capital value, £550. Instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £27 10s. Half-yearly rent on lease, £12 7s. 6d.

Worked-out bush country; soil good, well watered; suitable for cultivation and dairying when cleared. Situated three miles and a quarter from Tokonui Railway-station—two miles and a half being good gravelled road, balance formed.

Wallace County.—Aparima Hundred.

Section 10, Block V: Area, 195 acres 0 roods 8 perches. Capital value, £350. Instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £17 10s. Half-yearly rent on lease, £7 17s. 6d.

Weighted with £15, valuation for clearing and fencing.

Hilly land, but ridges are fairly easy. Fair soil, on clay subsoil; covered with mixed bush of no commercial value, mostly all old sawmill workings; some small patches swept by fire have been sown in grass; well watered by permanent streams. Suitable for dairying when cleared and grassed. Situated about two miles and a quarter from Otautau Railway-station—fifteen chains formed, balance gravelled road.

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

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

Education Reserve in Nelson Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 8th April, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserve will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, 12th June, 1918, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVE.

Takaka County.—Takaka Survey District.

SECTION 49, Square 8, Block XV: Area, 55 acres; upset half-yearly rent, £3.

Nearly all flat land; about 20 acres is low-lying and swampy, but could be improved by draining; partly covered with fern and grass. Soil in parts light and stony, but well suited for pastoral purposes; well watered and good aspect. Three miles by dray-road from Upper Takaka Post-office.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, and lease and registration fees (£2 2s.), to be paid on fall of hammer.
2. Terms of lease, twenty-one years from date of sale, without right of renewal.
3. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of the Land Board.
4. Lessee to cultivate and improve land, and keep it clear of weeds. Creeks, drains, and watercourses to be kept open.
5. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrears.
6. Buildings on land to be kept in good order, repair, and condition.
7. No gravel to be removed from the land without the consent of the Land Board.
8. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade.
9. Consent of the Land Board to be obtained before making improvements.
10. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
11. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Taranaki Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 8th April, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 20th May, 1918.

The lands may be selected for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on lease for thirty-three years, with right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years, and a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, on Thursday, 23rd May, 1918, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—STRATFORD COUNTY.—HUIROA SURVEY DISTRICT.—CROYDON SETTLEMENT.

First-class Land.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Capital Value.	Instalment on Deferred Payment (excluding Interest).	Half-yearly Rent on Lease.
1s	IX	A. R. P.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
		144 1 6	2,925	146 5 0	65 16 3
			340*	17 3 5*	17 3 5*
2s	"	80 3 28	2,615	130 15 0	58 16 9
3s	"	80 2 25	2,655	132 15 0	59 14 9
4s	"	80 3 0	2,315	115 15 0	52 1 9
5s	"	82 0 0	2,365	118 5 0	53 4 3
6s	"	82 2 19	2,770	138 10 0	62 6 6
7s	"	80 2 19	2,635	131 15 0	59 5 9
			260†	16 16 9†	16 16 9†

* Buildings. Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £340; payable in cash, or in fourteen years by half-yearly instalments of £17 3s. 5d. Total half-yearly instalment, £82 19s. 8d.

† Buildings. Interest and sinking fund on buildings valued at £260; payable in cash, or in ten years by half-yearly instalments of £16 16s. 9d. Total half-yearly instalment, £76 2s. 6d.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital value of the sections are as follows:—

Section 1s.—About 253 chains sheep-proof post-and-wire fencing valued at £350 (fence on road frontage not in very good order).

Section 2s.—About 76 chains sheep-proof post-and-wire fencing, valued at £113.

Section 3s.—About 80 chains sheep-proof post-and-wire fencing, valued at £111.

Section 4s.—About 20 chains sheep-proof post-and-wire fencing, valued at £30.

Section 5s.—About 33 chains sheep-proof post-and-wire fencing, valued at £41.

Section 6s.—About 120 chains sheep-proof post-and-wire fencing, valued at £170.

Section 7s.—About 180 chains sheep-proof post-and-wire fencing, valued at £265.

The following improvements are not included in the capital value of the sections, and must be paid for separately, as follows:—

Section 1s.—Homestead of six rooms, with bathroom, &c., wash-house, and two small sheds, and a cow-shed 60 ft. by 12 ft.; of a total value of £340.

Section 7s.—A small dwellinghouse and shed, cow-shed, also wool-shed; of a total value of £260.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

Croydon Settlement is situated on the Croydon Road, about a mile and a half from Waipuku Railway-station, on the New Plymouth—Wellington Railway, and about one mile and a quarter from a creamery. The land is nearly all fit for dairying, and about seven-eighths of the settlement is ploughable; well watered, but the beds of some of the streams are a little soft. The fencing is generally good sheep-proof fencing. Some now too close to the sectional boundaries to provide good paddocks will require shifting. Soil is a volcanic loam of fair quality, a little light in places. About 38 acres in Section 1s have not been laid down in grass after turnips. Some timber is lying about; but is more an asset than a detriment. In Section 4s 35 acres and 20 acres in Section 5s are in standing bush, which is light, and the land of good quality. Some of the land has been resown in grass quite recently. Climate moist and favourable for the growth of pasture. Altitude, about 800 ft. above sea-level.

NOTE.—Tenants will be responsible for local rates, commencing from the date of allotment of the sections.

The present temporary road through Sections 6s and 7s must be left open by the selectors thereof until the Manganui Road is formed.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 8th April, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, at 11 o'clock a.m., on Wednesday, the 12th June, 1918, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Murchison County.—Burnett Survey District.

SECTION 15, Block VIII: Area, 160 acres; upset half-yearly rent, £2 10s.

The section is entirely bush-covered, the timber consisting of brown and red birch, with underscrub of horopito, broadleaf, and blackscrub in better parts of the section; about half of the section varies from flat to undulating, balance fairly steep spurs. Soil good on flats, but swampy in places, inferior and mossy on spurs; well watered. Access by formed county road thirty miles from Murchison, thence by about seventeen chains of unformed road.

Buller County.—Oparara Survey District.

Section 9, Block V: Area, 578 acres; upset half-yearly rent, £7.

About 150 acres flat terrace of poor quality, remainder very rough broken country; all heavy bush, consisting of mixed bush; well watered by permanent streams. Altitude 30 ft. to 1,600 ft. above sea-level. Soil poor quality, resting on granite formation. About six miles and a half distant from Karamea Township, two miles being formed road, four miles by beach, balance by unformed road.

Murchison County.—Rahu Survey District.

Section 3, Block XVI: Area, 895 acres; upset half-yearly rent, £20 5s.

Two hundred acres flat, balance varying from gentle slopes to steep pastoral country, with some extent of ploughable land; limestone formation. Soil good in gullies, but ridges are rather bare. Altitude, 1,500 ft. to 2,800 ft. Fifty acres open country comprising river-flats, balance red and brown birch, with heavy underscrub of broadleaf and horopito. About thirty-four miles from Reefton (partly by formed road and partly by pack-track), or sixty-three miles from Murchison by formed road.

Part Section 10, Block XVI: Area, 871 acres; upset half-yearly rent, £17 10s.

Fifty acres flat, balance undulating to steep faces; pastoral country, with the exception of about 60 acres which can be ploughed; limestone formation. Soil good in gullies, and fair to good on ridges; well watered. Altitude, 1,350 ft. to 2,900 ft. Twenty-five acres open country, balance red and brown birch, with thick underscrub of birch, broadleaf, and horopito. About thirty-three miles from Reefton (partly by formed road and partly by pack-track), or sixty-two miles from Murchison by formed road.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, and lease and registration fees (£2 2s.), to be paid on fall of hammer.
2. Term of lease, twenty-one years from date of sale, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.
3. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee, less any sum due to the Crown.
4. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of the Land Board.
5. Lessee to cultivate and improve land, and keep it clear of weeds. Creeks, drains, and watercourses to be kept open.
6. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrears.
7. Buildings on land to be kept in good order, repair, and condition.
8. No gravel to be removed from the land without consent of the Land Board.
9. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade.
10. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before making improvements.
11. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
12. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

F. A. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Canterbury Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 25th February, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that a lease of the undermentioned land will be submitted for sale by public auction, under section 130 of the Land Act, 1908, at the Drill-shed, Culverden, on Thursday, 18th April, 1918, at 2 o'clock p.m.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—AMURI COUNTY.—LYNDON SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 38, Block II; Area, 78 acres 2 roods 22 perches; upset annual rental, £7 17s. 6d.

All stony tussock flat, rather poor soil. About a mile from Hanmer by formed road.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, five years from day of sale; but subject to resumption at any time in the event of the land being required by the Government.
2. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance.
3. The land shall be used for grazing-purposes only, and shall not be broken up unless it is necessary to renew the grass, in which case it shall be laid down in grass and clover in a satisfactory manner with a small quantity of oats for shelter, the oats to be fed off, and not harvested. No crop of any kind shall at any time be taken off the land.
4. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor on account of the aforesaid possible resumption, nor for any other cause.
5. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
6. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, broom, sweetbrier, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
7. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

Possession will be given on the day of sale. The present lessee has the right to remove all fences erected by him within one month from the day of sale.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 25th March, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned section will be offered for sale by public auction at this office on Friday, the 26th April, 1918, at 11 a.m., under the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 10s, Pakaraka Settlement, near Kawakawa: Area, 9 acres 0 roods 34 perches, being the homestead of the property formerly owned by Mr. James Close; upset price, £1,085, including all buildings.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser may pay for the land in cash or by deferred payments extending over a period of nineteen years. The terms are—

- (1.) *Cash*.—One-fifth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter.
- (2.) *Deferred Payments*.—Five per cent. of the purchase-money and license fee (£1 1s.) on the fall of the hammer, balance by equal annual instalments extending over nineteen years, with interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount.

Title will be subject to section 60 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

Further particulars may be obtained from this office.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wairoa.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 6th April, 1918.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wairoa on the 1st day of May, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1918-5.]

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land
1	Haenga Paretipua	Matuku.
2	Paora Hapi and others	Oputama Rahui.
3	Karepa Mataira and Iopa te Hau and others	Waikokopu "

APPLICATIONS FOR DEFINITION OF CROWN'S INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
4	The Native Minister	Kahotea West 1c.
5	"	" 1d.
6	"	" 2.
7	"	Kahotea East.
8	"	Nuhaka 2F 2A.
9	"	Putere A 11.
10	"	" B.
11	"	" 1B 1.
12	"	" 1B 4.
13	"	Whareraurakau 3A.
14	"	" 4.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
15	Pora Hira and others	Hereheretau B 2.
16	Horiana Tawhiri	" B 2.
17	Paetai Kaimoana	" B 2.
18	Waiti te Rito	" B 4.
19	Maraea Waaka Kereru	" B 10.
20	Rauna Hape	" B 10A 1.
21	Teni te Waho	Hinewhaki 2.
22	Hori Haere and others	" 2.
23	Erami Kaihue	" West, or 2.
24	Myra Powdrell	Kahaatureka A.
25	Pero Hamilton	Kahotea East.
26	Turei Takitaki	" West 1c.
27	Te Waaka Toroiwhiti	Kaiwaitau.
28	Pikiwai Ngarara	Kauhoroa 3.
29	Edward D. Oldham	" 4d.
30	Epeniha Kaihote	Kiwi Reserve.
31	Heihei Eriapa	" 21.
32	Horiana Tawhiri and Mere Tupaea	Kopua C.
33	Mere Marutu and others	Mahanga 1d 2, 6, and 10.
34	Agnes Clementina Bowen	" 1d 7 and 1d 9.
35	Hereaka Tiripa Turei	Mangaaruhe East 3.
36	Hari Hekenata	Matuku F.
37	Mereana Kuku Karaitiana and others	Mohaka 23.
38	Wiremu Tuari and others	" 2-51A.
39	Netane Anaru and others	" 2-51A.
40	Raihanian Rimiteru and others	Moutere 2, Sub. 3.
41	Hare Pomare and others	Nuhaka 2A 4A.
42	Kingi Nau	" 2A 4A 3.
43	Hare Pomare and others	" 2A 4B.
44	The Tairawhiti District Maori Land Board	" 2A 4C.
45	Iharaira Hemopo and others	" 2A 4D.
46	Hare Pomare and others	" 2B 2A.
47	Watene Hatepe, <i>alias</i> Watene Tiwai	" 2B 2J.
48	Maika Taruke	" 2c 2c.
49	Te Kiita Kihii	" 2c 2w 195.
50	Mahanga Paikea	" 2c 2w 196, 197, 198, and 199.
51	Ropitini Metawhina and others	" 2d 2A.
52	Mita Mihingare and Hone Pomana	" 2d 2B.
53	Matenga Waitaniwha	" 2d 2B 3.
54	Ruka Hamuera	" 2d 2B 3.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
55	Mere Kirihi	Nuhaka 2D 2J.
56	Te Kauru Hohepa	" 2D 2N 3.
57	Hirini Kemara	" 2D 2N 7.
58	Pita Patereti and others	" 2E 3A 7.
59	Karepa Mataira	" 2E 3B 2.
60	Maika Taruke	" 2E 3D 2.
61	Watene Tiwai	" 2E 3C 6, 7, and 13.
62	Kawana Kereru and Mangumangu Kereru	" 2E 3C 8.
63	Mihi Whaanga	" 2E 3C 15.
64	Terina Kereru and Whakaarorangi Kereru	" 2E 3C 15.
65	Wairoa Huka	" 2F 2.
66	Hinewhata Paioneone	Nukutaurua 2c 3c.
67	Whare Puhake and others	Ohuia 1.
68	Mihi Puhara	" 1.
69	Epeniha Kaihote and Horiana Tawhiri	" 1.
70	Horiana Tawhiri	" 3.
71	Pine Kerei	Orangitirohia 15A.
72	Paora Onekawa	Paeroa 1B.
73	Paora Onekawa and others	" 1B 1.
74	Joseph Morris	" 1B 2.
75	Te Kihī Kaihote, Riria Kaihote, and others	" 1C 2.
76	Teo Rangi Winiata	" 1c 2c.
77	Paku Nuhaka	" 2.
78	Teo Morera	" 2B 3.
79	Eru Mete	" 2F 3.
80	"	" 2H.
81	Makere Morera	Pakowhai.
82	Teo Merengi	Poutaka 13.
83	Rakera Apatu	" 13.
84	Putere Erueti and others	Pukewhinau.
85	Hurua Puketapu	Putere A 11.
86	Apikara Takitapu (Tiwha)	" B.
87	Ka te Ngaere	" 1B 2A.
88	Teo Morera and others	Te Rato 1A.
89	Pani Nikitini	Ruarakaiputara 4.
90	Pikiwai Ngarara	Taumataoteo 7.
91	Manuera Ahuriri	" 12c and e.
92	Pahira Hoehoe and others	" 22.
93	Urupene Poutahi Hapimana	Taupara 2d 1.
94	The Tairawhiti District Maori Land Board	Tawapata North 1, Sub. 2.
95	"	" 2, " 4.
96	Eru Ahipene	Tukurangi.
97	Tamihana Karari	Tutaekuri 1A.
98	Kapene Taiaroa and others	" 1B.
99	Maki te Kuru	" 1c 7.
100	Te Waha Ahipene te Rei and Eru Ahipene	" 1c 15.
101	Morehu Rutene	" 1c 15.
102	Kiritoha Whatuira	" 1c 17.
103	Haumoia Tipuna and Tiamana Tipuna	Tutuotekaha 1B 1.
104	Huatahi Ihakara	" 2.
105	Parekapa Taepa	" 4.
106	Mihi Whaanga	Waikokopu Reserve.
107	Rutene te Ihi and others	Waipaoa 5.
108	Naomi te Tau	Waipapa 36.
109	Te Haenga Paretipua and others	Wairau.
110	Ani Haronga, Eru Mete, and others	"
111	Te Haenga Paretipua	Whakaki 2.
112	Rapihana Hawaikirangi	Wharepu 1A.
113	James King	" 1G.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area taken.	Purpose for which taken.
114	Under-Secretary for Public Works Department	Whangawehi 1, Sub. 7	A. R. P. 0 1 32	For a site for the Whakarewa Native school.
115	Ditto	Whataroa	7 1 11	For a road.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
119	Chief Surveyor, Napier	Aranui 1A	£ s. d. 2 14 0	29 August, 1917.
		" 1B	20 4 0	29 " 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.			Date from which Interest is calculated.
			£	s.	d.	
120	Chief Surveyor, Napier	Hereheretau B 4A	1	19	0	19 September, 1917.
		" B 4B	1	17	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4C	3	7	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4D	1	2	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4E	4	18	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4F	2	1	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4G	2	4	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4H	1	5	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4K	2	19	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4L	1	9	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4M	0	9	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4N	1	2	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4P	2	7	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4S	6	14	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4T	4	17	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4W	48	0	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4R 1	0	9	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4R 2	0	6	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4R 3	0	6	0	19 " 1917.
		" B 4R 4	0	6	0	19 " 1917.
" B 4R 5	0	9	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 4R 6	0	18	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 4R 7	0	9	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 4R 8	0	18	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 4R 9	2	0	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 8A	2	10	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 8B	16	2	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 8C	2	8	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 9A	1	1	0	19 " 1917.		
" B 10A 1	25	13	0	14 February, 1918.		
" B 10A 2	5	10	0	14 " 1918.		
124	"	Kairangi 2B 1	3	15	0	31 May, 1917.
		" 2B 2	3	19	0	31 " 1917.
		" 2B 3	7	15	0	31 " 1917.
		" 2B 4	15	9	0	31 " 1917.
125	"	Kopua A 1	7	18	0	4 March, 1918.
		" A 2	5	12	0	4 " 1918.
126	"	Nuhaka 2A 4A 9A	1	3	0	29 September, 1917.
		" 2A 4A 9B	6	6	0	29 " 1917.
		" 2A 4A 9C	5	5	0	29 " 1917.
		" 2A 4A 9D	18	19	0	29 " 1917.
		" 2A 4A 9E	8	10	0	29 " 1917.
		" 2A 4A 11A	6	17	8	28 February, 1917.
127	"	" 2A 4A 11B	4	14	0	28 " 1917.
		" 2A 4A 11C	9	5	4	28 " 1917.
		" 2A 4A 12A	10	6	0	29 September, 1917.
128	"	" 2A 4A 12B	10	2	0	29 " 1917.
		" 2A 4A 12C	10	4	0	29 " 1917.
129	"	" 2A 4R 1	18	1	0	28 May, 1917.
		" 2A 4R 2	8	11	0	28 " 1917.
		" 2C 2A	8	3	8	6 March, 1917.
		" 2C 2B	13	5	11	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2C	8	4	4	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2D	22	12	1	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2E	3	4	1	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2F	6	17	2	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2G	14	11	1	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2H	7	12	9	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2J	10	19	5	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2K	1	18	7	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2L	17	4	1	6 " 1917.
		" 2C 2M	7	13	11	6 " 1917.
" 2C 2N	4	2	11	6 " 1917.		
" 2C 2O	5	19	7	6 " 1917.		
" 2C 2P	6	17	11	6 " 1917.		
" 2C 2Q	7	7	4	6 " 1917.		
130	"	" 2C 2L 1	7	7	1	19 April, 1917.
		" 2C 2L 2	5	11	8	19 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 1	1	17	11	6 March, 1917.
		" 2D 2G 2	5	14	2	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 3	2	17	7	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 4	3	17	1	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 5	3	17	2	6 " 1917.
132	"	" 2D 2G 6	3	16	9	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 7	3	15	1	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 8	3	19	4	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 9	0	19	8	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 10	3	17	9	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 11	0	18	2	6 " 1917.
		" 2D 2G 12	9	7	10	6 " 1917.
133	"	" 2D 2M 3	10	18	2	28 February, 1917.
		" 2D 2M 4	10	18	4	28 " 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
			£ s. d.	
134	Chief Surveyor, Napier ..	Nuhaka 2E 3C 17B and C ..	6 11 0	31 October, 1917.
		.. 2E 3C 17D ..	6 16 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3B 1 ..	16 13 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3B 2 ..	29 17 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3B 3 ..	9 7 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3B 4 ..	14 1 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3B 5 ..	3 10 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3D 1 ..	1 14 8	6 March, 1917.
		.. 2E 3D 2 ..	26 3 3	6 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3D 3 ..	29 13 8	6 " 1917.
135	" " ..	.. 2E 3D 4 ..	44 11 9	6 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3D 5 ..	11 2 4	6 " 1917.
		.. 2E 3D 6 ..	4 9 1	6 " 1917.
136	" " ..	Orangitirohia 13A ..	4 12 0	28 May, 1917.
		.. 13B ..	4 7 0	28 " 1917.
		.. 13C ..	3 19 0	28 " 1917.
137	" " ..	Paeroa 1B 1A ..	2 13 0	28 " 1917.
		.. 1B 1B ..	2 4 0	28 " 1917.
		.. 1B 1C ..	2 4 0	28 " 1918.
		.. 1B 1D ..	1 17 0	28 " 1917.
138	" " ..	.. 1B 1E ..	2 4 0	28 " 1917.
		.. 1E 5C 1 ..	7 13 0	28 " 1917.
		.. 1E 5C 2 ..	3 9 0	28 " 1917.
139	" " ..	.. 2G 6B ..	7 18 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2G 6C ..	1 5 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2F 1 ..	3 18 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 2F 2 ..	1 0 0	31 " 1917.
140	" " ..	.. 2F 3 ..	28 0 0	31 " 1917.
		Te Rato 1E 1 ..	5 10 0	29 September, 1917.
		.. 1E 2 ..	5 10 0	29 " 1917.
141	" " ..	Taumataoteo 9A ..	5 16 0	28 May, 1917.
		.. 9B ..	1 3 0	28 " 1917.
		.. 9C ..	1 0 0	28 " 1917.
		.. 9D ..	1 0 0	28 " 1917.
142	" " ..	.. 20A ..	4 12 0	31 " 1917.
		.. 20B ..	3 1 0	31 " 1917.
143	" " ..	.. 23B 1 ..	2 7 0	29 August, 1917.
		.. 23B 2 ..	6 5 0	29 " 1917.
144	" " ..	Tutaekuri 1C 11A ..	15 17 0	14 February, 1918.
		.. 1C 11B ..	19 18 0	14 " 1918.
145	" " ..	Tutuotekaha 2D 1 ..	23 12 0	29 September, 1917.
		.. 2D 2 ..	53 0 0	29 " 1917.
146	" " ..	Whakapau 5C 1 ..	7 11 0	4 March, 1918.
		.. 5C 2 ..	5 14 0	4 " 1918.
		.. 5J 3A ..	1 13 0	28 May, 1917.
147	" " ..	.. 5J 3B ..	10 13 0	28 " 1917.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
148	{ Hohepa Kuao	Hereheretau B 2.
	{ Wiripine Makaia	" B 11.
149	{ Koroniria Ratau, alias Niri Whaanga	Nuhaka 2c 2w 154.
	{ Henerieta Matewai, Pita Mete, and others	" 2c 2w 88.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
155	John McRoberts	Pita Matenga.
156	Hemi te Ua	Riperata Ngeta, or Topia, or Paraone.
157	Areta Kerei	Tataira Raiha.
158	Mere Arapata	Tautahanga Arapata.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADOPTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Names of Children.
159	Te Waha te Rei	Pani te Ao.
160	Manahi Takitaki and Kumeroa Nuku	Poi Manahi.

PETITION TO PARLIAMENT REFERRED TO COURT, UNDER PROVISIONS OF SECTION 25, ACT 1917, No. 25, FOR INQUIRY AND REPORT.

No.	Petition.
174	Petition No. 214 of 1916, of Te Ia te Waru. So much of the said petition as relates to the interests in the Taupara Block.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
175	Rangi te Ngaio	Nukutaurua	Under section 2 of the Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1914.
176	Teka Hema	Kahotea	For payment by Public Trustee to applicant, as trustee for Hori te Rangi, a minor, the sum of £28, being proceeds of sale of interest in said block.
177	Waaka Turei	Tukemokihi 3c 1	For payment by Public Trustee to applicant, as trustee for Kare Turei Rangi, moneys, being proceeds of sale of interests in said block.
178	Iharaira Hemopo	Ruarakaiputara 1	For payment by Public Trustee to applicant, as trustee for Watene Hamuera and Mohi Hamuera, minors, moneys, being proceeds of sale of interests in said block.
179	Hone Pomana	Nuhaka 2D 2P	For refund of amount of survey-moneys by the owners to those who have already paid them; in the alternative, for an order empowering a survey lien over the said block.
180	Te Hari Mikaratu	Raupo	For rectification of name of Te Hari Mikaratu to Te Hari Mikaera.
181	Eraihia te Rei	Hereheretau 2	For rectification of names of Marara Paihanene and Marara Houmea.
182	Te Whareherehere	Mangapoike 2A 3	For amendment of order appointing successors to Whareherehere.
183	Matenga Waitaniwha and others	Nuhaka 2c 2w	For amendment of order of partition made on the 27th June, 1913, as some owners have been awarded sections covered with water, and other reasons.
184	Kawana Karatau and others	Paeroa 2D 14	To inquire and decide who are the persons beneficially entitled to the said land.
185	Eru Mete	Wairau	(1.) For determination of relative interests. (2.) To decide who are entitled, and in what shares, to a sum of £125 paid to Haenga Paretipua as rent for the said land.
186	Heremaia Pumaranga	Whakapau 5G	To lay off a private way over the said block in order to give better access to the Whakapau 5H Block.
187	Ropitini Tio	Waipapa 2	To vest block in applicant in satisfaction of balance of his interest in main block.
188	The Minister of Mines	Tatara-a-kina	Under section 28 of the Mining Act, 1908, for an order that the whole of the above block (36,300 acres) be open for prospecting.
189	Rongō Hema	Tutaekuri 1c 18	To amend partition orders made on 19th June, 1915.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kaikohe (Bay of Islands).

Office of the Tokerau Native Land Court, Auckland, 8th April, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Kaikohe (Bay of Islands) on the 15th day of May, 1918, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

Notice is also given that the Court will adjourn to Ohaeawai on the 27th May, 1918.

[Tokerau, 1918-7.]

L. A. TEUTENBERG, Registrar.

SCHEDULE

APPLICATIONS FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Boundaries.
1	Remana Kiwikiwi	Kaungarapa	See plan 10796.
2	Hemi Wi Hongi	Te Kohatu o te Hau	" 8009.
3	Paraone Komene	Paremata	" 8009.
4	Wiremu Poakatabi	Punakitere 5	" 4004.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
5	Hone Pairama	Kohatutaka 6A 4
6	Honihana Kuri	" 6A 12.
7	Reupena Tuoro	" 6J.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
8	Taoko Tau	Matairua B 5A.
9	Eru Kohe Hami Pia	Maungakawakawa 13L.
10	Peneha Maru	Motatau 1D 3.
11	Sam Maioha, jun.	" 3C 2.
12	Raina Puriri	" 3F.
13	Sam Maioha, jun.	Oromahoe Q.
14	Hoori P Tane	" R.
15	Rapana te Titaha (Reed and Miller)	Te Pae.
16	Remana Kiwikiwi	" A.
17	Kako Wharau	" B.
18	Ihimaera Apiata Wharau	" B.
19	Rawiri te Ruru	Pakonga 2A.
20	"	Porotaka 3A.
21	Maihi Herepo	Porotu.
22	Hori Tepua	" C.
23	Hauraki Waihi (H. F. Guy)	Punakitere 4G 1.
24	Haami Tahere	" 4J 2B.
25	Hone Hamiora Hau	Rangaunu 13B.
26	Iritana Piri Kapa	Rangihamama P 2.
27	Sam Maioha, jun.	Tapapanui A, Section 1.
28	"	" C.
29	Wiremu Pihu	Tataire 1E 3C.
30	Tetao Timoko	Tawata, Section 4E.
31	George Stockman (C. R. Stead)	Toukauri.
32	Iritana Piri Kapa	Tuhuna 1.
33	Aneta Irimana	" 16.
34	Heni Pekana	" 33.
35	Iritana Piri Kapa	" 37.
36	"	" 38.
37	Wiremu Tamati	Waihaha 2.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
38	Tame Wiremu	Motatau 5I.
39	Tame Kemara	Patukauae C, A, B.
40	H. M. Skeet	Pirikotaha 1, 4A and B, 13, and 16.
41	John Alexander Cook (Reed and Miller)	Rangaunu 6C.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS AND FOR DEFINED PORTIONS OF LAND IN LIQUIDATION OF SURVEY FEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Date from which interest is calculated.	Amount.
42	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Kaungarapa	9 October, 1917	£ s. d. 2 2 0
43	" "	Kohewhata 22B	23 November, 1917	1 1 0
44	" "	" 55A	16 December, 1917	4 11 1
	" "	" 55B	16 " 1917	4 11 1
45	" "	Matairua C 5A	15 February, 1918	1 1 0
	" "	" C 5B	15 " 1918	2 2 0
	" "	Maungaturoto H 2A	10 October, 1917	4 6 2
	" "	" H 2B	10 " 1917	3 2 3
46	" "	" H 2C	10 " 1917	3 5 9
	" "	" H 2D	10 " 1917	3 2 7
	" "	" H 2E	10 " 1917	6 11 11
	" "	" H 2F	10 " 1917	5 2 6
47	" "	Motatau 3B 3A	12 November, 1917	6 7 9
	" "	" 3B 3B	12 " 1917	9 7 9
	" "	Pakonga 2A	3 October, 1917	5 8 0
	" "	" 2B	3 " 1917	5 12 10
	" "	" 2C	3 " 1917	5 13 11
	" "	" 2D	3 " 1917	6 12 6
	" "	" 2E	3 " 1917	9 10 0
48	" "	" 2F	3 " 1917	4 12 9
	" "	" 2G	3 " 1917	5 4 9
	" "	" 2H	3 " 1917	8 12 0
	" "	" 2J	3 " 1917	9 18 8
	" "	" 2K	3 " 1917	3 5 5
	" "	" 2L	3 " 1917	5 5 1
49	" "	Punakitere 4O 1	24 February, 1913	3 19 7
	" "	" 4O 2	24 " 1913	5 13 8
50	" "	" 4P 1	11 " 1918	3 18 7
51	" "	Tuhuna 14B	12 November, 1917	3 13 6
52	" "	Waikare 7A	19 " 1917	8 4 6
53	" "	Whakataha 2A 1	5 " 1917	10 16 5
	" "	" 2A 2	5 " 1917	17 9 11
54	" "	Wharepoke 2L, Section 1	24 January, 1918	7 4 3
	" "	" 2L, " 2	24 " 1918	8 2 6

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
55	Pene Mita Mitai	Mataraua C 5A.
	Tuwhai Mita Mitai	Motatau 5F.
56	Kirimangu Mita Mitai	Mataraua C 5A.
	Tuwhai Mita Mitai	Orauruwharo.
57	Pera Hemi	Motatau 2, Section 64.
	Wi Toko Peita	„ 1c 7.
58	Rongo Paraone	Ngararatunua 2B 6A.
	Hami Tauī Pepene	Mohinui 2.
59	Tame Wiremu	Taraire 2Y.
	„	Motatau 5J 1.
60	Ngaere Paerau	Whakataha 2B 5.
	Takutai Hohepa Kaire	Otangaroa 1B.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTIONS 49 TO 52 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
61	Harata Maera Kuao	Mataraua C 4 and E, and Maungakawa-kawa 13 K and N	Road access.
62	Taniora Henare Ruhe	Pokangahere 2	„

APPLICATION FOR REHEARING.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
63	Rawiri te Ruru	Pirikotaha 9B 2B.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 118 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
64	Kuini Hemi	Motatau 5A 1B.
65	Paewhenua Hei	„ 5A 3B.
66	Pene Matiaha	„ 5A 3F.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 24 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
67	Runanga Pui (Reed and Miller)	Motatau 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
68	Ramari Mihaka Patutai (Parr and Blomfield)	Wiremu Komene Poakatahi.
69	Makereta Poakatohi	Wiremu Poakatahi.
70	Hare Matenga	Aterina Matenga.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICE.

Meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 3rd April, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board will be held at Rawene on Friday, the 26th day of April, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

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

L. A. TEUTENBERG, Registrar.

[Tokerau, 1918-3.]

SCHEDULE.
APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	2385	Transfer	17 June, 1916	Mangapupu B 5	Ngaronoa te W. Kingi Hori and others to L. F. King.
2	2789	"	5 " 1917	Mangatete (north-western portion of Allotment 42)	Peti Kumeroa to W. H. Richards.
3	2890	"	9 May, 1917	Rawhitiroa No. 2	Maki Riki and others to Gladys May Lisle.
4	2907	"	29 September, 1917	Pakanae No. 2, Sections 69 and 70	Te Ngaera te Ngaru to Mary Ann Bryers.
5	2919	"	10 May, 1917	Te Karaka G	Matiu Mataika and others to G. J. M. Irvine and another.
6	2924	"	26 April, 1915	Pukehuia 2D 1	Hone Mete Rewi and others to John Whitefield, jun.
7	2933	Lease	10 November, 1917	Whakanekeneke A 2B	Pare Heperi to Fred H. peri.
8	2934	"	5 September, 1917	Waitere 2F, Section 2 (part)	Wi Tawau Heperi and others to H. Blundell.
9	2935	Transfer	20 August, 1917	"	Hapeta Makiri to H. Blundell.
10	2937	Lease	20 " 1917	Utakura 2E 2 (part)	Wi Tana te Tuhi to William Queenin.
11	2938	Transfer	11 " 1917	Mangamuka West 3s 2c	Kato Hapeta to Valentin Augustin Abraham.

NEW APPLICATIONS.					
12	2980	Transfer	26 February, 1916	Te Awaroa 2A 2B 2A	Ngareta Taurere and others to Isaac Robert Reid.
13	2982	Lease	29 January, 1918	Mangamuka East F 4A	Taipari Heihei to Mijo Vugcich.
14	2983	"	29 " 1918	West 3J 4	"
15	2990	Transfer	16 " 1918	Waima North A 11 (part)	Tipene Makiri, <i>alias</i> Ngatitoro Makiri, to John Maxwell.
16	2991	Lease	19 May, 1917	Whakanekeneke 4B	Paki Mita Hanara to James Maurice Lewis.
17	2992	"	16 January, 1918	Wairere 2F 4A (part)	Ngatitoro Makiri, <i>alias</i> Tipene Makiri, to Harry Blundell.
18	2993	"	25 " 1918	Whakanekeneke No. 5 (part)	Henare Eruera to Murdock Frazer.
19	2994	Transfer	22 February, 1918	Whakakoro B 2B	Akinihi Karaihe and others to Alexander Geddes.
20	2411	"	13 June, 1916	Waipoua 2A 1D (part)	Pane Hohaia and others to Robert Cromwell Kerr.
21	2643	Sale	11 January, 1917	Whakarapa No. 12	Himi Matiu Rapira and others to Ramaka Morunga.
22	2962	"	14 December, 1917	Motukaraka West A 1B (part)	Erina Rawiri Rewi to Maxwell Beazley.
23	2998	Transfer	"	Waipoua 2A 1A (part)	Hune Iehu te Rore to Leslie Buller Marriner.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
24	2732	Waima North A No. 25B	.. That the said land be revested in the Native owners.
25	2734	Utakura 2D No. 11	..
26	2950	Mangapupu B No. 5 Block	.. That the said land be sold to Louis Frank King for the price or sum of £1 10s. per acre.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
27	2984	Motatau 3K	.. That the said land be sold to Te Ahuahu Mangu for the sum of £1 per acre.
28	2965	Utakura 1B 2C 2B	.. That 86 acres of the block be leased to John Webster and Paenoa Kingi, of Hokianga, for forty-two years as follows: Twenty-one years at 2s. per acre a year, and the other twenty-one years at 5 per cent. on the then unimproved Government valuation.
29	2966	" 2B 1D 11	.. That the block be sold to G. Bernard, farmer, of Okaihau, for the sum of £1 per acre or the Government valuation.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.
30	2939	Waima North A No. 4	Heni Kerenene Tokotowi and another.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Resolution.
31	1764	Opanake No. 2K 2Y	That the said land be transferred to Wiremu Rikihana by way of gift.
32	2864	Ngawhitu A No. 2	That the Ngawhitu A No. 2 Block be sold to R. H. Ludbrook at or for the price of £3 per acre.

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.

Griffin, J. N., of Haupai, Hotelkeeper: First and final dividend of 6s. 10d. in the pound.
 Hollay, A. E., of Onerahi, Storekeeper: Second and final dividend of 8½d. in the pound.
 Hunter and Smith, Hamilton, Cabinetmakers: Second and final dividend of 3d. in the pound, and supplementary dividend of 5d. in the pound.
 Innes, J. A., of Morrinsville, Baker: First and final dividend of 1s. 1½d. in the pound.
 Lee, Charlie, of Rotorua, Storekeeper: First and final dividend of 2s. 11d. in the pound.
 Mackie, J. H., of Hamilton, Accountant: First and final dividend of 3s. 7d. in the pound.
 Mitchell, S. M., of Hoanga, Storekeeper: First dividend of 4s. in the pound.
 Morris, T., of Waikumete, Builder: First and final dividend of 10½d. in the pound.
 Swanberg, F. O., of Whangarei, Baker: First and final dividend of 7s. 2d. in the pound.
 Sutton, T., of Whangarei, Builder: First and final dividend of 2s. in the pound.
 Wachner, J., of Auckland, Fancygoods Dealer: First and final dividend of 20s. in the pound.
 Weavers, R. B., of Te Kuiti, Butcher: Second and final dividend of 1s. 1½d. in the pound.
 Young and Kemp, of Tauranga, Storekeepers: Supplementary dividend of 1½d. in the pound.

W. S. FISHER,

Official Assignee.

Auckland, 4th April, 1918.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WHITAKER, of Kaitaratahi, Boardinghouse and Billiard-saloon Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 12th day of April, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. G. BEERE,

Deputy Official Assignee.

4th April, 1918.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of the estate of WIREMU WHATI MIHAERE, of Petane, Ab riginal Native, Storekeeper, bankrupt.

A FIRST and final dividend of 2s. 4d. in the pound on all proved and accepted claims is now payable at the office of the undersigned.

ROBERT BISHOP,

Deputy Official Assignee.

9th April, 1918.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of the estate of AHERE UMURANGI, of Wharerangi, Aboriginal Native, bankrupt.

A FIRST and final dividend of 20s. in the pound on all proved and accepted claims is now payable at the office of the undersigned.

ROBERT BISHOP,

Deputy Official Assignee.

9th April, 1918.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of WILLIAM HAM, of Wellington, Settler, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first dividend of 10s. 3½d. in the pound on all proved claims is now payable at my office, 190 Lambton Quay, Wellington.

S. TANSLEY,

Official Assignee.

9th April, 1918.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 11th May, 1918.

Application 4838 (deposited plan 3959). JOHN RENNIE. —11.36 perches, part Section 449, City of Wellington. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,

District Land Registrar

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 2c, folio 218, for 1 acre 0 roods 24 perches, being Lot 6A, deposited plan 13, part Section 136, Kaikoura Suburban, whereof ALFRED JOHN WHITEHEAD, of Kaikoura, Watchmaker, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated the 9th day of April, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Blenheim.

A. L. B. ROSS,

District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (3).

IT having been reported to me that the ADDISONS GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED) has ceased to carry on business, I hereby give notice that at the expiration of three months from date hereof the above company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Dated at Wellington this 5th day of April, 1918.

P. C. CORLISS,

Assistant Registrar of Companies.

MOSGIEL BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of four thousand pounds sterling (£4,000), authorized to be raised by the Mosgiel Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of paying

off the special loan of £4,000 heretofore raised by the Council, known as the "Drainage and Waterworks Loan No. 3," which is due and payable on the first day of March, 1918, the said Mosgiel Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five-eighths of a penny in the pound (£1) on the rateable value of all the rateable property on the valuation roll of the Borough of Mosgiel, on the basis of the unimproved value; 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 March and the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of ten years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly made and passed at the ordinary meeting of the Mosgiel Borough Council held on Monday, the fourth day of March, 1918.

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D. KENNEDY, Town Clerk.

MOUNT ROSKILL ROAD BOARD.

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 Mount Roskill Road Board 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 £2,000 (two thousand pounds), authorized to be raised by the Mount Roskill Road Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purposes of installing permanent water-pumping appliances, for removal and re-erection of storage tank, and all other necessary requirements, the said Mount Roskill Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixteenth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Mount Roskill Road District Extended Water Area, comprising parts of Sections 10 and 13 of the Suburbs of Auckland, bounded—

Commencing at the intersection of Auckland Road and Campbell Road known as Royal Oak; thence in a north-westerly direction by Auckland Road to its intersection with Pah Road; thence westward by a straight line following the southern boundary-line of certain allotments having a frontage to Empire Road to The Drive; thence towards the south by The Drive to its intersection with Selwyn Place; thence towards the west by Selwyn Place to its intersection with School Road; thence towards the north to the intersection of School Road and Landscape Road and Boundary Road to the north-west corner of Allotment 92 of said Section 10; thence towards the south by an unnamed road to its intersection with Mount Albert Road; thence towards the west to the north-eastern corner of part Allotment 47; thence by the eastern boundary of said part Allotment 47; thence eastward by the southern boundary of Allotment 86 to the north-western corner of the north-eastern part Allotment 48; thence following the western boundary-line of said part Allotment 48 to the north-west corner of the southern part of Allotment 9; thence by the northern boundary-line of said part Allotment 9; thence by the eastern boundary-line of said part Allotment 9 to Richardson Road; thence to the north-eastern corner of the northern portion of Allotment 16; thence by the eastern and southern boundary-line of said northern portion of Allotment 16 and of the northern portion of Allotment 17 to Arkell Road; thence by the said Arkell Road to its intersection of Ridge Road and Artillery Road; thence by Artillery Road to the Defence Reserve, being part Allotment 14; thence by the northern boundary of the said Defence Reserve to the sea; thence by the sea to the south-eastern corner of Waikowhai Park; thence by the eastern boundary of the said park to the south-western corner of Lot 1 of Block 15; thence by the southern boundary of said Lot 1 to Clifton Road; thence by the southern and south-eastern boundaries of Lots 2, 3, and 4 of said Block 15; thence by the north-eastern boundaries of Lots 7, 8, 9, and 10 of said Block 15; thence by Filgate Street to its intersection with Queen Street; thence to the south-eastern corner of Lot 9A of Block XV; thence by a straight line in a north-westerly direction to the south-eastern corner of Lot 25 of Block XIII; thence in an easterly direction to Frederick Street; thence to the north-eastern corner of Lot 12A of Block XI; thence along the north-eastern boundary of said Lot 12A to the sea; thence by the sea to Pleasant Street; thence by Pleasant Street to its intersection with an unnamed street and to the boundary of the Onehunga Borough; thence by the said boundary to Mount Albert Road; thence by the said Mount Albert Road to the commencing-point.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly

on the 31st day of July in each year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Mount Roskill Road Board held on Tuesday, 26th March, 1918.

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ROBT. RAILLEY, Clerk.

HAWERA COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOWELL'S ROAD LOAN, £500.—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 Hawera County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

"That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £500, authorized to be raised by the Hawera County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of constructing Nowell's Road for a distance of, say, thirty chains from the Manawapou Road, the said Hawera County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 41/64ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the special rating area, comprising Lots 2, 3, 9, 10, and 11 on deposit plan No. 2625, all being parts of Sections 220, 221, 227/30, &c., Blocks 9 and 10, Hawera Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off."

Certificate.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Hawera County Council held on the 9th day of March, 1918.

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GEO. STRINGER, County Clerk.

HAWERA COUNTY COUNCIL.

ALBERT AND ARTHUR STREETS LOAN.—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 Hawera County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

"That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £800, authorized to be raised by the Hawera County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of constructing Albert Street from Fantham Street to Arthur Street, and Arthur Street from Turuturu Road to its terminus, the said Hawera County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 45/32nds of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the special rating area, comprising Subs. 19 to 27 inclusive of part Secs. 145/6, 148/9 (D.P. 2320); Sub. 28, pt. Sec. 145 (D.P. 2320); Sub. 31, pt. Secs. 145 and 148 (D.P. 2320); pt. Sub. 32, pt. Sec. 148 (D.P. 2320); pt. Subs. 17/8, pt. Secs. 148 and 149 (D.P. 2320); pt. Subs. 6, 7, and 9, pt. Secs. 145, 146 (D.P. 2360 and 2361); Sub. 8, pt. Secs. 145 and 146 (D.P. 2361); Subs. 10, 15, 16, pt. Secs. 141, 144, 146, and 147 (D.P. 2226 and 2361); Subs. 1 to 4 of Subs. 17 and 19, pt. Secs. 146/7 (D.P. 3383); Subs. 5 to 10 and pt. 11 of Sub. 19, pt. Secs. 145, 146, and 147 (D.P. 3383); all being parts of Block V, Hawera Survey District. And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off."

Certificate.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed at a special meeting of the Hawera County Council held on the 9th day of March, 1918.

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GEO. STRINGER, County Clerk.

COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION MADE ON FIFTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1918.

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 £4,500, authorized to be raised by the

Cook County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for metalling about five miles of Gisborne-Wairoa Road from Waerengaokuri to Harris's corner, the said Cook County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eleventh of a penny in the £1 upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Patutahi-Hangaroa Special Rating District, comprising Sections 92, 97, 99, 102, 103, 104, 107, 109, 110, 111, 112, 114, 115, 116, 117, part of Section 118 (500 acres), and Section 128 of Blocks II, V, VI, VII, Patutahi Survey District, and the whole of Hangaroa Riding except Okahuatiu No. 2 (Murphy's), Subdivision No. 1 of Okahuatiu No. 2 (Williamson's), and Subdivision No. 1 of Okahuatiu No. 2A (Monckton's). 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 not to exceed 5½ per cent.

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

G. M. REYNOLDS, Chairman.
JOHN WARREN, Clerk.

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I, AUBREY VINCENT SHORT, Bachelor of Medicine, and Bachelor of Surgery, University of New Zealand, 1914, now residing in Christchurch, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 5th May, 1918, next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Christchurch.

A. V. SHORT, M.B., Ch.B.

Dated at Christchurch 4th April, 1918.

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

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

1. That the liability of the members is limited.
2. That the capital of the company is £100,000, divided into 20,000 shares of £5 each.
3. That the number of shares issued is 20,000.
4. That calls to the amount of three pounds (£3) per share on 2,500 shares, and three shillings (3s.) per share on 17,500 shares, have been made, under which the sum of £10,125 has been received.
5. That the amount of all moneys received on account of estates on the 1st day of January last is £163,859 7s. 1d.
6. That the amount of all moneys paid on account of estates on that day is £152,065 16s. 9d.
7. That the amount of the balances due to estates under administration on that day is £1,793 10s. 4d.
8. That the liabilities of the company as on the 1st day of January last were nil.
9. That the contingent liabilities of the company on deposits on the 1st day of January last were nil.
10. That the assets of the company on that day were £13,428 2s. 4d.
11. That the first annual license was issued on the 10th day of March, 1911.

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

P. H. UPTON.

Declared at Auckland this 3rd day of April, 1918, before—
Chas. B. Rogers, J.P.

In accordance with the provisions of the Guardian, Trust, and Executors Company Amendment Act of 1911, No. 17, I have examined this statement with the books of the company, and I hereby certify it to be correct.
Auckland, 20th March, 1918.

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

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HELENSVILLE TOWN BOARD.

IN terms of section 35 of the Town Boards Act, 1908, and its amendments thereto, the Helensville Town Board hereby levy a special rate of one-fifth of a penny (¼d.) in the one pound on all rateable property on the valuation roll for the Helensville Town District at 12th December, 1917,

for the purpose of providing security for the payment of interest and sinking fund on a loan of £1,400 it is proposed to raise to pay the Board's share of cost of reconstructing bridge over the Kaipara River.

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W. F. F. RAISHER, Town Clerk.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the PORT CHALMERS GAS COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company duly convened and held at the Sailors' Rest, George Street, Port Chalmers, on the 27th day of March, 1918, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. H. H. SYKES be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

Dated at Dunedin this 28th day of March, 1918.

H. H. SYKES, Liquidator.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the PORT CHALMERS GAS COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 29th day of April, 1918, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to H. H. SYKES, of 56 Stuart Street, Dunedin, the Liquidator of the said company; and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are 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 are proved.

Dated at Dunedin this 28th day of March, 1918.

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H. H. SYKES, Liquidator.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Beaumont Jockey Club at a meeting held on the 9th day of February, 1918, at Beaumont, with a recommendation by the Chairman of the Club, Mr. J. Sheehy, 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. J. Sheehy, the Chairman of the Club and the Meeting, moved, and Mr. D. McLelland 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:—

BEAUMONT 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, 1918, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, and with the approval of the Governor-General, the Beaumont Jockey Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), do hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the club's property situate in the District of Otago, and known as the Beaumont 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 or New Zealand Trotting 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 Beaumont Jockey Club were made and passed by the Beaumont Jockey Club on the 9th day of February, 1918, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

JOHN JAMES SHEEHY, Chairman.
THOMAS PHILLIPPS, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Beaumont Jockey Club are hereby approved this 28th day of March, 1918.

251 LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

AUCKLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL BOARD.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899, it is hereby notified that Dr. E. ROBERTSON, M.D., has been reappointed a Senator's member of the Auckland Grammar School Board.

Auckland, 6th April, 1918.

W. WALLACE KIDD,
Returning Officer.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899, it is hereby notified that Mr. WILLIAM JAMES SPEIGHT has been elected a member of the Auckland Grammar School Board by the members of the General Assembly usually resident in the Provincial District of Auckland.

Auckland, 6th April, 1918.

W. WALLACE KIDD,
Returning Officer.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Worksoop Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 20th March, 1907.

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Perry Street, Masterton; Norman H. James.

Nominal capital: £12,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £12,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £10,500.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £1,500.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 12,000.

Number of shares allotted: 12,000.

Amount paid up per share: £1.

Amount called up per share: £1.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.

Present number of shareholders: 89.

Number of men employed by company: 13.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 1,735 oz. 9 dwt.; £6,814 17s. 6d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 25,766 oz. 6 dwt.; £100,228 4s. 1d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £6,461 15s. 9d.

Total expenditure since registration: £59,498 17s. 10d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £43,350.

Total amount of dividends paid: £43,350.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: Nil.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.

Amount of debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of debts owing by company: £1,658 12s. 3d. (including bank overdraft).

Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, Norman Howard James, of Masterton, the Secretary of the Worksoop Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1917; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

NORMAN H. JAMES.

Declared at Auckland this 8th day of April, 1918, before me—Arthur Rigby Bunny, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A FOREIGN MINING COMPANY.

Name of company: Komata Reefs Gold-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration of office of company in New Zealand: 16th October, 1900.

Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.

Where business is conducted, and names of Attorneys: 60 Shortland Street, Auckland; Herbert William Hopkins and Thomas Frederick Wallace.

Where mine is situate: Mine and machinery sold.

Nominal capital: £40,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £40,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash in New Zealand: Not known.

Price paid to vendors of mine—

(a.) In fully paid-up shares: 7.

(b.) In partly paid-up shares, credited as 4s. 3d. paid up: 39,993 shares.

(c.) In cash: £6,109 2s. 10d.

(Capital reduced, 15th December, 1914.)

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 800,000.

Number of shares on New Zealand Register: 219,593.

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

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

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: 375.

Number of men employed by company in New Zealand: None.

Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.

Total quantity and value produced since registration of company in New Zealand: 77,797 oz. gold, 363,782 oz. silver; £372,312 14s. 5d.

Amount expended in New Zealand since last statement: £30 11s. 4d.

Total expenditure since registration of company in New Zealand: £329,555 3s. 9d.

Total amount of dividends paid in New Zealand: £7,466 13s. 2d.

Amount of cash in bank in New Zealand: £87 5s. 9d.

Amount of cash in hand in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company in New Zealand: Nil.

Amount of such debts considered good: Nil.

Amount of liabilities of company in New Zealand: Nil.

I, Thomas Frederick Wallace, of Auckland, one of the Attorneys of the Komata Reefs Gold-mining 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 30th June, 1917 (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.

T. F. WALLACE.

Declared at Auckland this 8th day of April, 1918, before me—F. E. McKenzie, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Manila Gravel and Gold-dredging Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: September, 1913.

Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: 15 Stock Exchange Buildings, Dunedin; R. A. Mathewson.

Nominal capital: £50,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £50,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £5,893 8s.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): £13,954; no cash received.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £13,954.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 50,000.

Number of shares allotted: 32,241.

Amount paid per share: 4s.

Amount called up per share: 4s.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Seven; £204 18s.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 26.
 Present number of shareholders: 51.
 Number of men employed by company: Nil.
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: Nil.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £502 10s.
 Total expenditure since registration: £27,768 14s. 10d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank and on deposit: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company: £2,717 13s. 8d.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Debentures, £5,000.

I, R. A. Mathewson, the Manager of the Manila Gravel and Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1917; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

R. A. MATHEWSON.

Declared at Dunedin this 11th day of January, 1918, before me—Hugh Mitchell, J.P. 261

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Waikaka Deep Lead Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 16th June, 1913.
 Whether in active operation or not: Not in active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Legal Manager: Dunedin; R. A. Mathewson.
 Nominal capital: £6,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £6,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £6,000.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 6,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 6,000.
 Amount paid per share: £1.
 Amount called up per share: £1.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 13.
 Present number of shareholders: 13.
 Number of men employed by company: 1 (caretaker).
 Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: Nil.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 3,130 oz.; £12,520 0s. 5d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations during preceding year: £531 12s. 6d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £20,851 12s. 11d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: £300.
 Total amount of dividends paid: £300.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash at bank: Nil.
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company: £2,832 10s.
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.

I, R. A. Mathewson, the Manager of the Waikaka Deep Lead Gold-dredging Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 31st December, 1917; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

R. A. MATHEWSON.

Declared at Dunedin this 11th day of January, 1918, before me—Hugh Mitchell, J.P. 262

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of the WANGANUI CO-OPERATIVE COLD STORAGE AND BACON COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company, subject to the supervision of the Supreme Court, was, on the 15th day of March, 1918, presented to His Honour the Chief Justice by Albert Davey, of Jerusalem, on the Wanganui River, Farmer, a creditor of the said company, and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court on the 1st day of May, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at Wellington; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the supervision of the said Court should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

McCAUL, COLLINS, AND CHRISTENSEN,
 Solicitors for the Petitioner.

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NEW BRIGHTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION BY WAY OF SPECIAL ORDER MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £150, authorized to be raised by the New Brighton Borough Council for road-making, the New Brighton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of two and a half (2½) pence in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable properties included in the Jubilee Avenue Loan Area, such area being in Block 8 of the Christchurch Survey District, described as follows:—

Commencing at a point being the north-western corner of Lot 7 as shown on deposit plan 1602; thence westerly along the southern boundary of Pacific Street to the north-western boundary of Lot 54 as shown on the sale plan of the Raeburn Subdivision; thence southerly along the eastern boundary of the said lot to Lot 19, deposit plan 3254; thence easterly to the eastern boundary of the said lot; thence southerly to the southern boundary of Lot 21, as shown on the same plan; thence westerly to Marriotts Road; thence northerly to the commencing-point.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years (36½), or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1918.

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J. BOSOMWORTH, Town Clerk.

NEW BRIGHTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION BY WAY OF SPECIAL ORDER MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £800, authorized to be raised by the New Brighton Borough Council for road-making and kerbing of roads, the New Brighton Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of sevenpence farthing (7¼d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property included in the Esplanade and Fleming Street Loan Area, such area being in Block 8 of the Christchurch Survey District, described as follows:—

Commencing at a point on the northern boundary of Bowhill Road, being the northern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 3541; thence northerly to the southern boundary of Lot 4; thence westerly and northerly along the southern and western boundaries of Lots 4, 3, 2, and 1 of the same plan, and in a direct line across Osborne Terrace to the southern boundary of Lot 7; thence easterly and northerly across Swann Street, and along the western boundaries of Lots 25, 24, and part 23, D.P. 566, to the south-eastern boundary of Lot 7, D.P. 3255; thence westerly to the Government Road; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said road to a point of 2½ chains north of Fleming Street; thence easterly to the western boundary of Lot 5, D.P. 566; thence northerly to the southern boundary of

Lot 6, D.P. 3255; thence easterly along the boundaries of Lots 6, 5, and 4 to the western boundary of Lot 1; thence northerly along the western boundaries of Lots 1, 2, and 3 to Berry Street; thence easterly along Berry Street to the Esplanade; thence southerly along the Esplanade to Bowhill Road; thence westerly along Bowhill Road to the commencing-point.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years (36½), or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated this 26th day of March, 1918.

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J. BOSOMWORTH, Town Clerk.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.

UNDER THE MINING ACT, 1908.

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District at Queenstown.

PURSUANT to the Mining Act, 1908, the undersigned, John Hole Davis, of Queenstown, Dairy farmer, hereby applies for a license for a water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 9.30 a.m., 3rd April, 1918.

Date and number of miner's right: 3rd April, 1918; No. 113797.

Address for service: Queenstown.

Dated at Queenstown this 5th day of April, 1918.

Schedule.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: In Bushy or Brewery Creek, Queenstown, running through Section 66, Block XX, Shotover Survey District, being applicant's freehold, and terminating in said creek fifteen chains from intake.

Length and intended course of race: Twenty chains; south to north.

Points of intake: One, at point in creek nine chains from western boundary of Section 66.

Estimated time and cost of construction: One day; £3.

Mean depth and breadth: 1ft. by 2ft.

Number of heads to be diverted: One head.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Domestic purposes and irrigation.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

JOHN DAVIS, Applicant.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 11.50 a.m., 5th April, 1918.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Saturday, 11th May, 1918, at 10 a.m., at Warden's Court, Queenstown.

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

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J. M. ADAM, Mining Registrar.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I ARTHUR JOHN COTTRELL, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, New Zealand, 1918, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 2nd May, 1918, next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

A. J. COTTRELL, M.B., Ch.B., N.Z.

Dated at Dunedin 3rd April, 1918.

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BAY OF PLENTY FREEZING COMPANY (LIMITED).

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at Opotiki on the 26th day of February, 1918, a special resolution "That this company be wound up voluntarily" was unanimously and duly passed; and that at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said company duly convened and held at Opotiki on the 26th day of March, 1918, the said special resolution was unanimously and duly confirmed.

Dated at Opotiki this 27th day of March, 1918.

C. C. COURTENAY,

Secretary, Bay of Plenty Freezing Company (Limited).

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OHINEMURI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of the principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorized to be raised by the Ohinemuri County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of forming and metalling the following roads in the Elstow Special Rating Area—viz., the road from Mangaiti Bridge to Brinkley's Road, Brinkley's Road from Mangaiti Creamery to Bowler's Road, Stanley's Road, Bowler's Road, Mellin's Road to Waitoa Bridge, Ngutumunga Road to Otway's Road, Strange's Road, Otway's Road, Eastport Road, Mellin's Road from the Waitoa Stream to the county boundary, and Wiseman Road from Eastport Road to the Ohine Stream—the said Ohinemuri County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five-eighths of a penny in the pound upon the capital value of all the rateable property in the Elstow Special Rating Area, comprising the following sections: Parts 13/14, part 14, Sec. 15, Sec. 16, Sec. 17, Sec. 18, Secs. 19/20, Secs. 21/22, part 23, of the Waitoa Estate Subdivision; Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 6A, 6B, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, of the Otway Settlement; Secs. 5 and 6, Thames Borough Endowment; Secs. 8, 9, 10, Thames Borough Endowment; Secs. 32, 33, 34, 35, of the Otway Settlement; part 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 3 and 4 of 8, of Block XII, 1 and 2 north part 9, Block XII, Secs. 13, 14A, 14B, 15, Block XII, all of Waitoa Survey District; Secs. 1, 1A, 2, 3, part 4, west part 12, Block IX, Aroha; Secs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Hoururangi, Block XII, Waitoa; part of Koromatua No. 1, part Ngutumunga, Omotai No. 1 east 1, west 1, Ohikopi, part 5, Block VIII, Waitoa; Bridge Reserve, Waitoa Survey District; and bounded as follows:—

Commencing at the junction of the Ohine Stream with the Piako and Ohinemuri County boundary; thence along the right bank of the Ohine Stream in north-westerly direction to its junction with the Waitoa River; thence across that river and along its right bank to a point on the said river due south of the western corner of Section 1 of the Otway Settlement; thence by a line due north to the said corner; thence in a north-easterly direction along the north-west boundary of the Otway Estate to the north-east corner of Section 7 of the Otway Estate; thence in a south-westerly direction along part of the eastern boundary of the said Section 7 to a point at the junction of the said line with the southern boundary of Te Tautiti 2A 2 Block; thence in a south-easterly direction along the southern boundary of the said Te Tautiti 2A 2 Block to its south-east corner; thence in a north and a north-easterly direction along part of the east boundary of the said Te Tautiti 2A 2 Block and the south-east boundary of the said Section 7 to its easternmost corner; thence in a south-easterly direction along the eastern boundary of Sections 6 and 5 to the north boundary of the Ahikopi Road in a north-easterly direction to its junction with the west boundary of Section 3, Block VIII, Waitoa Survey District; thence in a southerly and north-easterly direction along the western and part of the south-eastern boundaries of the said Section 3 to the most westerly corner of the said Section 4 of the same block; thence by the south-western and south-eastern boundaries of the said Section 4 in a south-eastern and a north-eastern direction to the left bank of the Waihou River; thence along the left bank of the Waihou River in a generally south-easterly direction to the boundary of the Piako and Ohinemuri Counties; thence in a westerly direction along the said county boundary to its junction with the eastern boundary of the southern portion of Section 8, Block XII, Waitoa Survey District; thence in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of the said section to the south-east corner of the northern portion of the said Section 8; thence in a westerly direction along the southern boundary of the said northern portion of Section 8 to its south-western corner at its junction with the eastern boundary of Section part 7 of the said Block XII; thence in a northerly direction to the north-east corner of the said Section 7; thence in a westerly direction along the northern boundary of the said Section part 7 to its junction with the Ngutumunga Road; thence in a southerly direction along the east side of the Ngutumunga Road to its intersection with the boundary of the Piako and Ohinemuri counties; thence to the point of commencement.

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

and that the cost of raising the loan, also the first year's instalment of interest, shall be paid out of the loan.

I hereby certify that the above is a true copy of and extract from the minutes of the proceedings of the Ohinemuri County Council as passed at a meeting of the said Council at Paeroa on the 7th day of March, 1918.

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R. W. EVANS, County Clerk.

CANTERBURY COLLEGE.

ELECTION OF MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

IN pursuance of regulations under the Canterbury College and Canterbury Agricultural College Act, 1896, I, George Harry Mason, Returning Officer, do hereby notify that the undermentioned person has been duly elected a member of the Board of Governors of Canterbury College by the members of the Professorial Board:—

SAMUEL GEORGE RAYMOND.

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GEORGE H. MASON, Returning Officer.

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