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Regulations under Prisons Act, 1908, and Statute Law Amendment Act, 1917.

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

WHEREAS it is enacted by section eight of the Prisons Act, 1908, that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation, make regulations prescribing the matters set out in the said section eight:

And whereas it is further enacted by section sixteen of the Statute Law Amendment Act, 1917, that, in addition to the powers conferred upon him by the said section eight, the Governor-General may, by Proclamation, make regulations prescribing the matters set out in the said section sixteen:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the said sections, and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke regulations Nos. 290 and 295 of the regulations made under the Prisons Act, 1908, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-third day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and do make the following regulations in lieu of and in addition to such regulations; and do hereby declare that such regulations shall come into force on the seventeenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

REGULATIONS.

PRISONERS confined in the prisons and prison institutions of the Dominion, who have been sentenced to imprisonment with hard labour, may be required to work at any one of the trades or occupations named in the First Schedule hereto, or at such other labour as the Gaoler or officer in charge of any prison or institution may direct.

Convicted prisoners received into prison, who have not been sentenced to hard labour, shall be employed at one of the trades or occupations in the Second Schedule hereto, or at such other labour not included in the First Schedule as may be directed by the Gaoler or officer in charge of the prison or institution in which they are confined.

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290. Misdemeanants of the First Division, who are imprisoned for non-compliance with the order of any Court to pay a sum of money, or imprisoned in respect of a distress to satisfy a sum of money ordered to be paid by a Court of justice, shall be required to keep their cells and utensils clean and in good order, and shall receive the scale of rations laid down for prisoners not working at hard labour. They shall be kept separate from the criminal prisoners, and shall be allowed visits daily at a convenient hour, and to correspond daily with their friends.

290A. Misdemeanants of the First Division, imprisoned in default of security of maintenance under the Destitute Persons Acts, shall be required to work at one of the occupations prescribed in the Second Schedule hereto, and shall receive the scale of rations laid down for prisoners not working at hard labour, unless the Inspector of Prisons shall direct that they are to be given the scale provided for hard-labour prisoners. They shall be kept as far as possible separate from criminal prisoners, and shall be allowed visits weekly at a convenient hour. They shall be allowed to correspond twice in each week with their relatives and friends.

295. Every person convicted of an offence and not sentenced to hard labour shall be treated as a misdemeanant of the Second Division, unless the Court or Judge before whom such person has been tried otherwise orders. Second-class misdemeanants shall be required to work at one of the occupations prescribed in the Second Schedule hereto, and shall receive the scale of rations laid down for prisoners not working at hard labour, unless the Inspector of Prisons shall direct that they are to be given the scale provided for hard-labour prisoners. They shall be kept as far as possible separate from criminal prisoners, and shall be allowed visits fortnightly at a convenient hour. They shall be allowed to correspond once in each fortnight with their relatives and friends.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Hard Labour.

Agricultural work, blacksmithing, brickmaking, carpentry; concrete blocks, tiles, and making of other concrete products; concrete-mixing, draining and ditching, excavating, general building-work, hammer and drill work, plastering, ploughing,

roadmaking, stone - breaking, stone - dressing, tinsmithing, wall-building.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Light Labour.

Basketmaking, bootmaking, brushmaking, cabinetmaking, cleaning and washing, coir-mat making, cooking, gardening, oakum-picking, painting, physical drill, sweeping, tailoring, and any other light labour not included in the hard-labour schedule.

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 twelfth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands set apart for Disposal by Way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Southland Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.—LILLBURN SURVEY DISTRICT.—WALLACE COUNTY.

	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 21, Block I	Area, 263	0	0
" 22 "	" 240	0	0

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 sixth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land between Drury and Runciman 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 between Drury and Runciman, 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: 1 acre 2 roods 25 perches.

Portion of Allotment 36, Opaheke Parish, Block VIII, Drury Survey District, Franklin County. (S.O. 20031, blue.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 25584, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

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 tenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block XI, Waipakura Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the piece of road hereby stopped:—

A.	R.	P.
3	0	9·7
0	0	0·4

Adjoining or passing through Pukekohhai No. 2.

Situated in Block XI, Waipakura Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 39645, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, 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 tenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Ahuriri and Benmore Districts, Waitaki County.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road hereby stopped: 15 acres 0 roods 2 perches. Adjoining or passing through Runs 559. 560, and 542, situated in Ahuriri and Benmore Districts.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44278, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, 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 tenth day of July, 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 Block VI, Karioi Survey District, Raglan 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 First Schedule hereto, and of the Raglan County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Karioi Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby, with the like consents as aforesaid, proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 3 roods 6.9 perches. Portion of Allotment 36. Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 3 roods 24.8 perches. Adjoining or passing through Allotment 36. Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Whaingaroa Parish, Block VI, Karioi Survey District. (S.O. 19056.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44366,

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 tenth day of July, 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 Widening Northcote Road, in Block VII, Christchurch Survey District, Waimairi 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 widening Northcote Road, in Block VII, Christchurch Survey District, Waimairi County:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	0	12.6	Part Rural Section 292; coloured yellow.
0	0	36.8	" 292; " blue.

Situated in Block VII, Christchurch Survey District, Canterbury R.D.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44385, 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 tenth day of July, 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 Blocks XV and XVI, Porangahau Survey District.

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken, under the Public Works Act, 1908, for a certain public work—to wit, for the purposes of a road in Blocks XV and XVI Porangahau Survey District:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 23 acres 3 roods 17 perches.

Portion of Porangahau 1st No. 4 Block, Blocks XV and XVI, Porangahau Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43930, 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 tenth day of July, 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 Blocks X and XIV, 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 Blocks X and XIV, Titirangi Survey District, Waitemata County:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE AREAS of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of	Colour
1	0	4.3	Sec. 1,* Blocks X and XIV;	coloured yellow.
0	0	39.7	Section 1,* Block X;	coloured yellow.
0	0	32.1	" 1*	" yellow.
4	1	32	" 1	" blue.
0	0	21.8	" 1	" blue.
0	1	36	" 1	" blue.
0	0	27	" 1	" blue.
0	1	26.3	" 1	" blue.
0	0	16.9	" 1	" red.
1	0	3	" 1	" red.
0	1	14.1	" 1	" red.
1	0	30	" 1	" red.
1	0	32	" 1	" red.
0	2	27.4	" 1	" red.
0	0	20	" 1	" red.
0	2	34	" 1	" red.
0	0	25	" 1	" red.
1	3	18	" 1	" red.

* D.P. 11203.

Situated in Karangahape Parish, Titirangi Survey District. (S.O. 19879.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44382, 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 tenth day of July, 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 Thermal Purposes in Block VII, Rangitai Upper 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, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, for thermal purposes:

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, the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, and the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, 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 thermal purposes as aforesaid; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-seventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 10 acres 3 roods 38 perches.

Portion of Section 12, Rangitai Upper Survey District. (S.O. 16648.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 32174, 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 tenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,

Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 37A 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.

TAUMATAMAHOE 2B 2B No. 9 Block: Approximate area, 1,214 acres 3 roods 19 perches; Mahoe and Taurakawa 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 ninth day of July, 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.

OTAWHAO A No. 1B 2 Block: Approximate area, 87 acres 1 rood 36 perches; Takapau 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 ninth day of July, 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.

TUTAEKURI 10 No. 7 Block: Approximate area, 473 acres; Taramarama 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 ninth day of July, 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.

WAIORUA-KAPITI 5 Section 1B 2B Block: Approximate area, 404 acres 0 roods 37 perches; Kapiti 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 ninth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Waitaki North Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twenty-seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, a Domain Board was appointed to control the Waitaki North Domain :

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the twenty-sixth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen :

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

DAVID WILLIAMS,
ROBERT CLARK,
ISAAC CUTHERBERTSON,
GEORGE CLARK, and
WILLIAM SWINDELL WILLIAMS

to be the Waitaki North 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 Wednesday, the twenty-fourth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Glenavy School as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WAITAKI NORTH DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 57 acres, more or less, being Reserve 2915, situated in Block XIV, Waitaki Survey District, and bounded as follows: Towards the north and west by Reserve 2914, 771.9 links and 647.7 links respectively; again towards the north by Lot 102 of Reserve 642, 620.6 links; towards the south-east by a road forming the south-western boundary of Lots 104, 105, and 106 of the said Reserve 642, and by the Main South Railway Reserve, 173.7 links; towards the south-west by a public road, 581.1 links, 1072.7 links, 585.5 links, and 1297.2 links; and again towards the west by a public road, 1441 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/174, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Apportionment of Representation and Election of Representatives on the Palmerston North Hospital and Charitable Aid Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS from time to time, by Order in Council made under the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, regulations have been made with respect to the constitution of Hospital and Charitable Aid Boards and the election of representatives of contributory local authorities thereon, and apportionments have been made in regard to the representation of such contributory local authorities :

And whereas by section one hundred and twenty-seven of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1917, the Horowhenua County, and all boroughs and town districts within the boundaries thereof, were included in the Palmerston North Hospital Board and excluded from the Wellington Hospital District, and it is necessary therefore to revise the apportionment of representation of contributory local authorities on such Board :

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 powers conferred upon him by the said Act, doth hereby determine that the representations of each of the contributory local authorities within the Palmerston North Hospital District shall be as set forth in the Schedule hereto, and the principal authority of the combined districts shall be that indicated by (p) in the said Schedule; and the first election of the representatives of the Horowhenua County and of the combined district of Levin and Shannon Boroughs and Otaki Town Board shall be held on Wednesday, the seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen; and doth hereby direct that, simultaneously with the elections of representatives for contributory local authorities to be held on Wednesday, the seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, the present representatives of Kiwitea County, of the combined district of Manawatu County and Foxton Borough, and of Palmerston North Borough shall agree among themselves which of the representatives of the districts which they represent shall retire from the Board, and failing agreement the matter shall be determined by the Board by lot in such manner as the Board may decide, and none of these representatives shall be entitled to speak or to vote at a Board meeting, or act in any capacity as a member of the Board, until the necessary reduction is made in the number of representatives for the district they represent; and doth hereby direct that the regulations made in the Order in Council dated the third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, shall, as far as applicable, apply as if incorporated in this Order in Council.

SCHEDULE.

Hospital District.	Contributory District.	Number of Representatives.
Palmerston North	Kiwitea County	1
	Pohangina County	1
	Oroua County	2
	Feilding Borough	1
	Manawatu County (p) } Combined	2
	Foxton Borough } district	
	Kairanga County	2
	Palmerston North Borough ..	3
	Horowhenua County	2
	Shannon Borough } Combined	1
Levin Borough (p) } district		
	Otaki Town District	

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 340 acres, more or less, and known as Tautehere No. 2B Block, situate in the Whangape Survey District, in the Land District of Auckland.

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

Declaring a Native to be a European.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Governor-General may by Order in Council, on the recommendation of the Native Land Court, declare any Native to be a European:

And whereas Tiemi Eruini (James Edwin), of Motunui, Waitara, being a Native within the meaning of the Native Land Act, 1909, applied in the prescribed form for a recommendation of the Court that he might be declared a European: And whereas the said Court, having duly inquired into the said application, has recommended that an Order in Council be issued declaring the said Tiemi Eruini (James Edwin) to be a European: And whereas it is expedient that such declaration should be made:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on him by section seventeen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1912, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare the said Tiemi Eruini (James Edwin), of Motunui, Waitara, to be a European.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TAUPARAHA No. 2 Block: Approximate area, 73 acres; Waitarapa Survey District.

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

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Lands other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of eighteen months the Order in Council dated the twenty-third day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and gazetted the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, prohibiting all alienation of the Native lands specified in the Schedule hereto, other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

ROTOITI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
MOTUOHIWA Island or Taheke Papakainga No. 12	1	0	0
Pateko Island, being part of Paehinahina No. 2	1	0	0
Motumauri Island, being part of Rotoiti No. 1,			
Motutapu Island (near Okere Falls) ..	0	2	0

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

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Lands other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of eighteen months the Order in Council dated the twenty-ninth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and gazetted the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, but only in so far as it affects the land specified in the Schedule hereto, prohibiting all alienation of such lands other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TARAMARAMA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
TUTAEKURI 1A 1	20	1	0
" 1A 2	485	2	0
" 1A 3	1,036	0	0
" 1B	512	3	15
" 1C 1	919	0	0
" 1C 4A	70	0	0
" 1C 4C	356	2	14
" 1C 6	366	0	0
" 1C 7	473	0	0
" 1C 8	554	2	0
" 1C 11B	314	3	8
" 1C 12	524	2	0
" 1C 13	1,043	0	0

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £1,000 proposed to be raised by the Manunui Town Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this ninth day of July, 1918.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. H. HERRIES PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Manunui Town Board lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand pounds under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of reforming, widening, and metalling Maukauroa Road and Maire Road and a portion of Totara Street and other streets within the Town District :

And whereas an irregularity or defect occurred both in the notice published in pursuance of section nine of the said Act and in the voting-paper used at the poll upon the said proposal in that though the proposed security for such loan and the provision for repayment thereof were stated to be an annual-recurring rate on the annual value of all rateable property within the Town District, the amount of such rate (namely, sixpence in the pound on rateable value, on the basis of the annual value, of all rateable property within the said district) was not set forth in such notice and voting-paper :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers have not been misled by such irregularity or defect, and it is expedient to validate the same :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said amount of such special rate had been stated in the said notice and voting-paper, and that the proceedings shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity or defect aforesaid.

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

Public Trust Office.—Bonus to Beneficiaries.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this second day of July, 1918.

Present :

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

WHEREAS the net surplus profits of the Public Trust Office for the financial year ended the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, after retaining twenty thousand pounds, were forty-eight thousand six hundred and two pounds :

And whereas the total amount of the bonuses hereafter mentioned will not exceed thirty thousand pounds :

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by section sixty-one of the Finance Act, 1916, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, doth hereby direct that out of the said net surplus profits a sum equal to one-tenth of the total amount of interest received during that year from the common fund by each estate or account (other than investment agencies) that was not finally closed and distributed before the end of that year shall be credited as a bonus to such estate or account, provided that the total amount of all the said bonuses shall not exceed thirty thousand pounds.

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

Special Regulations for Deer-shooting, Wellington.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908, 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 the conditions under which certain

red-deer may be destroyed in the following parts of the Wellington Acclimatization District, namely :—

All that area commencing at the Onoko Lake, thence northward along the west side of the Wairarapa Lake to Featherston, thence along the railway-line to Eketahuna, thence eastward in a direct line to the sea at Castlepoint, thence northward along the coast to the Waimata River, thence in a direct line westward to Mangatainoka, thence westward to Palmerston North, thence along the railway-line to Paekakariki, thence south-east to the sea at Petone, thence along the coast to the point of commencement at the Onoko Lake.

Also all that area within a line commencing at the mouth of the Kawhatau River, thence westward along the river to its source at the summit of the Ruahine Ranges, thence northward to Motopuha, thence westward to Te Rotoiti, thence southward to Moawhango, thence to the point of commencement at the mouth of the Kawhatau River.

Also the Counties of Featherston and Wairarapa South, excepting therefrom all that part of the said counties lying to the westward of the Wellington-Napier Railway line, and excepting also all that area of land in the Huangarua Survey District, being Sections 29 to 41 (inclusive), 59, 71, 72, 75, 79, 83, 90, 93, 97, 98, and part of Sections 70, 74, 78, 82, 86, 89, 91, 92, 94, 95, 96, 87, and 84 (in the occupation of Mr. John Martin and Mr. Featherston Johnston, and known as the Puruatanga Estate or Station).

REGULATIONS.

1. NOTWITHSTANDING anything contained in the regulations made under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, the secretary of the Wellington Acclimatization Society at Wellington, or any person or persons duly authorized in writing by such secretary, may, during the period hereinafter mentioned, kill within the said areas red-deer of either sex and of any age which in the opinion of the said secretary or of the said authorized persons should be destroyed either by reason of age, deformity, or other physical imperfection.

2. Such deer may be destroyed as aforesaid during a period of two months from the date hereof.

3. A return shall be furnished to the Minister of Internal Affairs by the said secretary within one calendar month after the expiry of the aforesaid period, and such return shall state the number and sexes of all red-deer so destroyed as aforesaid, the dates, and name of the person by whom and the locality in which the deer were destroyed.

4. Nothing herein contained shall extend to authorizing any person to sell any deer or portion thereof.

5. Any person who commits a breach of any of the provisions of these regulations shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £20.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Opening Land in Otago Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

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, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the tenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to section one hundred and thirty-five of the said Act, as it contains, or is supposed to contain, metal, mineral, or valuable stone.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Maniototo County.—Naseby Survey District.—Otago Mining District.

SECTION 54, Block I: Area 49 acres 3 roods 35 perches; capital value, £100; half-yearly rent, £2.

Weighted with £135, valuation for improvements consisting of three-roomed dwelling, outbuildings, shelter belt of trees, and fencing (netted).

Situated on a good road, about two miles from the Town of Naseby. Undulating land of fair quality, the soil being a light loam on a gravel formation. Altitude, 1,600 ft. to 1,700 ft. above sea-level.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands

Opening Lands in Otago Land District for Sale or Selection.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Tuapeka County.—Benger Survey District.

SECTION 82, Block I: Area, 95 acres 2 roods 36 perches. Capital value, £120. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2 8s.

Section 83, Block I: Area, 93 acres 3 roods 18 perches. Capital value, £165. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £4 2s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3 6s.

Section 84, Block I: Area, 92 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £140. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2 16s.

Section 41,* Block VI: Area, 35 acres 2 roods 10 perches. Capital value, £65. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £1 12s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 6s.

* Weighted with £15 12s. 6d. valuation for fencing.

These sections are on Moa Flat, close to Ettrick Post-office, and eighteen to twenty miles from Beaumont Railway-station. Access is by a good formed and gravelled road. There is a daily motor-coach service to Beaumont, which is seventy-two miles from Dunedin. The land is level, and the soil is a light shallow loam on an open gravel formation. The school and post-office are within half a mile of Section 41, and about a mile from the other sections.

Bruce County.—Table Hill Survey District.

Section 36, Block III: Area, 44 acres 0 roods 17 perches. Capital value, £100. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £2 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2.

Situated on the Lawrence branch railway between Mount Stewart and Manuka Creek. The access is from Milton, which is about eight miles away, or from Glenore, which is about three miles distant. There is a school and a post and telephone office at Glenore. The section comprises open undulating land, somewhat broken, and lying to the south-west. There is some fern in the gullies. Watered in the main gully. The soil is a light loam on a clay formation. Altitude, 300 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level.

Clutha County.—Warepa Survey District.

Section 31, Block X: Area, 128 acres 1 rood 39 perches. Capital value, £115. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £2 17s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2 6s.

Situated at the head of Glenomaru Valley. There is formed-road access to within a mile of the eastern boundary, and thence a good dray-track. Glenomaru Railway-siding is four miles and a half to five miles away, and the school is about six miles distant. The section consists of rolling ridges, with a southerly to south-westerly aspect. Part of the

area is covered with scrub. The soil is a light loam, on a clay formation. Altitude, 1,200 ft. to 1,300 ft. above sea-level. Watered by various gullies.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Warrant vesting Control of the Matau Bridge in the Bruce County Council, and apportioning Cost of Maintenance.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and twenty of the Public Works Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor-General may, by Warrant under his hand publicly notified and gazetted, direct that any bridge already constructed, or which may hereafter be constructed, over or across any river or arm of the sea respectively shall, from and after a date fixed in such Warrant, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of such local authority as shall be mentioned in that behalf in such Warrant; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid fix and determine whether all or any, and (if so) what, part of the cost, whether theretofore incurred or thereafter to be incurred, of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing any such bridge is to be provided and paid by the local authority or local authorities; and may by any such Warrant as aforesaid direct, how, when, and to whom any such payment is to be made:

And whereas by the said section one hundred and twenty it is, *inter alia*, provided that the Governor-General may, with a view of determining what proportion (if any) of the cost of maintaining any work should be borne by any local authority or local authorities, direct any Magistrate or other person to be a Commissioner to inquire into and report to him upon any matter which he shall deem necessary to enable him to determine any such question aforesaid:

And whereas a Commissioner was appointed for the purpose as aforesaid, and an inquiry duly held:

And whereas such Commissioner did report to the Governor-General, after due inquiry, his opinion thereon:

And whereas the Governor-General is of opinion that it is equitable that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the bridge mentioned in the Schedule hereto should be provided and paid in the manner and in the proportions hereinafter respectively set forth:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby direct that the bridge described in the Schedule hereto, and known as Matau Bridge (hereinafter called "the said bridge"), shall, from and after the date of gazetting hereof, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Bruce County Council; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers aforesaid, I do hereby fix and determine that the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge shall be provided and paid by the local authorities hereinafter mentioned in the following proportions—viz., the Bruce County Council to pay two-thirds of such cost, and the Kaitangata Borough Council to pay one-third of such cost.

And I do hereby direct that the contributions hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Kaitangata Borough Council towards the cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the said bridge shall be paid from time to time, in the proportion hereinbefore described, out of the funds of the Kaitangata Borough Council, within a period of one month after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Council of the Bruce County; and the payments so required to be made shall be made from time to time to the Clerk of the Bruce County Council for and on behalf of the Council of the Borough of Kaitangata.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Matau River, situated in the Otago Land District, Bruce County, between Section 6, Block IV, North Molyneaux District, and Section 3, Block IV, Clutha District. As the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 42251, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon shown by a red cross.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

And whereas on the twenty-fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, an order was made by the Stipendiary Magistrate at Havelock for the detention of Francis William Denton, of Havelock, in the certified Inebriates' Home situate at Rotorua Island:

And whereas it is expedient to appoint the Public Trustee as the administrator of the estate of the said Francis William Denton:

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

THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE

to be the administrator of the estate of the said Francis William Denton during the Governor-General's pleasure.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, at Wellington, this ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Member of Petone Fire Board appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th July, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES KERR, Esq.,

to be a member of the Petone Fire Board, as constituted under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th July, 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

HENRY ANDREW, Sen., of Papanoa, and
ERNEST A. FROST, of Ellerslie,

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Dunsandel Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 11th July, 1918.

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

JAMES ALDRIDGE

to be a member of the Dunsandel Domain Board, in the place of Charles Alexander Wright, who has left the district.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands

Native Interpreters appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 6th July, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ELLA NGAWAI CLARK, of Kohukobu,
E. STEWART, of Waotu,

to act as licensed Native Interpreters of the First Grade; and

HEKE BOYD, of Greytown,
Rev. EREATARA M. ERUINI, of Tokomaru Bay,
Mrs. LAURA HOULAHAN, of Rata,

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

Officer for the Purposes of Parts I and II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 28th June, 1918.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed

CHARLES JOSEPH EVANS,

of Invercargill, to be an Officer for the purposes of Parts I and II of that Act.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Marine.

Deputy Official Assignee appointed.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

EDWIN MARTEL SILK

to be Deputy Official Assignee at Wanganui, vice T. R. Saywell, on and from the 15th day of July, 1918.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 13th July, 1918.

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

ALFRED BISH, Esq.,

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

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—
Notice No. 1932.*

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 16th July, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE FEAR

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the Borough of Waitara; the appointment to date as from the 5th July, 1918.

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

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 16th July, 1918.

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

Name.	District.
FLORENCE GARDNER	Lumsden.
JEANIE BELL HAMILTON	Wanaka.
ARTHUR WOLLESTON PYM HEWITT.. ..	Mercury Bay.
EVELYN MAY RAPLEY	Rongotea.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Additional Members of Buller County Local Advisory Committee under the War Funds Act, 1915, appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 8th July, 1918.

PURSUANT to the War Funds Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder, I, George Warren Russell, Minister of Internal Affairs, being the Minister administering the said Act, hereby notify that I have appointed

DAVID JOSEPH WILLIAMS, of Waimangaroa;
JAMES FRANCIS COURSEY, of Westport; and
JAMES ATKINSON CLARK, of Seddonville,

to be additional members of the Local Advisory Committee appointed by notice under my hand dated 16th March, 1917, and published in *Gazette* No. 52, of 22nd March, 1917, to assist the National War Funds Council in the administration of any war funds being administered by the National War Funds Council established in the County of Buller.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th July, 1918.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the building by-laws made by the Thames Borough Council on the 10th day of January, 1916.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

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

Dated this 9th day of July, 1918.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th July, 1918.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the street traffic by-law made by the Thames Borough Council on the 28th day of February, 1918.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written street traffic by-law, and declare that the same came into force on the 11th day of March, 1918.

Dated this 9th day of July, 1918.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th July, 1918.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the motor traffic, public stands for vehicles,

and billiard-rooms by-laws made by the Thames Borough Council on the 22nd day of November, 1917.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written motor traffic, public stands for vehicles, and billiard-rooms by-laws, and declare that the same came into force on the 1st day of December, 1917.

Dated this 9th day of July, 1918.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

By-laws made by the Balclutha Fire Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th July, 1918.

THE following by-laws, made by the Balclutha Fire Board, are published in accordance with the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

BALCLUTHA FIRE BRIGADE BY-LAWS.

By-LAWS made by the Balclutha Fire Board under authority of section 43 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, for the enrolment of persons as a volunteer fire brigade, and the maintenance of discipline and the ensuring of good conduct on the part of the officers and members thereof.

Interpretation.

The word "Board" in this by-law means the Balclutha Fire Board.

The word "brigade" in this by-law means the Balclutha Volunteer Fire Brigade.

The word "Superintendent" and the words "Deputy Superintendent" mean respectively the Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent appointed or to be hereafter appointed by the Balclutha Fire Board in terms of section 30 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

The "Act" in this by-law means the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

Establishment.

1. The brigade shall consist of Superintendent, Deputy Superintendent, two foremen, and ten firemen, and such number of auxiliaries as the Board may from time to time determine.

Enrolment of Members.

2. Candidates for enrolment as members of the brigade must be physically strong men, free from any defect in limb, hearing, or sight. They must be not less than eighteen (18) years of age nor more than forty-eight (48) years, unless they have been previously and recently engaged as active and efficient fireman or are otherwise thoroughly competent. In such cases the limit may be extended to fifty (50) years. They must be able to read and write, and may be required to produce testimonials as to character and ability. They may also be required to produce certificate of birth or other satisfactory proof of age. They will be required to undergo a medical examination by such legally qualified medical practitioner as the Board may appoint.

Application for Enrolment.

3. Applications for enrolment must be made in form set out in Schedule "A" appended to this by-law, and applicants shall only be enrolled as members of the brigade on their applications being approved by the Board.

Members to serve Term of Probation.

4. Candidates when approved will be accepted as members of the brigade on probation only, the term of which shall be three months. If at the end of such term the probationer shall have given satisfaction to the Superintendent, and shall have proved himself suitable, his acceptance as an enrolled member may be confirmed by the Board.

Period of Service.

5. Members of the brigade are, subject to the provisions of clause 4 hereof, enrolled for service from year to year, subject to three months notice in writing on either side, except as hereinafter provided.

Appointment and Promotion of Officers.

6. The appointment of the Superintendent shall be made by the Board.

The appointment of the Deputy Superintendent and foremen shall be made by the Board, due consideration being given to the recommendation of the Superintendent, either by the engagement of men not heretofore in the service of the Board or by promotion of officers or men in the Board's service.

Ranking of Officers.

7. After the Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent officers shall rank in order of seniority of appointment.

Retiring-age.

8. The age at which members must retire from the brigade shall be as follows: Superintendent or Deputy Superintendent, sixty-five years; foreman, sixty years; firemen, fifty years; but the Board may, if it thinks fit, in any special case extend these limits for a further five years, but no more.

Care of Uniform and Equipment.

9. Uniforms and equipment of pattern and design approved by the Board will be issued to members of the brigade on enrolment, but shall remain the property of the Board, and each member of the brigade on resigning from or otherwise leaving the brigade shall return all articles on issue to him clean and in good order and condition, fair wear and tear only excepted, and in the event of his failing so to do the value of the articles not returned or returned in a damaged condition shall be deemed a debt due to the Board by the member of the brigade, and may be recovered by process of law.

The Superintendent.

10. The duties and powers of the Superintendent, in addition to those conferred by the Act, shall be as follows:—

(1.) He shall be responsible to the Board for the efficiency of the members of the brigade and all gear used in its service.

(2.) He shall have the power to suspend any member for breach of discipline or misconduct of any description at any time, but must at once report such suspension to the Board. The member suspended may appeal to the Board, who will hold an inquiry into the alleged breach of discipline or misconduct. At such inquiry the suspended member may be present and have the right to speak in his defence, and, if he desires, bring witnesses in support of same.

(3.) He shall keep an Order-book in which from time to time all orders affecting the working of the brigade shall be entered. Such Order-book or a copy of the orders therein shall be available for inspection by members of the brigade at all times.

(4.) He shall allot such duties to the members of the brigade as he shall deem necessary for ensuring the efficiency thereof, and may withdraw any member from any special duty and allot him fresh duties at his (the Superintendent's) discretion.

(5.) He shall keep a Store-book, in which shall be entered all property of the Fire Board, the date of purchase, and the date it was used or condemned.

(6.) He shall keep the Service Record Book, containing the names, occupations, places of birth, dates of birth, dates of joining and discharge from the brigade.

(7.) He shall perform any further duty in connection with his position which the Fire Board may from time to time assign to him.

Discipline.

11. A member of the brigade guilty of any of the following offences whilst going to, present at, or returning from any drill, practice, false alarm, or fire, shall be liable to suspension from duty by the Superintendent:—

(a.) Being in an intoxicated condition.

(b.) Disobeying any lawful order of his superior officer.

(c.) Using abusive or insubordinate language to his superior officer.

(d.) Striking his superior officer.

(e.) Using obscene language.

A member of the brigade committing either of the following offences shall be reported to the Board by the Superintendent:—

(a.) Wilfully damaging any portion of the brigade's premises or other property of the Board.

(b.) Absenting himself without sufficient excuse from any drill or practice ordered by the Superintendent or from any false alarm or fire.

Penalty for Breach of Discipline.

12. For breach of discipline by any member of the brigade the Board may inflict such monetary penalty, not exceeding £1, as it deems necessary, and such penalty when inflicted shall be deemed a debt due by the member of the brigade to the Board, and may be recovered by process of law; or the Board may, if it thinks necessary, dismiss any member from the brigade without assigning any reason for such dismissal,

and such dismissed member shall thereupon cease to be a member of the brigade, but shall remain liable for any money due by him to the Board. In case of wilful damage to the brigade premises or other property of the Board the Board may order the member or members causing such damage to make good the value of the damage done, and such value shall be deemed a debt due to the Board and may be recovered by process of law.

Monetary Penalties, to whom paid and how disposed of.

13. All moneys due to the Board under clauses 9 and 12 of this by-law shall be paid to the Secretary of the Board, and shall be recoverable by him, and when received shall be paid into and form part of the Board's funds.

In absence of Superintendent, the Deputy Superintendent or Senior Officer to take his Place.

14. In the absence of the Superintendent, the Deputy Superintendent or, in his absence, the next senior officer shall have control of the brigade, and all powers conferred on or duties imposed on the Superintendent by this by-law shall be deemed conferred on or imposed on the officer so in control.

Leave of Absence.

15. Leave of absence for any period not exceeding fourteen days may, on the application of any member of the brigade, be granted by the Superintendent, who shall record same in his Occurrence Book. Any member of the brigade desiring leave of absence for a longer period than fourteen days shall apply in writing addressed to the Superintendent, who shall forward such application to the Secretary of the Board, with such recommendation as he may think fit, and leave of absence for such longer period shall only be granted by the Board.

Insurance of Members.

16. The Board will insure members of the brigade with the United Fire Brigades Accident Society against accident whilst working at fires from time of call to return to station, also whilst at any drills or practice ordered by the Superintendent or other officer for the time being in control of the brigade, and also whilst practising for or taking part in any Fire Brigades Demonstration; but beyond this no liability shall attach to the Board by reason of accidental injury to any member of the brigade.

Brigade may make Rules.

17. Subject to the approval of the Board, and provided they in no way conflict with any provision of this by-law, the brigade may make rules and regulations for its own government.

Brigade Premises not to be abused.

18. Gambling shall not be permitted on any part of the brigade premises, nor shall any noisy recreation be indulged in therein or thereabout on Sundays.

Members to salute Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent.

19. Foremen and firemen shall at all times salute Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent when addressing or being addressed by them whilst on duty.

Purchase of Stores or effecting of Repairs to be sanctioned by the Board.

20. Stores required for the use of the brigade, and repairs required to any of the premises or gear, shall only be obtained or carried out by direction of the Board on requisition signed by the Superintendent. Neither the Superintendent nor other officer for the time being in control of the brigade shall have any authority to purchase on behalf of the Board, nor to in any way pledge the Board's credit for repairs or material.

Members of the Brigade not to write to the Press on Fire Brigade Matters.

21. No member of the brigade shall, under any circumstances, write any letters or furnish information to the Press on matters connected with the Board or brigade, save that in the event of no superior officer being present the senior on duty may give particulars regarding any fire which has been attended.

The foregoing by-laws were made by the Balclutha Fire Board at a duly constituted meeting of the said Board held on Wednesday, 12th June, 1918.

The common seal of the Balclutha Fire Board was affixed hereto by order of the Board this 24th day of June, 1918.

A. BISHOP, Member.
J. R. HUNTER, Member.
WM. CARROLL, Secretary.

Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 10th July, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to the late Captain Charles Leslie Sommerville, Queen Alexandra's 2nd (Wellington and West Coast) Mounted Rifles, he having a total service to the 2nd April, 1918, entitling him thereto, of twenty-one years and eighty-nine days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Notice fixing the Closing-hours of Hairdressers' and Tobacconists' Shops in the City of Wellington, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1908.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) hairdresser and (2) tobacconist in the City of Wellington, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the city shall be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: Subject to the closing at not later than 1 p.m. on the day observed as the statutory closing-day, on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays at 7 p.m., on Wednesdays at 5 p.m., on Fridays at 9 p.m., and on Saturdays at 10 p.m., with the following exceptions—(1) The two working-days (other than the day observed as the statutory closing-day) immediately preceding Christmas Day, and the two working-days (other than the day observed as the statutory closing-day) immediately preceding New Year's Day, when the closing-hour shall be 11 p.m.; (2) the working-days (other than the days observed as the statutory closing-day) in the period from the 17th day of December to the 31st day of December (both days inclusive), when the closing-hour shall, subject to paragraph (1) hereof, be 9 p.m.:

And whereas the Wellington City Council has certified that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of all the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) hairdresser and (2) tobacconist within the City of Wellington:

Now, therefore, I, William Herbert Herries, Acting Minister of Labour, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, do hereby direct that on and after the 22nd day of July, 1918, all the shops in each of the trades of (1) hairdresser and (2) tobacconist in the City of Wellington shall be closed accordingly.

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of July, 1918.

W. H. HERRIES,
Acting Minister of Labour.

Additional Regulations under the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1908.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 12th July, 1918.

I ARTHUR MIELZINER MYERS, Minister of Customs, do hereby make the following additional regulations under section 96 of the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1908, that is to say:—

(1.) An informant may in lieu of the notice required by Minister's Order No. 1076, dated the 13th day of March, 1914, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 19th day of March, 1914, give general notice as to any goods which may at any time be imported and which may have applied to them any forged trade-marks, false trade descriptions, or marks, names, or descriptions otherwise illegal.

(2.) The notice aforesaid shall be in the form in the Schedule hereto, or in such other form as the Minister may from time to time order or direct.

SCHEDULE.
NOTICE.

The Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1908.

To the Comptroller of Customs, Wellington.

I HEREBY give you notice that the undermentioned goods, that is to say,—

[Describe the goods, marks used, and any other particulars necessary for their identification]

may from time to time be imported into New Zealand; and that such goods are liable to detention and forfeiture, being [State how the goods may infringe the Act]; and that of , and , are prepared to become my sureties for such bond as may be required; and I request that the said goods may be detained and dealt with in

accordance with the provisions of the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1908.

Dated at this day of , 191 .
[Signature.]

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Customs.

Minister's Order No. 11(2.)

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 16th July, 1918.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Acting Minister of Finance.

WHAKATANE COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Loan of £250.—Tanacetua Hall.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers interested, taken on Wednesday, the 3rd day of July, 1918, on the proposal of the Whakatane County Council to borrow the sum of £250 for enlarging, generally improving, and lighting the Tanacetua Hall, also for cost of raising payment of interest and sinking fund for the first year, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 60; no votes were recorded against the proposal.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

W. REID,
Chairman, Whakatane County Council.

Importation of Goods into the United States.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 17th July, 1918.

A DVERTING to the notice dated 24th April, 1918, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 9th May, 1918, it is notified, for general information, that in accordance with information now received the following goods should be sent direct to importers in the United States and not to any trade association or to a British Consul-General:—

Wool, jute, flax, cotton, mica, rubber and rubber substitutes, plumbago, tin, leather, tanning materials, all hides and skins, lacs of all kinds.

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Customs.

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed by the Waitotara County Council.—Notice No. 1933.

Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce,
Wellington, 17th July, 1918.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the Waitotara County Council has, by special order, declared Cape daisy (*Cryptostemma calandulacea*) to be a noxious weed within the meaning of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, in the district under its jurisdiction.

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

Transfer, New Zealand Inscribed Stock.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 11th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Minister of Finance has prescribed the fee of 5s. to be paid on the transfer of stock under the New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917.

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

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 17th July, 1918.

THE Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge receipt of the sum of £6 15s., forwarded to the Superintendent, Telegraph Office, Christchurch, by some person unknown, described as "Conscience-money: Telephone."

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

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 £400 in each case.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.
1	Allen, Edward Leonard ..	Omata ..	Cheese-factory assistant	16/9/16	11/7/18	Intestate.
2	Armiger, Whitnall Robert Henry	Auckland ..	Draper ..	20/4/18	9/7/18	Testate.
3	Barclay, Gordon Lewis (or Barclay, Gordon)	Christchurch ..	Railway shunter ..	2/2/18	12/7/18	"
4	Beaumont, George ..	Wellington ..	Civil servant ..	2/4/18	9/7/18	"
5	Beamish, Richard Hobbs ..	Auckland ..	Clerk ..	25/3/17	11/7/18	Intestate.
6	Bettelheim, George Reeve ..	Tauranga ..	Farmer ..	26/4/18	12/7/18	Testate.
7	Blaymires, William John ..	Paengaroa ..	Farm hand ..	16/10/17	13/7/18	"
8	Buffon, Sidney Lewis ..	Christchurch ..	Draper's assistant	18/4/18	13/7/18	"
9	Burt, Leonard Cooper ..	" ..	" ..	12/10/17	13/7/18	"
10	Campbell, John Colin ..	Burwood ..	Dairyman ..	2/5/18	12/7/18	"
11	Clarke, George Arthur ..	Styx ..	Farm hand ..	19/5/18	9/7/18	"
12	Clarke, James Spencer ..	Edievale ..	Labourer ..	9/4/18	13/7/18	"
13	Cummins, Frank Roland ..	Christchurch ..	Carpenter ..	23/4/18	9/7/18	"
14	Daly, Agnes ..	Wellington ..	Widow ..	19/4/18	9/7/18	"
15	Dodds, James ..	Southland ..	Farm labourer	1/1/18	15/7/18	Intestate.
16	Duncan, Arnold William	Lake View ..	Farmer ..	3/1/18	12/7/18	Testate.
17	Fake, John ..	Lower Hutt ..	Blacksmith ..	17/1/18	9/7/18	"
18	Gerrie, William ..	Dunedin ..	Tea-blender ..	20/5/18	9/7/18	"
19	Gilks, John ..	" ..	Clerk ..	21/1/18	9/7/18	"
20	Glendinning, John ..	Waikari ..	Labourer ..	27/3/18	13/7/18	"
21	Gray, Eric Andrew ..	Hororata ..	" ..	27/3/18	9/7/18	"
22	Greene, Patrick ..	Auckland ..	" ..	9/2/18	12/7/18	Intestate.
23	Griffin, Edward ..	Masterton ..	Horse-breaker	9/8/16	12/7/18	"
24	Harris, Ernest Jonathan	Waikato ..	Farmer ..	14/11/17	12/7/18	"
25	Harrison, Thomas Alexander	Glentunnel ..	Shepherd ..	12/10/17	9/7/18	Testate.
26	Kennedy, Samuel ..	Te Kuiti ..	Bushman ..	6/4/18	12/7/18	"
27	Knox, Alexander ..	Wellington ..	Labourer ..	7/6/17	11/7/18	Intestate.
28	Langdon, Charles ..	Hawera ..	Farm labourer	15/9/16	12/7/18	Testate.
29	Lewin, Ernest Herbert ..	Lyttelton ..	Coachbuilder	9/1/18	12/7/18	"
30	Lucas, George Robert ..	Awahuri ..	Grocer's assistant	30/3/18	13/7/18	"
31	MacDougall, Norman Stuart	Formerly Middlemarch, latterly Dunedin	Ploughman ..	10/1/18	9/7/18	"
32	MacKay, George (or George V.) ..	Wellington ..	Farmer ..	17/10/17	12/7/18	"
33	Marshall, Frank Somervell ..	Wanganui ..	Carrier ..	27/2/18	12/7/18	"
34	Masciorini, William Jules	Formerly Nelson, latterly Hokitika	Railway fireman	6/6/18	13/7/18	"
35	McGovern, Thomas ..	Wellington ..	Labourer ..	15/1/18	9/7/18	"
36	Neal, George ..	Maraekakaho ..	Farmer ..	30/1/18	9/7/18	"
37	Tremanger, Emma Hamburg	Wellington ..	Married woman	16/4/18	13/7/18	"
38	Robertson, Charles ..	Gore ..	Clerk ..	20/11/17	9/7/18	"
39	Robertson, Douglas Leslie	Wanganui ..	Teacher ..	27/3/18	13/7/18	"
40	Robertson, Elizabeth Swanson	Formerly Wanganui, latterly Dunedin	Widow ..	24/4/18	9/7/18	"
41	Shankland, John ..	Tokauiu ..	Farm labourer	29/3/18	9/7/18	Intestate.
42	Shead, Ernest William ..	Makarewa ..	Labourer ..	11/4/18	12/7/18	Testate.
43	Somerton, James ..	Gisborne ..	Baker ..	3/8/16	12/7/18	Intestate.
44	Stevenson, Hugh Kenneth	Napier ..	Clerk ..	7/6/17	9/7/18	Testate.
45	Strachan, James Taku ..	Timaru ..	Telegraphist	7/6/17	13/7/18	"
46	Thaxter, William (or Copland, William Albert Thaxter)	Wellington ..	Cook ..	8/8/15	11/7/18	Intestate.
47	Thompson, George ..	Formerly Tapanui, latterly Blenheim	Labourer ..	16/4/18	13/7/18	Testate.
48	Thorpe, Arthur ..	Marion ..	Farm hand ..	12/10/17	9/7/18	"
49	Vinall, John Allen Gardner (or John Allan Gardener, or John Allan Gardiner)	Westport ..	Miner ..	10/5/18	12/7/18	"
50	Watters, Annie Elizabeth	Kumara ..	Married woman	21/2/18	9/7/18	"
51	Ward, George Henry ..	Dunedin ..	Motor-mechanic	4/10/17	13/7/18	"
52	Whiting, Herbert Francis Valentine	Auckland ..	Farmer ..	11/6/17	9/7/18	"
53	Wishart, James Smail ..	Ryal Bush ..	" ..	12/10/17	9/7/18	"

Wellington. 16th July, 1918.

ROBERT TRIGGS, Public Trustee.

Judges appointed to try Election Petition.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

In the matter of the Legislature Act, 1908, and the Acts amending the same.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Legislature Act, 1908, and Acts amending the same, I hereby nominate the Honourable Frederick Revans Chapman and the Honourable William Alexander Sim, being respectively Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, to be the Judges before whom shall take place the trial of the election petition following, that is to say:—

The petition of Thomas Eldon Coates, of Greymouth, Barrister and Solicitor, against the return of Henry Edmund Holland as member of Parliament for the Electoral District of Grey, that by reason of the premises a large number of votes were cast for the said Henry Edmund Holland which should not have been cast, and if such votes are taken off the number of votes recorded for the said Henry Edmund Holland at the election for the said Electoral District of Grey held on the 29th day of May, 1918, it may be determined that the said Henry Edmund Holland was not duly elected and returned as a member of Parliament for the said Electoral District of Grey, and that the said Thomas Eldon Coates was duly elected and ought to have been returned.

Dated this 11th day of July, 1918.

ROBERT STOUT,
Chief Justice.

Legislature Act, 1908.

IN exercise of all powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, the undersigned, being one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand named and appointed to try the petition presented under the Legislature Act, 1908, and all Acts amending the same, by Thomas Eldon Coates, of Greymouth, Barrister and Solicitor, against the return and election of Henry Edmund Holland as a member of Parliament for the Electoral District of Grey, do hereby fix the Supreme Court House at Greymouth as the place where, and Wednesday, the 11th day of September, 1918, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, as the time when, the said petition shall be tried.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1918.

FREDERICK REVANS CHAPMAN, J.

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

Wellington, 10th July, 1918.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Chairman, General Post-office, Wellington, not later than 4 p.m. on Monday, the 5th August, 1918, for the supply and delivery of bicycle, motor-cycle, and motor-car covers and tubes, solid band tires and rims, required by the Post and Telegraph Department.

Particulars and conditions of tendering may be obtained at the office of the Controller of Stores, Post and Telegraph Department, Wellington; the District Storekeeper, Post and Telegraph Department, Christchurch; or at the offices of the Telegraph Engineers at Auckland and Dunedin.

E. A. SHRIMPTON,
Chairman.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registration.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 16th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Sydenham Branch of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 878, situated at Christchurch, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the Gazette, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

HENRY E. MOSTON,
Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellations of Registry.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 16th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 22 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, the registrations of the industrial associations and unions mentioned in the Schedule below will, unless cause to the contrary is shown, be cancelled at the expiration of six weeks from the date hereof.

HENRY E. MOSTON,
Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions.

SCHEDULE.

INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATIONS OF WORKERS.

The Canterbury Trades and Labour Council Industrial Association of Workers, registered number 51, situated at Christchurch.

The New Zealand Federated Slaughtermen's Industrial Association of Workers, registered number 967, situated at Wellington.

NORTHERN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

Industrial Unions of Employers.

The Auckland Electrical Engineers' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 905, situated at Auckland.

The Devonport Steam Ferry Company (Limited) Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 342, situated at Auckland.

Industrial Unions of Workers.

The Auckland Nursery and Landscape Gardeners Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 785, situated at Auckland.

The Auckland Photo. Engravers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 810, situated at Auckland.

The Auckland Shirt and White Workers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 849, situated at Auckland.

The Gisborne Slaughtermen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 897, situated at Gisborne.

The Rotorua Branch of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 648, situated at Auckland.

The Tokomaru Bay Freezing-works Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 843, situated at Tokomaru Bay.

TARANAKI INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

Industrial Unions of Workers.

The Taranaki Painters and Decorators' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 793, situated at New Plymouth.

The Taranaki Plumbers and Gasfitters' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 844, situated at New Plymouth.

WELLINGTON INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

Industrial Unions of Workers.

The Hawke's Bay Freezing-works' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 657, situated at Hastings.

The Manawatu Freezing-works Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 637, situated at Palmerston North.

The Ngahauranga and Petone Slaughtermen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 887, situated at Petone.

The Waipukurau Branch of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 821, situated at Napier.

The Wellington Operative Sausage-casing Makers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 232, situated at Petone.

The Wellington Slaughtermen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 881, situated at Wellington.

The Whakatu Sausage-casing Makers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 592, situated at Hastings.

NELSON INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

Industrial Union of Workers.

The Puponga Coal-miners' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 970, situated at Puponga.

CANTERBURY INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

Industrial Unions of Employers.

The Christchurch Cab-owners' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 429, situated at Christchurch.

The South Canterbury Builders' Industrial Union of Employers, registered number 388, situated at Timaru.

Industrial Unions of Workers.

The Christchurch Export Slaughtermen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 917, situated at Christchurch.

The Christchurch Farriers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 922, situated at Christchurch.

The Christchurch Horse and Commercial Motor Drivers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 947, situated at Christchurch.

The South Canterbury Plumbers, Gasfitters, and Sheet-metal Workers' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 746, situated at Timaru.

OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT.

Industrial Union of Workers.

The Dunedin and Port Chalmers Ships Tally-clerks' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number, 990, situated at Dunedin.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 43 of 1918.

EXAMINATION OF MASTERS AND MATES.—NOTICE TO CANDIDATES.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 12th July, 1918.

REFERRING to Notices to Mariners Nos. 40 and 101 of 1917, it has been decided that the following changes will take effect on 1st October, 1918.

1. *Navigation.*—The whole of the examination in navigation will be brought under the mark system. A specified time will be allotted for each paper (see paragraph 8 of this notice), and papers will not be returned to candidates for correction. Candidates will be required to obtain 75 per cent. of the total marks for the ordinary examination, and 85 per cent. for the Extra Masters' Examination, in order to pass.

2. *Second Mate.*—Candidates for certificates as second mate will be required to answer questions on plane trigonometry and elementary *viva voce* questions on the main parts of a ship's construction; and, in place of the present dictation paper, to write a short essay on some simple subject.

3. *First Mate.*—Candidates for certificates as first or only mate will be required, in addition to the work for the second mate's certificate, to answer questions on right-angled spherical trigonometry and more advanced questions on the main parts of a ship's construction and their general use.

Law of Storm (paragraph 37 (m), Appendix H).—The paper on the law of storms in the examination for certificates as first mate or master will be replaced by a paper on meteorology.

4. *Master.*—Candidates for certificates as master (foreign-going) will be required, in addition to the work for the first mate's certificate, to answer questions on ship-construction and naval architecture, and a few elementary questions on stability (for standard text-book see Notice to Mariners No. 88 of 1917), and to write a short essay on some suitable subject. The questions on the deviation of the compass (Appendix I) will be remodelled.

5. *Extra Master.*—Candidates for certificates as extra master will be required, in addition to the work for the master's certificate, to answer more advanced questions on naval architecture, including ship-construction and stability; questions on magnetism as relating to the compass; and a paper on general knowledge, including shipping business, imports and exports, astronomy, and general elementary science (except chemistry).

Signalling.—Candidates for the extra master's certificate and the voluntary examination in signalling will be required to attain a minimum speed of twelve words a minute in semaphore and ten words a minute in Morse flashing; the minimum speed for Morse flag-waving remaining at six words a minute.

6. *Home-trade Mate.*—The examination will include all the chart-work and the use of the sextant.

7. *Home-trade Master.*—Candidates will be required to find compass corrections by amplitude of the sun and by time azimuth of a star, by the aid of azimuth tables, also the position of ship by two stars at twilight, or by one star combined with the bearing of a distant mountain, headland, or sounding, by the aid of inspection azimuth and reduction tables.

8. *Time allowed.*—The time allowed for the written and worked portions of the examination for foreign-going and home-trade certificates will be arranged as follows:—

A regular luncheon interval will be given each day between 1 p.m. and 2 p.m., the *viva voce* and practical parts of the examinations being taken at such times as may be convenient.

FOREIGN-GOING EXAMINATIONS.

Second Mate.—Paper on navigation and nautical astronomy, three hours; nautical astronomy and trigonometry, two hours; chart-work, three hours; essay, one hour.

First or Only Mate.—Paper on navigation and nautical astronomy, three hours; nautical astronomy and trigono-

metry, two hours; chart-work, three hours; Sumner problem, two hours; meteorology paper, one hour and a half.

Master.—Paper on navigation and nautical astronomy, three hours; nautical astronomy and trigonometry, two hours; chart-work, three hours; meteorology paper, one hour and a half; compass-deviation, one hour and a half; naval architecture, one hour and a half; essay, two hours.

Extra Master.—Paper on navigation and nautical astronomy, three hours; nautical astronomy and trigonometry, two hours; chart-construction, three hours; chart-work, two hours; naval architecture and stability, three hours; magnetism, three hours; general knowledge, two hours; essay on meteorology, or other subject as may be selected, two hours.

HOME TRADE.

Second Mate.—Arithmetic papers, two hours.

Mate.—Arithmetic paper, two hours; chart-work and navigational papers, three hours.

Master.—Arithmetic paper, two hours; chart-work, three hours; nautical astronomy and deviation questions, three hours; nautical astronomy, one hour and a half.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 44 of 1918.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.—DERELICT STEEL BARQUE.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 17th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the steel barque "Inverness," of Aberdeen, 1817 tons register, was burnt at sea, and abandoned in latitude 37° 52' S. and longitude 148° 59' W. Ship was heading to the N.E. with lower topsails, foresails, and lower topsails set for the port tack, with a strong N.W. wind, backing to westward, and gradually going down when the ship was abandoned. The mainmast was settling down, and swaying heavily from side to side.

It is probable that by this time the derelict will have drifted about 2,000 miles to E.N.E. with the prevailing wind and current to somewhere to eastward of Pitcairn Island, and may be expected in the near future to drift to W.N.W. and westward into the neighbourhood of the Low Archipelago.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 12th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Taranaki Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section 3s, Tututawa Settlement, Block XIV, Ngatimaru Survey District.

TENURE: S.T.L.S. 2. Formerly held by A. C. Maxwell.
Reason: Non-fulfilment of conditions.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands

Land in Taranaki Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 13th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Taranaki Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section 3, Block II, Rangi District.

TENURE: O.R.P. Formerly held by E. H. Cook. Reason: Non-residence and deficient improvements.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Timber in Taranaki Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 13th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the right to cut and remove the timber on the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, in one lot, at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 28th August, 1918, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

PART of Section 5 and Sections 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 19, Block II, Pouatu Survey District, and Section 1, Block XIV, Waro Survey District, as shown on plan, containing 2,020 acres 0 roods 28 perches.

This forest is situated about six miles from the proposed railway-station at Tahora, to which railway formation is nearly completed.

Rimu: Superficial feet, 15,180,500; rate per 100 ft., 1s.; upset price, £7,590 5s.

Miro: Superficial feet, 399,500; rate per 100 ft., 1s.; upset price, £199 15s.

Kahikatea: Superficial feet, 462,000; rate per 100 ft., 1s.; upset price, £231.

Matai: Superficial feet, 74,000; rate per 100 ft., 2s.; upset price, £74.

Totara: Superficial feet, 33,000; rate per 100 ft., 2s. 6d.; upset price, £41 5s.

Total upset price, £8,136 5s.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold generally in accordance with the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, the Timber Regulations made thereunder, and the following conditions, and may contain such additional conditions as the Commissioner in his discretion considers necessary in the interests of the Crown or of the public.

2. The quantities of the various timbers set forth in the above Schedule are approximate only, and are furnished for the information of intending purchasers, who are expected, previous to the sale, to make their own estimate of the quantity of timber. No contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the licensee be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated herein; nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if for any reason the quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated herein.

3. The successful bidder shall purchase the whole of the timber, and shall, on the fall of the hammer, pay in cash a deposit of 5 per centum of the amount bid, together with £1 1s. license fee, and shall also deposit five promissory notes, each for one-fifth of the balance, each payable on demand, and endorsed by two persons to be approved by the Commissioner. These promissory notes will be presented, the first at an interval of twelve months from the date of sale, and the others at subsequent intervals of twelve months, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if more than a due proportion of timber is found to be cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Commissioner the interest of the Crown is jeopardized.

4. The purchaser shall have the right to cut all the timber thereon during a period of six years from the date of sale, subject to extension under clause 88 of the regulations as amended. The license shall be only for the cutting and removal of the timber, and shall give no right to the use of the land. The purchaser shall convey the timber to the railway-line by tram, unless otherwise authorized by the Commissioner.

5. The timber shall be cut in a face from such areas and in such order as the Commissioner may arrange, and the Crown reserves the right of following up the mill-workings by felling and grassing such areas as from time to time will have been cleared of milling timber, or of disposing of the land. Sufficient timber shall be left for fencing and general farming purposes.

6. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other sawmill refuse.

7. In the event of the above not being disposed of, applications may be received and dealt with at any time within six months from the above date of sale (unless previously formally withdrawn); provided, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset price stated herein.

8. No compensation will be given nor shall any be claimed for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of the lot or in these conditions.

9. Any timber not specified milled for sale shall be purchased at the rate of 6d. per 100 sup. ft.

Full particulars may be ascertained and copies of the Timber Regulations obtained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Sale of Flax Leases in Auckland Land District by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 16th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that leases for the right to cultivate, cut, and remove flax on the undermentioned Crown lands, for terms of fourteen years, will be submitted to public auction under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the flax regulations thereunder, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, 24th July, 1918, at 11 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIKATO COUNTY.

LOT 1, Sections 510 and 511, Whangamarino Parish: Approximate area, 402 acres; upset annual rental, £35.

Lot 2, part Block VIII, Rangiriri Survey District: Approximate area, 51 acres; upset annual rental, £10.

Lot 3, part Blocks III and VIII, Maramarua Survey District: Approximate area, 1,800 acres; upset annual rental, £50. Loaded with £150, valuation for present crop of flax.

Lot 4, part Blocks VI and VII, Maramarua Survey District: Approximate area, 1,400 acres; upset annual rental, £30.

Lot 5, part Blocks VI, VII, and XI, Maramarua Survey District: Approximate area, 2,000 acres; upset annual rental, £50.

Lot 6, part Blocks XI, XII, and XVI, Maramarua Survey District: Approximate area, 2,000 acres; upset annual rental, £50.

Lot 7, part Blocks XI and XV, Maramarua Survey District: Approximate area, 1,596 acres; upset annual rental, £40.

CONDITIONS AND TERMS OF SALE.

1. Highest bidder to become the purchaser; the bidding to be on the upset annual rental.

2. Rent payable yearly in advance; the first year's rent to be paid in cash or marked cheque on the fall of the hammer, together with £1 1s. lease fee.

3. In the case of Lot 4, one-fifth of the price of the flax to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance within seven days thereafter.

4. No flax shall be cut oftener than once in three years, and only four crops, including the present one, shall be taken from the land during the term of the lease. The method and manner of cutting shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

5. All flax planted and other flax growing on the ground becomes the property of the Crown on the termination of the lease, and no plants are to be removed or destroyed.

6. The lessee to take all risks of fire, and will be held responsible to take every precaution necessary to guard against such.

7. No compensation of any kind will be allowed for improvements, but the lessee may, with the consent of the Land Board, remove any buildings or plant erected by the lessee on the land at the expiration of the lease.

8. The Crown reserves the right to resume the whole or any portion of the land at any time on giving two years' notice in writing to the lessee.

9. The right is also reserved to the Crown to cut drains, survey, and take roads through the area leased; also full right of access at any time by the Commissioner of Crown Lands or employees of the Government, or any person or persons authorized by the said Commissioner.

10. Sufficient drainage must be carried out to drain the land adequately for flax-growing purposes, and the lessee is required to connect all drains with any Government system of drainage when directed so to do, and all drains cut by lessee to fall in with such system; also all drains are to be fully maintained and kept open and clear by the lessee to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

11. The lessee shall not transfer or sublet except with the approval of the Land Board.

12. All rights reserved in these conditions are to be without compensation of any kind whatsoever.

13. In the event of any of the above areas not being disposed of, consideration will be given to applications made at any time within six months from date of submitting to auction, providing, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset price stated hereon.

14. The lease may also contain such additional conditions as the Commissioner in his discretion considers necessary in the interests of the Crown and the public.

15. No person shall be allowed to acquire more than two lots at time of sale, but any lots not so disposed of will be subject to Condition 13.

Plans and full particulars can be obtained on application.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rotorua.

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 13th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Rotorua on the 8th day of August, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Waiariki, 1918-13.]

H. S. KING, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1684	Taiatini Eruni (W. Bridle)	Te Karaka 1.
1685	Manahi Rangiri and others	Kaitao-Rotohokahoka 2q.
1686	Te Wharetoroa	Pahau.
1687	Ihipera Kerei	Pukaingataru B 3 No. 1B 1B.
1688	Hone Atutahi and another	Whakapoungakau 3B 2.
1689	(W. A. Carter)	
1690	Paora Paora	Te Whaiti 1.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
1691	Ruiha Pinenga	Waretini Ru Kingi.

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.
1692	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Maketu, Block II, No. 27B 1	22 May, 1918.. ..	£ s. d. 3 13 6
		" " " " No. 27B 2	22 " 1918.. ..	5 7 5
1693	" "	Maungakaretu No. 1A ..	3 September, 1917 ..	17 8 1
		" " " " No. 1B 2 ..	3 " 1917 ..	25 12 11
		" " " " No. 1C ..	3 " 1917 ..	11 8 7
		" " " " No. 1D 2 ..	3 " 1917 ..	11 1 10
1694	" "	" " " " No. 1E ..	3 " 1917 ..	41 1 5
		Paeroa East 4B 2A 3F No. 1	2 April, 1918 ..	2 2 4
		" " " " 4B 2A 3F No. 2	2 " 1918 ..	10 19 2
1695	" "	" " " " 4B 2A 3F No. 3	2 " 1918 ..	3 6 6
		Rangioru 2A No. 10A ..	15 May, 1918 ..	4 14 6
		" " " " 2A No. 10B ..	15 " 1918 ..	6 8 2

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Patea.

Registrar's Office, Wanganui, 15th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Patea on the 13th day of August, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1918-16.]

C. P. NEWTON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Kiri Tukohu (J. H. Damon)	Hamua 18A.
2	Puamahurangi and others (J. H. Damon)	" 23.
3	Tonga Awhikau (Currie and Jack)	Umutahi 7.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 119 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
4	Hohaia Tuwhakararo and another (Currie and Jack)	Applying to the Court to have their interests in Pukekohatu Nos. 6s and 7 consolidated and partitioned.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
16	Taumairangi Whatumarara and another (Currie and Jack) ..	Whatumarara, or Te Whatu.

APPLICATION UNDER PART VII OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
17	{ Paumahurangi and others "	Hamua 18A. " 23.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
18	Puakotiri (W. H. Wereta)	Umuroa and other blocks ..	Maraea Herepu, Te Awa Herepu, and Te Rauangi Herepu.
19	Haroepatari Makawe (Currie and Jack) ..	Ngatimanuhiakai 18 and other blocks	Karehinga Tainakore.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wanganui.

Registrar's Office, Wanganui, 15th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Wanganui on the 30th day of July, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1918-17.]

C. P. NEWTON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 27 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
1092 1093	Burnett, McBeth, and Brown " " " " " " " " " " " "	Kai-Iwi 6D and-6E Karakas A 1A, A 1C, A 2A 1, A 2A 2, A 2A 3, A 2B, and A 2C	Application for amendment of partition orders. "

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Gisborne.

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 15th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Gisborne on the 8th day of August, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

HAROLD CARR, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 6, ACT NO. 25, 1917.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
1	Te Pomare	Mangatu 1 and 4	To determine who of the family of Tupara should be included in the title to the said land besides those already determined.
2	William Pitt	"	Ditto.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Greytown.

Office of the Ikaroa District Native Land Court, Wellington, 17th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Greytown on the 2nd day of August, 1918, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Ikaroa 1918-20.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
76	Mereana Heremala (S. J. Moran)	Te Oreore 2B 2.
77	Manuera Ngatuere	Taratahi 391B 1D.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Te Kuiti.

Registrar's Office, Waikato-Maniapoto District, Auckland, 16th July, 1918.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Te Kuiti on the 10th day of August, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Auckland, 1918-9.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
505	Ngahihi Hughes	Mihi Taiamai, <i>alias</i> Mihi Hohepa.
506	Tuku Tane	Taiamai te Ra.

APPLICATION FOR CANCELLATION OF SUCCESSION ORDER.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
507	Hori te Kaponga	Wharepuhunga 16	To cancel order appointing successors to Matire Pako, <i>alias</i> Te Kaponga, deceased, on the ground that order was procured by means of fraud.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board.

Gisborne, 9th July, 1918.
 NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board to be held at Tokomaru Bay on Wednesday, the 7th day of August, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.
 [T. 1918-5.]

MICHAEL GILFEDDER, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF SALES.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	574	Tawhiti 1E 2	Maora Mawhata to Arthur Henry Smith.
2	575	Matarau 1C	Tamati Kaiwai and Rewi Rangitiri to Arthur William Kirk.
3	597	Pourewa Island No. 1 Block	Hone te Rua to Jessie Edith Loisel.
4	598	Mangaheia 1B 2B	Hapeta Maitai to Jessie Edith Loisel.
5	599	Tuawhatu 1A 2	Himiona Kautuku to William Alexander Smith.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF LEASES.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Name of Parties.
6	277	Matarau 1A 4A	Ruira Hau-tepa or Travers, Riria Kawhia, Te Rina Haokai, Hemi Whakarau, and Mereana Mokikiwa to Arthur William Kirk.
7	278	" B (part)	Ruira Travers to Arthur William Kirk.
8	280	Mangatuna 2C	Mikaera Pewhairangi, Mereaira Kooro, Hare Manawapau, and Arapeta te Hau to Matekino Winiata.
9	281	" 1F 2C	Matekino Pahura and Keita Pahura to William Preston the younger.
10	287	Nuhiti E Block	Hapata Maitai, Peta Potini, Haerengarangi Maitai, and Timoti Maitai to Constance Margaret McLeod.
11	288	Tawhiti 1B 1C and 1B 1D	Ao Raerena, Ema Raerena, Hiria Raerena, Huhana Raerena, Karaitiana Raerena, Peta Raerena, Pera Raerena, and Ripoka Raerena to the Tokomaru Bay Harbour Board.

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.
12	393	Nuhiti C	Lease to Rawhiti Paerata.
13	400	Pourewa No. 5 Block	Sale to Jessie Edith Loisel.
14	401	" No. 6 Block	"
15	409	Nuhiti C Block	Lease to Rawhiti Paerata.

RESOLUTION BY ASSEMBLED OWNERS UNDER PART XVIII FOR CONFIRMATION.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
16	343	Mangawharihi 1H	Lease to Joseph Clarke.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
17	399	Kirikiroa 2B, Panikau 4A 1, Panikau 5A 1	Consent to assignment of leases, Tepora Rangiua to William Alexander Smith. †
18	400	Tuawhatu 2B 1B	Consent to assignment of lease, Himiona Kautuku to William Alexander Smith. †
19	401	Waipiro N.T., Section 9, Block 3 ..	Consent to surrender of Crown lease and to issue new lease to Arthur Merritt Beale.

Meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board to be held at Wanganui on Tuesday, the 23rd day of July, 1918, at 10.30 a.m.

Wanganui, 15th July, 1918.

J. W. BROWNE, President.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS UNDER SECTION 218 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
113	18/235	Mortgage ..	..	Waipu 4A 3A ..	Tahataha te Nanakia to M. S. McWilliam, F. Sampson, and M. Jack (Currie and Jack).
114	18/236	Sale ..	18 May, 1918 ..	Parewanui, Section 2 ..	Tiemi Kawana to Robert Russell (Currie and Jack).
115	18/237	„ ..	25 June, 1918 ..	Tawaroa 1c ..	Rawinia Ropiha to Mary Ingram Russell (Currie and Jack).
116	18/239	„ ..	..	Ngaurukehu A 10 2B ..	Imaima Waikari to David McKay (Currie and Jack).
117	18/240	Declaration of trust ..	13 June, 1918 ..	Kai-Iwi 5B 1 ..	Tiini te Kahuihao to Tiini te Kahuihao (Currie and Jack).
118	18/241	Transfer ..	1 May, 1918 ..	„ 5B 1 (part) ..	Tiini te Kahuihao to Te Kahukiwi Hekenui (Currie and Jack).
119	18/242	Lease ..	20 June, 1918 ..	„ 5B 1 (part) ..	Tiini te Kahuihao to John Edward Hitchcock (Currie and Jack).

APPLICATIONS TO RECOMMEND HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL TO CONSENT TO MORTGAGES UNDER SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
120	18/235A	Waipu 4A 3A	Tahataha te Nanakia to M. S. McWilliam, F. Sampson, and M. Jack (Currie and Jack).
121	18/238A	Paranuiamata 10A 2	Mawae te Tauri to the Wanganui Loan, Investment, and Finance Company (Limited), (Currie and Jack).

Meeting of the Ikaroo District Maori Land Board.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroo District Maori Land Board to be held at Hastings on Thursday, the 8th day of August, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

Wellington, 17th July, 1918.

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1917/311	Lease ..	25 August, 1917 ..	Moteo Hapua te Pirau 1c No. 2	Rawiri Tareahi to Timothy Michael Higgins (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
2	1917/322	Transfer ..	1 December, 1917..	Wharerangi 7A ..	Miriana Peraniko to Victor Codd (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).†
3	1917/323	" ..	1 " 1917..	" 7A ..	Puhirere Peraniko to Victor Codd (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
4	1918/28	Lease ..	29 November, 1917	Karamu H, Section 2 ..	P. H. Tomoana to Kauru Karaitiana (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
5	1918/45	Transfer ..	20 August, 1917 ..	Whakawiringa 2f ..	Ekengarangi Hapuku and Tangatake Hapuku to George Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
6	1918/70	" ..	20 November, 1917	Waiohiki 2b 2 (part) ..	Merita Runga to Arapera Raupa (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
7	1918/78	" ..	16 January, 1918 ..	Patangata 2G 3 ..	Warena te Whatu to P. C. Ward (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
8	1918/83	Lease ..	4 March, 1918 ..	Omahu 4A No. 2 ..	Rawiri Porekerekere to Hedley Vickers Codd (Lewis and Simpson).
9	1918/100	Transfer ..	18 April, 1918 ..	" 2b 2 ..	Pihikete Takerei to Mereana Takerei (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
10	1918/111	" ..	29 " 1918 ..	Ohiti-Waitio 2B No. 1 ..	Rohutu Mohi to Thomas William Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
11	1918/112	Lease ..	18 May, 1918 ..	Patangata 2D 2 ..	Retia Pareihe, Peeti Pareihe, and Rivi Pareihe to Hoani Ratima (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
12	1918/113	Transfer ..	20 " 1918 ..	Ohiti-Waitio 2B 1 ..	Hawkekaihe Mohi to Thomas William Harper (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
13	1918/114	" ..	20 " 1918 ..	Kaitoke 2B No. 2 ..	Paraneha Hori to the Haines Brick, Tile, and Pipe Company (Limited), (R. H. Robertshaw).
14	1918/116	Lease ..	1 December, 1917	Wharerangi 7A ..	Puhirere Peraniko to Charles Codd (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
15	1918/122	" ..	" ..	Poupoutahi D No. 2 ..	Paora Tama Koraho to George Priest (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
16	1918/123	Transfer ..	15 December, 1917..	Koparakore 2D 2 ..	Pohu Hemi to John William White (Cotterill and Humphries).
17	1918/125	Lease ..	1 May, 1918 ..	Wharawhara No. 2 ..	William Thomas Prentice to Mary Francis Berkahn (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).
18	1918/127	" ..	28 March, 1918 ..	Pukehamoamo F No. 3 ..	Ani Kanara to Paku Iraia (Lewis and Simpson).
19	1918/131	Transfer ..	30 April, 1918 ..	Otawhao A 3 51B, Section 1 ..	Taitiko - ki - te - o - Uru to Joseph Maudsley (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
20	1918/148	Lease ..	6 May, 1918 ..	Karamu H 2 ..	P. H. Tomoana to A. W. Allen (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).
21	1918/152	Mortgage ..	8 July, 1918 ..	Mangamaire B 1A ..	Miraka Ratima to Robert Percy Peddle (H. F. Norris).
22	1918/153	Transfer ..	10 " 1918 ..	Aorangi 3G 2B No. 4 ..	Manawaroa te Aweawe to Ernest Lyall Russell (C. H. Treadwell).
23	1918/154	" ..	9 " 1918 ..	Mangareia B 6 ..	Hinurewa Otene to Myra Fanny White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
24	1918/155	Lease ..	3 " 1918 ..	Whakawiringa 2K ..	Te Nahu Watene to Colin Kinross White (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).
25	1918/156	Transfer ..	4 June, 1918 ..	Waimarama 3A No. 1A, Section A ..	Horiana Mataira to Robert Gillies (Lewis and Simpson).
26	1918/157	" ..	4 " 1918 ..	Waimarama 3A No. 1, Section J ..	Horiana Mataira to Robert Gillies (Lewis and Simpson).
27	1918/158	Lease ..	1 July, 1918 ..	Otarata 2B, Section 2 ..	Mini Petera to Arthur Alexander Hollis (Lewis and Simpson).
28	1918/159	" ..	1 " 1918 ..	Otarata 2B, Section 1 ..	Hirini Hauwaho and Wi Hanara to Arthur Alexander Hollis (Lewis and Simpson).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolution for Consideration.
29	1918/118	Sale ..	Ohiti-Waitio No. 4A No. 2	That the said block be sold to Rene Lilian Harper, of Ohiti-Waitio, spinster, at the Government capital value thereof (Carlile, McLean, Scannell, and Wood).

APPLICATION TO BOARD TO CONFIRM RESOLUTION BY ASSEMBLED OWNERS UNDER PART XVIII OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Resolution.
30	1918/82	Whakakoro No. 2	Sale to Mrs. Menzies (Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams).

APPLICATION FOR LEASE UNDER PART XVI OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.
31	1917/143	Pakowhai Native Reserve ..	Kauru Karaitiana (Dolan, Hallett, and Major).

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Wairiki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotoiti No. 3v will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Wednesday, the 7th day of August, 1918, at 10.30 in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That an offer made by the Crown to purchase the land or any part thereof shall be accepted.”

Dated at Rotorua this 12th day of July, 1918.

T. H. WILSON,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tawhiti No. 1e 4 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Tokomaru Bay on Wednesday, the 14th day of August, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the said land be given to Arthur H. Smith, of Tolaga Bay, farmer, for a term of twenty-one years, at a rental of not less than 5 per centum of the present Government valuation of the said land, together with the right to payment of any moneys by way of compensation for improvements which are put by the lessee upon the said land during the continuance of the term hereby created, and are unexhausted on the said termination of such term.”

Dated at Gisborne this 13th day of July, 1918.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangara H No. 4 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Thursday, the 15th day of August, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of Whangara H 4 Block be given to Ruku Hinaki and Ngarue Hinaki, both of Whangara, sheep-farmers, for a term of twenty-one years, at a rental equal to 5 per centum per annum of the owners' interest in the said piece of land, such basis for rental conditional upon the lessees undertaking to indemnify the owners from claims for compensation for improvements payable under the old lease.”

Dated at Gisborne this 13th day of July, 1918.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tairawhiti Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whangara H No. 1 Block is summoned and will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Gisborne on Thursday, the 15th day of August, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a lease of the Whangara H No. 1 Block be given to Ruku Hinaki and Ngarue Hinaki for twenty-one years, at a rental equal to 5 per centum per annum of the present owners' interest in the said piece of land, such basis for rental to be conditional upon the lessees undertaking to indemnify the owners from all claims for compensation for improvements payable under the old lease.”

Dated at Gisborne this 13th day of July, 1918.

M. GILFEDDER,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that **FREDERICK WILLIAM KOHN**, of Rawene, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 22nd day of July, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

13th July, 1918.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that **WILLIAM GRIFFIN**, of Whakamara, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 19th day of July, 1918, at 2 o'clock.

6th July, 1918.

ERNEST BARNES,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that **HAROLD PERCY CHARLES McLEAN**, of Te Kuiti, Mail Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Te Kuiti, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of July, 1918, at 11 o'clock a.m.

11th July, 1918.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that **HERBERT LESLIE JURY**, of New Plymouth, Taxi-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 19th day of July, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

11th July, 1918.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER REID, of Hunterville, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the office of the Official Assignee, Auckland, on Friday, the 19th day of July, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

T. R. SAYWELL,
Deputy Official Assignee.
17th June, 1918.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 19th August, 1918.

6290. HUGH GOODFELLOW.—Part Allotment 3, Section 4, City of Auckland, containing 6 perches, fronting Queen Street. Occupied by Graves Aickin and Messrs. Ivil Brothers. Plan 11950.

6344. JOHN JAMES RAYNES.—Allotments 124, 125, and 126, Parish of Te Rapa, containing 154 acres 0 roods 14 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 12134.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of July, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a dealing affecting Memorandum of Mortgage No. 21999, which mortgage is now vested in WILLIAM DUIRS, of Whakamara, Farmer, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said memorandum of mortgage, I hereby give notice that I will dispense with the production of the said memorandum of mortgage, and register the said dealing as requested, on or after the 2nd day of August, 1918.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office at New Plymouth this 12th day of July, 1918.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in the name of JOHN HIRST KEIGHLEY, of Aria, Farmer, for Sections 1 and 2, Block I, and Section 5, Block II, Township of Aria, being the whole of the land comprised and described in certificate of title, Vol. 56, folio 44, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, on the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office at New Plymouth this 16th day of July, 1918.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 19th August, 1918.

1493. THOMAS TIMOTHY McCARTHY.—9 acres 2 roods 15 perches, Town Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, and parts of Suburban Sections 3, 4, and 5, Town of Napier. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Napier.

W. JOHNSTON,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 19th day of August, 1918.

Application 4844 (plan, provisional, 2544), AUSTIN DESSION BRIGGS.—18.2 perches, part Section 343, City of Wellington. Occupied by tenants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 17th day of July, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

12424. JOHN DAVID RICHARD CLARKE WILLIAMS.—56 acres 0 roods 28 perches, Rural Sections 4356 and 4421, Block III, Christchurch District, and Block I, Halswell District. Occupied by applicant.

12441. DAISY PETERSEN.—30.1 perches, part of Rural Section 243r, having a frontage to Knowles Street, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

12443. HARRIET GIFFKINS.—20 perches, part of Rural Section 206, fronting Clare Road, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Mrs. Stafford.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one month from the date of publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

3049. MARY CAMERON.—151 acres 3 roods 32 perches, Sections 46 and 47, Block II, Winton Hundred. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office. Plan No. 1812. Dated this 11th day of July, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

OCCIDENTAL CONSOLIDATED GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company will be held at the office of the Liquidator, 31 Shortland Street, Auckland, on Monday, the 29th day of July, 1918, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Liquidator's report as to the disposal of the assets.

Dated at Auckland this 9th day of July, 1918.

427 E. DOWELL, Liquidator.

GOOD HOPE GOLD-MINING COMPANY (NO LIABILITY).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company will be held at the late office of the company, 31 Shortland Street, Auckland, on Monday, the 29th day of July, 1918, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Liquidator's report as to the disposal of the assets.

Dated at Auckland this 9th day of July, 1918.

428 H. C. CHOYCE, Liquidator.

I, MUNRO MAY HOCKIN, Bach. Med. Univ. N.Z. 1917, Bach. Surg. Univ. N.Z. 1917, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 10th August 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 Auckland.

MUNRO M. HOCKIN.

Dated at Auckland 10th July, 1918.

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PAPAKURA ROAD DISTRICT.

RANFURLY ROAD LOAN SPECIAL RATING AREA.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Papakura 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 £500, authorized to be raised by the Papakura Road Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of forming and metalling Ranfurly Road in the said road district, the said Papakura Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-eighths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property in the Ranfurly Road Loan Special Rating Area in the said road district, comprising all the property in the special roll of the said special rating area duly deposited and authenticated as follows:—

			Area.	
			A.	R. P.
Totara Park Estate Company (Limited)	Lots 1, 3/5, 7/15, 17/78, and 41, Totara Park Estate	Part of Clendon's Grant	186	3 10
Bartlett, W. H.	Lot 2 ..	Clendon's Grant	4	2 4
Stratford, A. J.	Lot 6 ..	"	3	0 21
Duncan, A. ..	Lot 16 ..	"	4	3 29
Hood, H. W. ..	..	Part of Clendon's Grant	150	0 18
Bunting, Angus	..	Ditto ..	112	2 0
Hall, Wm. T. W.	Lot 2 ..	Clendon's Grant	101	1 28
Pegler, Eliza Emily	Lot 1 ..	"	188	0 0
Laird, Amy ..	Lot 1 ..	Part 15, Papakura Parish	7	2 0
Harrison, H. ..	Lot 4 ..	Ditto ..	7	3 0
Tatton, Mrs. ..	Part 2 of 15	" ..	3	3 11
Dunn, Robert A.	Part 16 ..	" ..	140	0 0
Forder, Wm. A.	Part 17 ..	" ..	110	1 5
Harrison, A. V.	Part 2 of 15	" ..	1	0 0

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.

I, Ewen Donald McLennan, Chairman of the Papakura Road Board, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly passed by the Papakura Road Board on the 8th day of July, 1918.

EWEN D. McLENNAN,
Chairman, Papakura Road Board.

8th July, 1918. 430

CLARKSON MOTORS (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named company, on the 24th day of June, 1918, in compliance with sections 168 and 220 of the Companies Act, 1908, passed a resolution that the company could not by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that the same be wound up; and appointed EDMUND MARRIOTT BOULTON, of Wellington, Accountant, Liquidator.

YOUNG, NEAVE, AND COURTNEY,

431 Solicitors.

MOA 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 Moea Road Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £1,050, authorized to be raised by consent of the ratepayers interested, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of re-erecting the Makara Bridge in ferro-concrete, and metalling Cooper's Hill on the Rimutauteka Road, the said Moea Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-third of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Makara Bridge and Cooper's Hill Special Rating District, comprising Subs. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, Rimutauteka; and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12, Block 14, Waitara Survey District; and part Section 3 (containing 87 acres) and Section 4, Block 2, Huiroa Survey District. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the above resolution is a true copy of an extract from the minute-books of the Moea Road Board, and that the resolution was passed at a meeting of the Moea Road Board held at Inglewood on Wednesday, the 29th day of May, 1918.

432 ALF. CORKILL, Chairman.

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NOTICE is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of Messrs. Trent Bros. (Limited), Merchants, Christchurch, will be held at the offices of Stewart, Beckett, and Co., Public Accountants, 152 Hereford Street, Christchurch, on Friday, 26th day of July, 1918, at 4 p.m.

Business.—To receive final report of Liquidators in connection with the winding-up of the company.

C. M. OLLIVIER & JAMES MAWSON STEWART,
433 Joint Liquidators.

AT a meeting of shareholders of Thomas Waddell and Sons (Limited) held at the offices of the company on the 22nd June, at 11 a.m., it was resolved—

“That the company go into voluntary liquidation, and that Messrs. THOMAS WADDELL and JAMES MAWSON STEWART be appointed joint Liquidators.” 434

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the CINEMA ADVERTISING FILM COMPANY (N.Z.), LIMITED, a Private Company registered under Part V of the Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution has been passed by a signed entry in the minute-book of the company, as required by section 168, subsection (6), of the Companies Act, 1908:—

“That the company go into voluntary liquidation; and that FRED TEMPEST EYRE, of Auckland, Secretary, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

Dated at Auckland this 15th day of July, 1918.

435 FRED. T. EYRE, Liquidator.

WANGANUI JOCKEY CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it thereunto enabling, the Wanganui Jockey Club doth hereby make the following regulation, namely:—

The regulations made under the like powers on the 10th day of April, 1918, are hereby amended by striking out of clause 2 of such regulations the words “the parts of” and “reserve” where occurring therein.

The foregoing regulation was passed, adopted, and made by the Wanganui Jockey Club at a meeting of the committee of the said club held on the 3rd day of July, 1918.

E. A. CAMPBELL, Chairman.
WM. HALL, Secretary.

The foregoing amending regulation of the Wanganui Jockey Club is hereby approved this 13th day of July, 1918.

436 LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

SOUTH CANTERBURY HUNT CLUB.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the South Canterbury Hunt Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as “the said club”), doth hereby make the following resolutions controlling the admission of persons to the Timaru Racecourse, situate at Washdyke, 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; and the words “Timaru Racecourse” mean and include the Timaru Racecourse Reserve and all other lands adjacent thereto and for the time being leased or otherwise occupied or enclosed by the said club and used by the said club, together with the said Timaru Racecourse Reserve, for race meetings.

2. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the part of the said Timaru Racecourse Reserve while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely,—

- (a.) Bookmakers.
- (b.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated with the Racing Conference or Trotting Conference of New Zealand.

(c.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or with persons who have no lawful visible means of support.

The foregoing regulations were formed, adopted, and made by the South Canterbury Hunt Club at a meeting of the committee of the said club held on the 22nd June, 1918.

HERBERT ELWORTHY, Chairman.
H. H. FRASER, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the South Canterbury Hunt Club are hereby approved this 13th day of July, 1918.

437 LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE SUPREME COURT HOLDEN AT NEW PLYMOUTH.

In the matter of the estate of TUHIKAKA RUPE, of Hawera, Aboriginal Native, bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 7s. 3½d. in the pound on all proved and accepted claims is now payable at my office, the Public Trust Office, Hawera.

Dated this 16th day of July, 1918.

ERNEST BARNES,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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FINAL MEETING.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the WORKSOP GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at the registered office of the company, Perry Street, Masterton, on Friday, the 2nd day of August, 1918, at 8 o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

NORMAN H. JAMES, Liquidator.

Dated at Masterton this 11th day of July, 1918.

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VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Salamander Field Cooker Company (Australasia), (Limited) held on Tuesday, the 18th day of June, 1918, at the registered office of the company, 39 Johnston Street, Wellington, the following special resolutions were passed:—

1. "That the company be wound up voluntarily."
2. "That Mr. E. R. NORMAN be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for such winding-up."

Notice is also given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Salamander Field Cooker Company (Australasia), (Limited) held at the registered office of the company on Friday, the 5th day of July, 1918, the special resolutions before named were confirmed.

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E. R. NORMAN, Liquidator.

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