

Land set apart for Selection.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—ROUND HILL EXTENSION BLOCK.

SECTIONS 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, part 26, 27, 28, part 29, Block III; Section 1, Block XIII; and areas of un-surveyed Crown land in Blocks I, III, XIII, and XXII, Longwood Survey District: Area, 3,000 acres.

As the same is delineated upon the plan marked L and S. 4459B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered 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 twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—DELANEY SETTLEMENT.

LOT 23 of Allotment 188, Parish of Kirikiriroa: Area, 4 acres.

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 twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Settlement Land set apart for Disposal by way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Wellington 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 settlement land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—KAITAWA SURVEY DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—NGAKARORO SETTLEMENT.

SECTION	Area, A. R. P.
SECTION 1	69 1 33
.. 2	81 2 14

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 twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Land taken for a Public Work, and not required for such Public Work, to be Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is provided by section thirty of the Public Works Act, 1908, that if it is found that any land held, taken, purchased, or acquired at any time under this or any other Act or Provincial Ordinance, or otherwise howsoever, for any public work is not required for such public work the Governor-General may, by an Order in Council publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions therein mentioned:

And whereas it is further provided by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, that in the case of any land so taken, purchased, or acquired for a Government work and not required for that purpose the Governor-General may, on the recommendation of the Minister, and without complying with any other requirements of the aforesaid section thirty, by Proclamation declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was taken for the purposes of a road: And whereas such road has been stopped, and it is desirable to declare the land contained therein to be Crown land:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped road declared to be Crown land: 2 acres 2 roods 25 perches. Adjoining or passing through Reserve 3421, Block XIII, Culverden Survey District.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44500, 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 twenty-sixth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land in Block XII, Waimate Survey District, set apart for the Purpose of straightening the Hook River.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Crown land, and is required to be set apart for the purpose of straightening the Hook River, in Block XII, Waimate Survey District:

And whereas by section twenty-one of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that whenever any Crown land is required to be set apart for any public work the Governor-General may at any time, by Proclamation, set the same apart for such public work without complying with any of the provisions of that Act in respect of the taking or setting-apart of other lands for such purpose:

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 that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for the purpose of straightening the said river; and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of Crown land set apart: 8 perches.
Being Crown land, situated in Block XII, Waimate Survey District (Canterbury R.D.).

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43734, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered 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 twenty-third day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.
GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Land taken for a Public Work, and not required for such Public Work, to be Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it is provided by section thirty of the Public Works Act, 1908, that if it is found that any land held, taken, purchased, or acquired at any time under this

or any other Act or Provincial Ordinance, or otherwise howsoever, for any public work is not required for such public work the Governor-General may, by an Order in Council publicly notified and gazetted, cause the same to be sold under the conditions therein mentioned:

And whereas it is further provided by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, that in the case of any land so taken, purchased, or acquired for a Government work and not required for that purpose the Governor-General may, on the recommendation of the Minister, and without complying with any other requirements of the aforesaid section thirty, by Proclamation declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto was taken for the purposes of a road: And whereas such road has been stopped, and it is desirable to declare the land contained therein to be Crown land:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped road declared Crown land: 5 acres 1 rood 29.2 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Sections 73, 72, and 71, Koheroa Parish, Block VI, Wharekawa Survey District. (S.O. 19936.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43892, 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 twenty-sixth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VII, Patetere North Survey District.

[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 of the land described in the Schedule hereto, and of the Matamata County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Patetere North Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 5 acres 0 roods 14.8 perches.
Portion of Section 112, Block VII, Patetere North Survey District. (S.O. 18214.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44575,

closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto, which is not required by reason of the road described in the First Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

Approximate Areas.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P.			
0 0 31.9	Lot 3 of Allotment 245 ..	V	Purple.
0 0 3.7	" ..	"	"
0 0 27.2	" ..	"	"
0 1 22.3	" ..	"	"
0 0 9.3	" ..	"	"
10 3 20.8	Lot 6 of Allotment 245 ..	V & VI	Red.
0 0 14.2	" ..	VI	"
0 0 0.02	" ..	"	"

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through		
0 0 19.2	Lot 3 of Allotment 245 ..	V	Green.
0 0 0.1	" ..	"	"
0 0 0.01	" ..	"	"
0 0 1.8	" ..	"	"
0 0 12	" ..	"	"
7 2 26.1	Lot 6 of Allotment 245 ..	V & VI	"
0 0 10.9	" ..	VI	"

All situated in Waimana Parish, Whakatane Survey District. (S.O. 19499.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44357, 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 twenty-sixth day of August, 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 XI, Tutamoe Survey District, Whangarei 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 Whangarei County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Tutamoe 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 28 perches.
Portion of Section 1.
Coloured on plan: Pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 1 acre 0 roods 33 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Section 1.
Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block XI, Tutamoe Survey District. (S.O. 20095.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44674, 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 twenty-fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A. R. P.	Portion of
4 3 26.7	Section 200, Whangamarino Parish, Blocks V and IX.
0 1 37.8	Sec. 128, Whangamarino Parish, Block IX.
1 0 14.6	" 128 " "
3 1 12.8	" 127 " "
0 0 35.2	" 17, Maramarua Parish, Block IX.

Coloured on plan: Red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
1 0 23.5	C.L. and Section 200, Whangamarino Parish, Block V.
3 3 18.3	Section 200, Whangamarino Parish, and Sec. 17, Maramarua Ph., Blocks V and IX.
1 2 4	Section 17, Maramarua Parish, and Section 128, Whangamarino Parish, Block IX.
0 0 32.8	Sec. 128, Whangamarino Parish, Block IX.
1 0 20.9	" 128 " "
3 2 3	" 127 " "

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Piako Survey District. (S.O. 18088.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44246, 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 twenty-fourth day of August, 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 V, Mahurangi Survey District, Rodney County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
1	3	13.9	Section 23; coloured red.
3	1	2	Sections M. 24, S.W. 24, and N.E. 24; coloured blue.
0	2	14	Section W. 25; coloured purple.
0	0	7.6	" 86, C.L.; coloured vermilion.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	
2	1	2.4	} adjoining or passing through Section 23.
2	1	16	
3	1	5.7	} adjoining or passing through Sections M. 24, S.W. 24, and N.E. 24.
7	1	16	
0	0	8.8	adjoining or passing through Section W. 25.
0	2	16.6	" 86, C.L.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Kourawhero Parish, Block V, Mahurangi Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 17473.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44144, 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 twenty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block VI, Maniototo Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 2 roods 15.6 perches.

Portion of Section 1, Block VI, Maniototo Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43953, 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 twenty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XII, Pirongia Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas an agreement has been entered into, in terms of section twenty-seven of the said Act, to take such land for the public work hereinafter set forth:

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor-General to issue a Proclamation taking the land as required by the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-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, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 acres 1 rood 1.9 perches.

Portion of Takotokoraha No. 1, Block XII, Pirongia Survey District. (S.O. 20068.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44632, 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 twenty-third day of August, 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 Public School in Block IV, Heretaunga 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 public school in Block IV, Heretaunga Survey District:

And whereas an agreement has been entered into between the Hawke's Bay Education Board and the owner of the land described in the Schedule hereto to take such land for the public work hereinafter set forth:

And whereas the Hawke's Bay Education Board has laid before the Governor-General a memorial, accompanied by a map (in duplicate), 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 Education Act, 1914, and the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the said school-site, and shall vest in the Education Board of the District of Hawke's Bay as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

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

Being part Section 664, part Napier Harbour Board Fore-shore, Block IV, Heretaunga Survey District.

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44558, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, 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 twentieth day of August, 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 Purpose of Straightening the Hook River in Block XII, Waimate 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 purpose of straightening the Hook River in Block XII, Waimate 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 purpose of straightening the said river; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	1	7	portion of Reserve 679; edged yellow.
0	3	1	„ R.S. 6312 „
0	0	15	„ Hook River; edged purple.
0	0	32	„ „ „

Situated in Block XII, Waimate Survey District (Canterbury R.D.).

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 43734, 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 twenty-third day of August, 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 Scenic Purposes in Block II, Omapere 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 scenic purposes in Block II, Omapere Survey District:

And whereas an agreement has been entered into, in terms of section twenty-seven of the said Act, and the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, to take such land for the public work hereinafter set forth:

And whereas a plan has been prepared, and the Minister has recommended the Governor-General to issue a Proclamation taking the said land, 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, and being satisfied of the sufficiency of the agreement hereinbefore referred to, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for scenic purposes; and I do also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after

the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 8 acres 0 roods 8 perches.

Portion of Section O.L.C. 15, Block II, Omapere Survey District. (S.O. 20058.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44610, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, 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 twenty-fourth day of August, 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 Use, Convenience, or Enjoyment of a Road in Block VII, Mangatu Survey District, Waikohu 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 use, convenience, or enjoyment of a road in Block VII, Mangatu Survey District, Waikohu County:

And whereas the Waikohu 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 use, convenience, or enjoyment of the said road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 5 acres 0 roods 32 perches.

Portion of Subdivision 4, Mangatu No. 1 Block, Block VII, Mangatu Survey District (Poverty Bay R.D.).

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44563, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged 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 twenty-third day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for the Purposes of a Post-office in Block XXXV, Clutha District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas it is found that portion of the land taken for the purposes of a post-office in Block XXXV, Clutha District, by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, dated the third day of August, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 86, of the tenth day of the same month, is not now required for the purpose for which it was taken:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land not now required : 21.8 perches.

Portion of Sections 14 and 17, Barr's Subdivision, Township of Balclutha, Block XXXV, Clutha District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44633, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged 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 twenty-third day of August, 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 Blocks I and IV, Tuapeka 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 area of the piece of road hereby stopped : 2 acres 1 rood 11 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 5, 10, 11, 12, 15, and 31, Blocks I and IV, Tuapeka Survey District.

In the Land District of Otago; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44528, 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 twentieth day of August, 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 Block IV, Wakefield 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 area of the piece of road hereby stopped: 2 roads 30 perches. Adjoining or passing through Section 3, Block IV, Wakefield Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44568, 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 twenty-first day of August, 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 Block IV, Pomahaka 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:

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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: 1 acre 1 rood 2 perches. Adjoining or passing through Section 3, Block IV, Pomahaka Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44562, 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 twenty-first day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Baden Rhode, Charlotte Avenue, and Sugar Loaf Road, in the City of Wellington, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any case where the local authority having control of any road or street by resolution declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor-General in Council:

And whereas by subsection two of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions with respect to the building-line as the Governor-General by Order in Council thinks fit to impose:

And whereas the Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the roads described in the Schedule hereto, has passed the following resolution, viz.: "The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to Baden Rhode, Sugar Loaf Road, and Charlotte Avenue in the said city":

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, situated in Kilbirnie District, known as Baden Rhode, commencing at its junction with Hamilton Road, opposite Goa Street, and proceeding thence in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of Hamilton Road for a distance of about 2½ chains, thence in an easterly direction for a distance of about 6¼ chains.

Also all that portion of Charlotte Avenue, Brooklyn, situate in the said land district and city, commencing at its junction with Todman Street, and proceeding thence in a northerly direction generally for a distance of about 9½ chains.

Also all that street in the said land district and city known as Sugar Loaf Road, Brooklyn, commencing at its junction with Helen Street, and proceeding thence in a southerly direction generally for a distance of about 9 chains.

As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44414, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Consenting to Stopping Roads in Blocks VII and VIII,
Hororata Survey District, Malvern County*

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three (a) of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is enacted that a local authority shall not declare any county road or district road to be stopped until the consent thereto of the Governor-General, by Order in Council gazetted, is obtained :

And whereas the Malvern County Council has applied for such consent in respect of the roads described in the Schedule hereto :

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the pieces of road permitted to be stopped : 18 acres 3 roods 25 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 14219, 14225, 3717, 14224, 16876, 22569, 22568, 26499, 15139, 15100, 12778, 14225, 16639, 16876, Reserves 1559 and 1601.

Situated in Blocks VII and VIII, Hororata Survey District (Canterbury R.D.).

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44345, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas application has been made for the consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the several local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto to borrow the loans set out in column "B" therein :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice

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

SCHEDULE.

	Column B.
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NELSON Harbour Board	103,000
Waitomo County Council	350
"	2,000
"	900
"	1,200
Wanganui Borough Council	2,600
"	6,500
Wairarapa Hospital and Charitable Aid Board ..	12,000

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

Declaring a Further Portion of Mangapehi Road, in the Waitomo County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Mangapehi Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Waitomo County, commencing at a point opposite the boundary between Section 8, Block III, Mapara Survey District, and Section 9, Block V, Totoro Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly direction, adjoining or passing through the said Section 9 and Section 4, Block I, Mapara Survey District, Sections 2F, 2E, 2A, Maraetaua 7B, AA, 3, and 2, Block II, Totoro Survey District, to its junction with the Tuhua Road; being a distance of 3 miles 6 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44685, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 owner thereof :

And whereas the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is at present subject to Part XV 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 owner:

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 XV of the Native Land Act, 1909, and shall be re-vested in the Native owner thereof.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 104 acres, more or less, and known as Otakanini B Nos. 1 and 2, situate in the Kaipara Survey District, in the Auckland District.

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

Ewington Avenue, in the Borough of Mount Eden, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that the said section shall not apply in any case where the local authority having control of any road or street by resolution declares that the provisions thereof shall not apply to any specified road or street, or any specified part thereof, and such resolution is approved by the Governor-General in Council:

And whereas by subsection two of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, it is provided that such approval may be either absolute or subject to such conditions with respect to the building-line as the Governor-General by Order in Council thinks fit to impose:

And whereas the Mount Eden Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the street described in the Schedule hereto, has passed the following resolution—viz., "That the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to Ewington Avenue":

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street situated in the Borough of Mount Eden, Auckland Land District, known as Ewington Avenue. As the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44138, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Prohibiting the Importation of Goods from the Regal Post-card Company.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section forty-six of the Customs Act, 1913, as amended by section two of the Regulation of Trade and Commerce Amendment Act,

1915, that the Governor-General may from time to time by Order in Council prohibit the importation into New Zealand of any goods the prohibition of the importation of which is in his opinion necessary in the public interest:

And whereas in the opinion of the Governor-General the prohibition of the importation of the goods hereinafter referred to is necessary in the public interest:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit the importation into New Zealand, save with the consent of the Minister of Customs, of all articles supplied directly or indirectly by or on behalf of the Regal Post-card Company or the Regal Post-card Supply Company, of Sydney, New South Wales.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred on 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 lands specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Block.	Approximate Area.	Survey District.
	A. R. P.	
Ngapuna	1,510 0 0	Pihanga.
Oraukura	4,720 0 0	Waimanu.
Waione	4,144 0 0	Maungaku, Waimanu, and Tongariro.
Pukepoto No. 1 ..	1,505 0 0	Waimanu.
" 2	1,200 0 0	"
" 3	943 0 0	"
" 4	642 0 0	"
Ruamata	5,000 0 0	Maungaku and Waimanu.
Rangipo North 1c ..	956 0 0	Ruapehu and Kaimanawa.
" 2c	4,012 0 0	Ditto.
" 2d	1,000 0 0	"
" 3c	1,763 0 0	"
" 4c	2,060 0 0	"
" 5c	3,981 0 0	"
" 6c	8,731 0 0	"
Tauranga-Taupo 1B	5,279 0 0	Tokaanu.
" 2B	10,669 0 0	Tokaanu and Waitahanui.
" 3B	1,884 0 0	Waitahanui.
Kaimanawa 1E	15,000 0 0	Waitahanui, Waitaka, and Taharua.
Tauhara South B 1	14,300 0 0	Tauhara and Waitahanui.
" B 2	1,800 0 0	Ditto.
Pahikohuru	6,500 0 0	Waitahanui.
Opawa-Rangitoto ..	19,350 0 0	Tokaanu and Waitahanui.
Okahukura No. 1 ..	Area not known	Tongariro & Pihanga.
" 2	"	"
" 3	"	"
" 4	"	"
" 5	"	"
" 6	"	"
" 8M 2	"	"

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

Regulations under the Military Service Act, 1916.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

I, ARTHUR WILLIAM DE BRITO SAVILE, Earl of Liverpool, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, do hereby, in pursuance of the authority conferred upon me by the Military Service Act, 1916, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, revoke the Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and do hereby make the following regulations under that Act, and declare that they shall come into operation on the publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

HOME SERVICE BRANCH, NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE.

Posting.

1. RESERVISTS called up for military service under the Military Service Act, 1916, and recruits between the ages of nineteen and fifty-five who voluntarily enlist for military service, will be attested into the Expeditionary Force for general service, and shall be posted to the branches of that Force in the following manner:—

(a.) *To the Foreign Service Branch.*—A reservist or recruit certified by competent medical authority to be fit for active service beyond the seas, and who is otherwise eligible, shall be posted to the Foreign Service Branch.

(b.) *To the Home Service Branch.*—A reservist or recruit certified by competent medical authority to be unfit for service beyond the seas, or who is for the time being ineligible for foreign service by reason of age, or who belongs to a class of the Second Division not yet accepted for active service, shall be posted to the Home Service Branch.

Transfers.

2. Transfers between the branches of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force shall be carried out as follows:—

(a.) A soldier of the Foreign Service Branch serving in New Zealand shall be transferred to the Home Service Branch under any of the following circumstances:—

When at any time on re-examination he is reclassified by competent medical authority as unfit for active service beyond the seas.

When found to have been irregularly posted to the Foreign Service Branch.

(b.) A soldier of the Home Service Branch will be transferred to the Foreign Service Branch if certified by competent medical authority to be fit for active service beyond the seas, as follows:—

When otherwise eligible, immediately fitness is established.

When otherwise eligible, immediately his class in the Reserve is accepted for active service.

Conditions of Service in the Home Service Branch.

3. Soldiers of the Home Service Branch are liable for service, but until the Minister of Defence shall otherwise direct will be placed upon indefinite leave without pay.

Soldiers of the Home Service Branch who volunteer and who are accepted for actual employment on home service will be engaged and will serve under conditions laid down in General Orders from time to time.

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

Adding an Office to the Administrative Division of the Public Service.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eighteen, subsection two, of the Public Service Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Commissioner may, whenever it appears advantageous to the Public Service so to do, certify to the Governor-General that it is expedient to add any office to or to abolish any office in the Administrative Division; and the Governor-General in Council may, upon such certificate, add any office to the Administrative Division or abolish any office therein :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby add the office of Director-General, Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce Department, to the said Administrative Division.

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

Abolishing an Office in and adding an Office to the Administrative Division of the Public Service.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eighteen, subsection two, of the Public Service Act, 1912, it is enacted that the Commissioner may, whenever it appears advantageous to the Public Service so to do, certify to the Governor-General that it is expedient to add any office to or to abolish any office in the Administrative Division; and the Governor-General in Council may, upon such certificate, add any office to the Administrative Division or abolish any office therein :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby abolish the office of Secretary, and add the office of Assistant Director-General, Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce Department, to the said Administrative Division.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas a parcel of land known as Nuhaka 2E 3D 4, became subject, by virtue of an Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, to the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909 :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eight, in so far as such Order in Council affects Nuhaka 2E 3D 4.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twentieth day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Hungahunga Drainage Board, acting under and in pursuance of paragraph (e) of section sixteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand pounds for the purpose of constructing drainage-works in the Hungahunga Special Rating Area :

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

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the ratepayers' consent to the raising of the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the same had been properly witnessed, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

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

Vesting the Control of a Reserve in the Raurimu Public Hall Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-seventh day of August, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was by Warrant published in *Gazette* of the twenty-ninth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, permanently reserved for a site for a public hall : And whereas it is expedient that the control of the said reserve should be vested in a special Board as hereinafter provided :

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 exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section two of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1914, doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto, for the period of five years from the date hereof (unless previously amended or revoked under the said Act), in the undermentioned persons, namely,—

JOHN CONNORS,
WALTER CLARK,
JOHN WILLIAM HUTSON,
FRANCIS JOSEPH KARAM, and
EDMUND SMITH MERRIKIN,

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Raurimu Public Hall Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board"), with the powers and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say :—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the last Saturday in each month at 7.30 o'clock p.m. at the Raurimu Public Hall, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Saturday, the 31st day of August, 1918.

2. The members of the Board shall at their first meeting, and thereafter at the annual meeting hereinafter mentioned, elect one of themselves to be Chairman, who may join in the discussion and shall have an original as well as a casting vote. The Chairman shall hold office until the election of his successor.

3. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, provided that two days' notice of any such meeting is given

to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

4. Any three members of the Board shall form a quorum. Any meeting may be adjourned from time to time.

5. If at any meeting the Chairman is not present at the time appointed for holding the same, the members present shall choose one of their number to be Chairman of such meeting.

6. If by resignation, death, incapacity, or otherwise the seat of any member shall be or become vacant, or if any member absents himself without reasonable cause from three consecutive meetings of the Board, the Governor-General shall have power to appoint any other person to be a member of the Board in his stead.

7. All questions shall be determined by the majority of votes of the members of the Board present at a meeting.

8. The Board shall have prepared and submitted at an annual meeting to be held in the month of April in each year a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the 31st day of March, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister of Lands as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

9. The Board shall control the said reserve and the building erected thereon for the purposes of a public hall, and shall also afford settlers and residents of Raurimu and the surrounding district such facilities for meeting within the said hall as may from time to time be determined by the Board; provided that the Board shall have power to fix reasonable charges for the use of the said hall.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 31 perches, more or less, being Section 7, Block II, Raurimu Township. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 6, 282 links; towards the north-east by the Waiouru-Taumarunui Road, 75 links; towards the south-east by Section 8, 250 links; and towards the south-west by Crown land, 81.5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1911/1641, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Warrant vesting Control of the Waipukurau Bridge in the Patangata County Council, and apportioning Cost of maintaining, repairing, improving, or reconstructing the same.

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 be hereafter 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 any 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 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 authori-

ties 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 the Waipukurau Bridge (hereinafter called "the said bridge") shall, from and after the date of this Warrant, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Patangata 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 (less any contribution, if any, which may be made by the Government) shall be provided and paid by the local authorities hereinafter mentioned in the following proportions—viz., the Waipawa County Council shall pay thirty-five per centum, the Patangata County Council shall pay twenty-five per centum, the Waipukurau County Council shall pay twenty-five per centum, and the Waipukurau Borough Council shall pay fifteen per centum of such cost respectively:

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

And I hereby cancel and annul the Warrant dated the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 95, page 3828, of the twenty-seventh day of the same month, vesting control of the said bridge and apportioning the cost of maintenance.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge over the Tukituki River known as the Waipukurau Bridge, situated on the main road between Waipukurau and Waipawa. As the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 27606, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Trustee for the Wanganui Racecourse appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 20th August, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES EVAN MACKAY

to be a trustee of the Wanganui Racecourse, under an Act of the Wellington Provincial Council intitled the Wanganui and Rangitikei Racecourses Act, 1862, *vice* Alexander Hatrick, deceased.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Westland Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 24th August, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM CLAYTON

to be a member of the Westland Land Board.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Aratapu Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 27th August, 1918.

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

STANLEY MARTIN SIMMONS

to be a member of the Aratapu Domain Board, in the place of Anthony Keane, who has resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Waitahuna Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 27th August, 1918.

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

ALEXANDER BARRON and
ROBERT MURRAY

to be members of the Waitahuna Domain Board, in the place of Hugh McStay and David Murdoch, who have left the district.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Visiting Justices appointed.

Prisons Department,
Wellington, 20th August, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

EDWARD DARKER MOSLEY, Esquire, S.M., and
FREDERICK KNIGHT HUNT, Esquire, S.M.,

to be Visiting Justices to His Majesty's Prison at Auckland.

FRANCIS VERNON FRAZER, Esquire, S.M.,

to be a Visiting Justice to His Majesty's Prison at Wellington.

WILLIAM GEORGE KYFFYN KENRICK, Esquire, S.M.,

to be a Visiting Justice to His Majesty's Prison at Rotorua, known as the Kaingaroa Prison.

SAMUEL ERNEST MCCARTHY, Esquire, S.M.,

to be a Visiting Justice to His Majesty's Prisons at Addington, Lyttelton, and Paparua (near Templeton).

ROBERT WILLIAM DYER, Esquire, S.M.,

to be a Visiting Justice to His Majesty's Prison at Napier.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Registrars of Supreme Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 22nd August, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT WILLIAM DYER, Esq., S.M.,

to be Registrar of the Supreme Court at Napier, on and from the 14th day of August, 1918, *vice* W. Kerr, Esq., S.M.

JOHN EDWARD WILSON, Esq., S.M.,

to be Registrar of the Supreme Court at Greymouth and Hokitika, on and from the 1st day of August, 1918, *vice* T. Hutchison, Esq., S.M.

EDWARD PAGE, Esq., S.M.,

to be Registrar of the Supreme Court at Palmerston North, on and from the 12th day of August, 1918, *vice* J. W. Poynton, Esq., S.M.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Chairmen of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 22nd August, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT WILLIAM DYER, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the districts of Hawke's Bay, Napier, and Waipawa, *vice* E. Page, Esq., S.M.

WILLIAM GEORGE KYFFYN KENRICK, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the districts of Tauranga and Bay of Plenty, *vice* R. W. Dyer, Esq., S.M.

EDWARD PAGE, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the districts of Oroua, Palmerston, and Otaki, *vice* W. G. K. Kenrick, Esq., S.M.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Justice of the Peace appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd August, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT DAVIDSON VEITCH, Esq.,

of Dunedin, to be a Justice of the Peace for New Zealand.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th August, 1918.

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

HENRY WILLIAMS STEVEN HORACE BUCHANAN, Esq.,

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

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

Registrar of Births, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 22nd August, 1918.

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

(Mrs.) GEORGINA EMMA KERNAHAN

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Vaccination Inspector, for the district of Norsewood, as from the 2nd September, 1918.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Registrars of Births, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 28th August, 1918.

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

ERNEST EDWARD HIRST

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths, and Vaccination Inspector, for the district of Kaeo, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Kaeo, as from the 12th August, 1918.

EDWARD HENRY MICKLETHWAIT ALFORD

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris, and Vaccination Inspector, at Kokako, as from the 10th August, 1918.

(Mrs.) LESLIE MAIA HARPER

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris, and Vaccination Inspector, at Te Haroto, as from the 16th July, 1918.

HERBERT ROGERS

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris, and Vaccination Inspector, at Whirinaki, as from the 1st May, 1918.

(Miss) ELSIE ELIZABETH WEBBER

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris, and Vaccination Inspector, at Waiohau, as from the 1st August, 1918.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 27th August, 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.
RONALD AVENT SMALL	Mauriceville.
ALBERT DONNELLY FOWLER	Motupiko.
CHARLES DOUGLAS BLAKISTON	Dannevirke.
SIDNEY ALEXANDER OGILVIE	Ngaruawahia.
ERNEST ROY WILLIS	Mount Benger.
ALEXANDER CATHCART WALLACE MURDOCH	Bull's.
ARTHUR THOMAS STEVENSON	Blackball.*

* Births and deaths only.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Appointments, Promotions, and Resignations of Officers of the Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 26th August, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, and resignations of the undermentioned officers of the Territorial Force, and the reposting of officers from the N.Z. Expeditionary Force to the Territorial Force.

APPOINTMENTS.

Captain (temp. Major) John Craig, L.R.C.P. Ire., N.Z. Medical Corps, ceases to perform duty in N.Z. Expeditionary Force training-camps, and relinquishes the appointment as member of a Special District Medical Board; dated 17th July, 1918; and retains the temporary rank of Major until further notice.

Captain Herbert Donald Robertson, M.B., N.Z. Medical Corps, is appointed for duty in the N.Z. Expeditionary Force training-camps. Dated 6th August, 1918.

Honorary Captain George Pricor, Unattached List (b), General List, is appointed Ship's Adjutant; to date 22nd July, 1918; and retains the appointment of Quartermaster on H.M.N.Z. transports.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) Smith Laughlin Patrick Free, N.Z. Forces Motor Service Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Military Representative to a Military Service Board and the temporary rank of Captain whilst so employed. Dated 22nd July, 1918.

PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

REGIMENT OF ROYAL N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Honorary Lieutenant (temp.) Henry James Meade is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst commanding the Royal N.Z. Artillery Detachment at Dunedin. Dated 23rd July, 1918.

Master-Gunner Egbert Henry Sawle is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant (temp.) whilst on duty at Headquarters of the regiment. Dated 23rd July, 1918.

Regimental Quartermaster-Sergeant Thomas Webster Page is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant (temp.) whilst on duty with the Royal N.Z. Artillery Detachment at Lyttelton. Dated 23rd July, 1918.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.

N.Z. Railway Battalions (North Island).

Captain Percy St. John Keenan ceases to be attached to the N.Z. Staff Corps on relinquishing the appointment of Staff Officer to the Director of Railway Transport. Dated 5th June, 1918.

15TH (NORTH AUCKLAND) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant Stephen Henry Airey resigns his commission. Dated 31st July, 1918.

N.Z. FORCES MOTOR SERVICE CORPS.

Motor-car Section, Wellington.

The commission granted Lieutenant Roderick Andrew McKenzie is cancelled, under the provisions of section 5 (a) of the Defence Act, 1909. Dated 25th June, 1918.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Lieut.-Colonel Russell Tracy-Inglis, M.B., to be Colonel. Dated 16th July, 1918.

Captain George Lyon, M.B., is granted the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel until further notice. Dated 30th July, 1918.

Captain John William Williams is granted the temporary rank of Major until further notice. Dated 1st June, 1918.

John Henderson Will to be Captain (temp.). Dated 8th August, 1918.

Richard Waters is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant (temp.) whilst doing duty as Bacteriologist in a N.Z. Expeditionary Force training-camp. Dated 1st August, 1918.

N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend John Delacourt Russell, Chaplain to the Forces, 3rd Class, to be Chaplain to the Forces, 2nd Class. Dated 29th March, 1916.

The Reverend Edmond Phelan to be Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class. Dated 29th July, 1918.

UNATTACHED LIST (b).

Major James Robb resigns his commission. Dated 9th August, 1918.

George Frederick Charles Hosking to be 2nd Lieutenant (temp.). Dated 7th August, 1917.

Sergeant Charles Harold Emery to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 8th August, 1918.

UNATTACHED LIST (b), GENERAL LIST.

George Pricor to be Honorary Captain. To date 23rd September, 1915.

2nd Lieutenant (temp.) Claude Stanford Tendall ceases to be attached to the staff of the Director of Recruiting, and relinquishes the temporary rank of 2nd Lieutenant whilst so employed. Dated 31st May, 1918.

The undermentioned are struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, with effect from the dates mentioned:—

Lieut.-Colonel Matthew Holmes, M.B. Dated 3rd April, 1918.

Major Alfred Digby-Smith, D.S.O. Dated 20th August, 1918.

Captain Herbert Donald Robertson, M.B. Dated 6th August, 1918.

Captain Richard Frederick Ward. Dated 26th August, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant Thomas Geoffrey Hamilton. Dated 2nd September, 1918.

OFFICERS FROM N.Z. EXPEDITIONARY FORCE REPOSTED TO TERRITORIAL FORCE.

The undermentioned, struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, are reposted to their Territorial units:—

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.

No. 2 Field Company.

Captain (late Major, N.Z.E.F.) Alfred Digby-Smith, D.S.O. Dated 20th August, 1918.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain (late Lieut.-Colonel, N.Z.E.F.) Matthew Holmes, M.B.; dated 3rd April, 1918; and retains the temporary rank of Lieut.-Colonel until further notice.

Captain Herbert Donald Robertson, M.B. Dated 6th August, 1918.

UNATTACHED LIST (b), GENERAL LIST.

2nd Lieutenant (late Captain, N.Z.E.F.) Richard Frederick Ward. Dated 26th August, 1918.

Thomas Geoffrey Hamilton (late 2nd Lieutenant, N.Z.E.F.) to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1917.

CORRIGENDA.

With reference to the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 52, of 22nd March, 1917, relating to 2nd Lieutenant William John Baxter, N.Z. Field Artillery, for the words "2nd Lieutenant" read "Lieutenant."

The following is substituted for the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 98, of 11th July, 1918, relating to Mrs. J. Redward, N.Z. Army Nursing Service:—

Mrs. J. Redward is temporarily attached for duty as a Masseuse at Rotorua. Dated 22nd April, 1918.

The Christian names of Captain William Henry Simpson, N.Z. Medical Corps, are as now described, and not as stated in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 102, of 25th July, 1918.

The following is substituted for the notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 115, dated 7th October, 1915, under the heading "H.M.N.Z. Transport "Aparima":—

Honorary Captain George Pricor, Unattached List (b), General List. Dated 23rd September, 1915.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 26th August, 1918.

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

No. 41/301A, Bandsman PERCIVAL RICHARDSON JACKSON,
10th (Nelson) Mounted Rifles,

he having a total service to the 13th July, 1918, entitling him thereto, of twenty years and eighty-nine days.

J. ALLEN,
Minister of Defence.

Honours conferred by His Majesty.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 24th August, 1918.

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

The Honourable CHARLES JOHN JOHNSTON and JOHN WILLIAM SALMOND, Esq., LL.B., K.C.,

as Knights Bachelor; and

HENRY LINDO FERGUSON, Esq., M.D., and JOSEPHUS HARGREAVES RICHARDSON, Esq.,

as Companions of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George; and

ROBERT WEST HOLMES, Esq., M.Inst.C.E.,

as Companion of the Imperial Service Order.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

British Life Annuity Certificates.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 28th August, 1918.

HEREWITH for general information is published a circular despatch from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, respecting British life annuity certificates.

The Minister of Internal Affairs will verify the signatures of Justices of the Peace attached to these certificates.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CIRCULAR.

Received 8th July, 1918.—G.H. No. 1861/18.—Government House, N.Z.

Downing Street, 8th April, 1918.

SIR,—I have the honour to inform you that the Lords Commissioner of the Treasury have had under consideration the question of the certification of life in the case of Government annuitants residing in British colonies and protectorates, and that they are prepared, in order to increase the existing facilities for this purpose, to allow such certificates to be given (1) by a Justice of the Peace, whose signature shall be verified by a Colonial Authority; (2) or by a Government Police Magistrate; (3) or by the agent or manager of a bank having an office in London, who shall affix his office stamp after his signature.

2. The arrangements for such certification at present in force are those laid down in the Earl of Kimberley's circular despatch of 6th January, 1881, a copy of which is enclosed, and the facilities now offered by the Treasury are made under the provisions of section 18 (1) of the Revenue Act, 1898 (61 & 62 Vict., Ch. 46).

3. The Colonial Authority who should verify the signature of a Justice of the Peace, or of a Government Police Magistrate if the latter has no official seal, should be the Colonial Secretary or Chief Secretary of the colony or protectorate in which the annuitant resides, or, in the absence of such officer, the acting Colonial Secretary or acting Chief Secretary.

4. I enclose copies of the new form of certificate which has received the approval of the Treasury.

I have, &c.,
WALTER H. LONG.

The Officer Administering the Government.

FORM FOR CERTIFYING THE LIFE OF GOVERNMENT ANNUITANTS RESIDING IN BRITISH COLONIES AND PROTECTORATES AND IN INDIA.

The certificate must be granted on the day, or some day after, the date when the annuity becomes due, by one of the following authorities, viz. :—

In Colonies and Protectorates :

The Governor or Acting Governor.

*A Justice of the Peace, whose signature must be verified by the Colonial or Chief Secretary, or person acting as such.

*A Government Police Magistrate, who must affix his official seal, or his signature must be verified as above. The agent or manager of a bank, having an office in London, who must impress his office stamp after his signature.

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In India :

A District Magistrate.
(In Presidency Towns) A Commissioner of Police.

Any erasure or alteration in the certificate must bear the initials of the certifying authority.

No. of Annuity :
CERTIFICATE.

I, [Name in full], of [State qualification], do hereby certify that [State Christian name and surname of the nominee in full] A. B. is living at [State qualification], and appeared personally before me at [State qualification] on this [in words] day of [State qualification], 19 [State qualification].

Witness my hand.....
[State qualification].....

Signature of J.P. or Magistrate verified. (* See above.)

Signature :
Qualification :

The following declaration is to be made and signed by the proprietor of the life annuity after the above certificate has been granted. When the declaration is not made by the nominee, the nominee must endorse the certificate.

DECLARATION.

I, [State qualification], of [State qualification], formerly of [The residence and description as stated in the original contract must never be omitted], do hereby declare that I [or A. B. (as above), of [State qualification]], the person named and described in the above certificate, am [or is] the nominee upon whose life the annuity of £ [State qualification] s. [State qualification] d. doth depend, a quarterly payment of which became due on the 5th January [or April, July, October], 19 [State qualification].

Witness my hand this [State qualification] day of [State qualification], 19 [State qualification].
Signature :

Extract from Act 2 & 3, Will. IV, c. 59.—“If any such declaration shall be untrue in any particular, the person making the same shall, over and above every other penalty to which such person may become subject, forfeit the sum of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.”

When the annuity depends on two joint lives and the life of the longer liver of them, the declaration below must be signed instead of that above.

The following declaration is to be made and signed by the proprietor of the life annuity after the above certificate has been granted. When the declaration is not made by the nominee whose life is certified, such nominee must endorse the certificate.

DECLARATION.

I, [State qualification], of [State qualification], formerly of [The residence and description as stated in the original contract must never be omitted], do hereby declare that I [or A. B. (as above), of [State qualification]], the person named and described in the above certificate, am [or is] one of the two nominees upon the continuance of whose lives, and the life of the longer liver of them, the annuity of £ [State qualification] s. [State qualification] d. doth depend, a quarterly payment of which became due on the 5th January [or April, July, October], 19 [State qualification]; and that [State qualification], of [State qualification], the other nominee upon whose life the said annuity also depends, is living at [or is dead §].

Witness my hand this [State qualification] day of [State qualification], 19 [State qualification].
Signature :

Extract from Act 2 & 3, Will. IV, c. 59.—“If any such declaration shall be untrue in any particular, the person making the same shall, over and above every other penalty to which such person may become subject, forfeit the sum of ONE HUNDRED POUNDS.”

§ If the person making this declaration shall be totally ignorant whether such nominee shall be living or dead, or, if living, of the usual place of his or her abode, then the same must be stated in such declaration.

Officiating Ministers for 1918.—Notice No. 34.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 27th August, 1918.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information :—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

Mr. LEONARD JOHN HODSON.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Block VII, Patetere North Survey District.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land required to be taken :
2 roads 16.5 perches.

Portion of Section 111, Block VII, Patetere North Survey District. (S.O. 18214.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44575, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 20th day of August, 1918.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

Post Officers appointed to take Statutory Declarations of Postmasters and other Post Officers.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Wellington, 26th August, 1918.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me under section 8, clause (d), of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, I, William Donald Stuart MacDonald, Acting Postmaster-

General of the Dominion of New Zealand, under the authority conferred by section 9, subsection (2), of the said Act, do hereby appoint the following Post officers to take statutory declarations of Postmasters and other Post officers:—

JOHN JOSEPH PICKETT.
ERNEST GEORGE STAPP.
WILLIAM ALFRED SMITH WILLCOX.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Acting Postmaster-General.

Revoking Appointments of Post Officers to take Statutory Declarations of Postmasters and other Post Officers.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Wellington, 26th August, 1918.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me under section 8, clause (d), of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, I, William Donald Stuart MacDonald, Acting Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the warrants issued under the authority conferred by section 9, subsection (2), of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, dated the 18th day of June, 1913, the 13th day of June, 1914, and the 21st day of February, 1916, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 3rd day of July, 1913, the 18th day of June, 1914, and the 24th day of February, 1916, respectively, in so far as they appoint the following persons to take statutory declarations of Postmasters and other Post officers; and do hereby order that, except as altered by this warrant and previous warrants of similar import, the said warrants of the 18th day of June, 1913, the 13th day of June, 1914, and the 21st day of February, 1916, shall continue in full force and effect:—

BUCKLEY, T. GAGE, E. C.
SHRIMPTON, E. A. MACEY, L. L.
KEMP, G. T. MILES, P. V. R. C.
PLANK, C. S. SCOTT, A.
CUMMINGS, H. L. WEBSTER, J.

W. D. S. MACDONALD,
Acting Postmaster-General.

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	Berendt, George Philip ..	Hokitika ..	Storeman ..	31/3/18	26/8/18	Testate.
2	Buchanan, Andrew Alexander ..	Dunedin ..	Armature-winder ..	7/8/15	22/8/18	"
3	Connell, William Moran ..	Waverley ..	Printer ..	27/5/18	26/8/18	"
4	Dumbleton, Ronald ..	Oamaru ..	Postal employee ..	5/4/17	22/8/18	"
5	Downs, Charles Henry ..	Marton Junction ..	Farm hand ..	12/10/17	22/8/18	"
6	Drewitt, Ellen Fanny Rose ..	Paraparaumu ..	Widow ..	1/2/18	26/8/18	"
7	Edwards, Walter Thomas ..	Matawai ..	Station hand ..	26/5/18	26/8/18	"
8	Fox, Benjamin ..	Fortrose ..	Farmer ..	5/4/18	26/8/18	"
9	Glennie, Charles ..	Christchurch ..	Carter ..	12/10/17	22/8/18	"
10	Gould, Alfred Denson ..	Matamata ..	Farmer ..	4/10/17	26/8/18	"
11	Harris, Hubert Raymond ..	Hawera ..	Tailor ..	5/4/18	22/8/18	"
12	Mercer, Edgar Joseph ..	Makikihi ..	Farmer ..	14/4/18	26/8/18	"
13	Morris, Thomas ..	Toko ..	" ..	6/10/17	22/8/18	"
14	Mackenzie, John ..	Wellington ..	Labourer ..	28/12/17	22/8/18	"
15	McMurrich, Duncan or Duncan Augustine ..	" ..	Clerk ..	12/10/17	26/8/18	"
16	Needs, Frank Hillies, otherwise known as King, John ..	Huntly ..	Miner ..	19/8/17	22/8/18	"
17	Page, Thomas Albert James ..	Christchurch ..	Engineer ..	5/4/18	26/8/18	"
18	Paget, Frederick Harold ..	West Oxford ..	Farm labourer ..	30/5/18	26/8/18	"
19	Rexworthy, Edward Mitchell Pharyzon or Pharayzon ..	Auckland ..	Male nurse ..	4/10/16	26/8/18	"
20	Robinson, Oswald Howard ..	Te Maika ..	Labourer ..	23/11/17	22/8/18	"
21	Sainsbury, Edward ..	Dunedin ..	Farmer ..	4/1/18	26/8/18	"
22	Sinton, James ..	Auckland ..	" ..	*	26/8/18	"
23	Smith, George William Hay ..	Longbeach ..	" ..	24/5/18	26/8/18	"
24	Thorn, Ben ..	Waihi ..	Labourer ..	20/11/17	26/8/18	"
25	Tully, Vincent James ..	Wanganui ..	Bank clerk ..	12/6/18	26/8/18	"
26	Whellan, Jane Ann ..	Auckland ..	Widow ..	2/7/18	22/8/18	"

* 26/3/18 or 27/3/18.

Wellington, 28th August, 1918.

ROBERT TRIGGS, Public Trustee.

THE collection of agricultural and pastoral statistics for the season 1917-18 is now sufficiently advanced to enable preliminary figures to be given for the Dominion. Complete returns have so far been received for 119 counties out of the 125 which comprise the Dominion. Estimates have been made for the incomplete portions of the remaining six counties. The tables appended hereto are consequently liable to revision on the complete returns coming to hand.

MALCOLM FRASER, Government Statistician.

INTERIM RETURNS.

I.—TABLE showing APPROXIMATE AREAS and YIELDS of the PRINCIPAL CROPS in each Land District in the Dominion.

Land District.	Wheat.					Oats.					Barley.				Maize.				Rye-grass.		Cocksfoot.		Potatoes.		Turnips.	Mangolds.		
	For Threshing.		For Chaff, Hay, or Ensilage.		Not harvested (Fed off, &c.).	For Threshing.		For Chaff, Hay, or Ensilage.		Not harvested (Fed off, &c.).	For Threshing.		For Chaff, Hay, or Ensilage.		For Threshing.		For Ensilage.		Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.	Acres.	Tons.			Acres.	Tons.
	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.		Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.		Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.	Area.	Yield.										
Auckland	Acres. 620	Bushels. 15,476	Acres. 178	Tons. 280	Acres. 95	Acres. 206	Bushels. 4,448	Acres. 6,605	Tons. 19,163	Acres. 313	Acres. 333	Bushels. 8,241	Acres. 125	Tons. 223	Acres. 4,852	Bushels. 181,238	Acres. 336	Tons. 2,417	Acres. 309	Lb. 82,927	Acres. 880	Lb. 144,128	Acres. 2,836	Tons. 12,134	Acres. 50,830	Acres. 1,037		
Hawke's Bay	945	24,588	43	82	28	515	15,571	11,051	16,790	360	1,559	65,281	192	398	3,093	179,626	83	332	2,529	931,406	289	30,021	1,028	5,115	11,332	200		
Taranaki	698	16,986	..	..	..	433	11,491	5,264	9,196	279	273	10,066	36	70	13	319	33	77	66	16,155	31	5,114	440	1,769	30,834	1,379
Wellington	6,959	148,182	410	584	68	3,802	107,025	17,506	26,360	596	911	28,024	62	132	30	1,029	69	172	3,446	874,057	425	44,269	2,045	10,929	30,877	920		
Nelson	1,333	20,701	55	68	20	860	17,000	8,641	9,885	196	1,200	23,000	3	20	..	..	9	85	45	9,990	117	11,571	516	1,780	4,950	17
Marlborough	3,285	57,125	40	51	111	872	22,915	14,607	25,150	532	4,900	118,166	..	..	3	95	7	35	715	132,226	195	21,181	373	1,633	1,942	218
Westland .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	10	300	389	554	130	..	..	3	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36	150	1,685	..
Canterbury	217,272	5,254,374	977	1,975	2,223	79,565	2,066,945	137,439	153,009	15,318	5,777	171,411	65	112	52	1,382	8	25	35,492	12,761,838	13,031	1,924,508	11,529	49,150	103,962	3,616		
Otago	42,442	1,134,880	345	484	245	36,727	1,280,691	53,417	84,761	2,057	4,062	138,318	59	78	..	..	..	..	8,672	1,973,534	1,246	96,718	2,511	8,312	94,163	1,184
Southland	3,323	88,937	19	25	45	30,409	1,259,005	44,706	68,485	417	274	9,554	1	2	..	..	..	..	17,447	8,733,604	386	106,477	1,321	6,972	110,720	40
Totals, Dominion, 1917-18 (interim figures only)	276,877	6,761,249	2,067	3,549	2,835	153,399	4,785,391	307,625	412,853	20,198	19,289	572,061	546	1,047	8,043	363,689	545	3,143	68,721	25,515,737	16,600	2,383,987	22,635	97,944	441,295	8,611		
Totals, Dominion, 1916-17 (final figures)	217,743	5,051,227	3,738	5,186	2,871	177,524	5,371,436	354,550	432,878	32,738	29,646	738,050	1,240	2,151	6,359	274,283	711	5,107	79,135	23,049,749	16,134	1,907,043	26,156	133,642	526,283	9,073		

II.—TABLE showing the APPROXIMATE NUMBERS of the Principal Varieties of LIVE-STOCK in each Land District in the Dominion (inclusive of its Interior Boroughs).

Land District.	Horses, as at 31st Jan., 1918.	Dairy Cows, as at 31st Jan., 1918 (in Milk and Dry).	Total Cattle, as at 31st Jan., 1918 (including Figures in Previous Column).	Number of Sheep shorn Season 1917-18.	Number of Lambs tailed, Season 1917-18.	Sheep (including Lambs), as at 30th April, 1918.	Pigs, as at 31st Jan., 1918.
Auckland	98,740	284,937	974,345	1,829,680	807,932	1,844,666	80,239
Hawke's Bay	39,754	43,115	428,607	5,726,715	2,559,184	6,308,338	16,129
Taranaki	25,716	147,523	353,941	1,039,764	375,455	960,219	37,609
Wellington	52,584	130,749	551,646	5,348,085	2,611,678	5,724,165	36,768
Nelson	9,014	18,717	54,586	414,282	178,768	473,270	9,827
Marlborough	7,523	10,882	35,991	965,592	414,262	1,037,660	6,821
Westland	3,461	10,024	38,569	64,679	27,883	66,907	3,494
Canterbury	68,964	59,775	175,798	4,058,374	2,300,013	5,135,942	41,695
Otago	42,338	45,694	126,021	2,641,953	1,179,824	3,097,291	14,260
Southland	30,897	46,153	148,710	1,562,450	788,803	1,889,844	11,427
Totals, Dominion, 1918 (interim figs.)	378,991	797,569	2,888,214	23,651,574	11,243,802	26,538,302	258,269
Totals, Dominion, 1917 (final figures)	373,600	777,439	2,575,230	22,462,291	10,745,386	25,270,386	283,770

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 28th August, 1918.

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

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Acting Minister of Finance.

TE PUKE TOWN DISTRICT.

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

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Te Puke Town District was taken on the 21st day of August, 1918, on the proposal of the Te Puke Town District to borrow the sum of £5,000 for—

	£	s.	d.
Metalling—			
Saleyards and Cemetery Hill	302	2	0
Main Street from railway-station to town boundary	623	10	0
Jocelyn Street from Main Street to No. 2 Road	127	16	0
Oxford Street from Main Street to Stewart Street	111	12	0
Road adjoining police-station	21	0	0
Oxford Street near Waitaha Street	28	0	0
Formation—			
Jocelyn Street	107	10	0
Oxford Street	228	6	0
Saleyard and Cemetery Hill	43	10	0
Queen Street to Winstone Street	58	15	0

Formation—continued.

	£	s.	d.
Filling near police-station	6	0	0
From Oxford Street to drill-shed, southern side	166	0	0
From Main Road to Section 41, Block 2, Maketu S.D.	77	10	0
Lengthening concrete culvert on southern side of culvert between No. 2 Road and station, and filling-in	181	17	0
Sumps, pipes, and channelling on Main Street Retarring Main Street, Oxford Street to No. 2 Road	425	0	0
Shed and store	250	0	0
Constructing waterworks for the supply of water	1,581	12	0
Engineer, Supervisor, &c... .. .	180	0	0

The sum proposed to be borrowed for each purpose is set out after the name thereof. The proposed security for the said loan is an annual-recurring special rate of 2½d. in the pound on the unimproved value of all the rateable property within the Te Puke Town District.

The loan is to be for a term of thirty-six years and a half, and is to be repaid by payments of instalments of the principal to a sinking fund, payment of which is provided for in the above rate.

It is proposed to pay out of the loan cost of raising the loan and interest and sinking fund for the first year. It is estimated that this will absorb £400.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 107, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 15. I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

A. MONTGOMERY, Chairman.

Tenders for Varnish.

Railway Department, Wellington, 27th August, 1918.

THE undermentioned accepted tender-rates for the supply and delivery of 3,900 gallons of varnish for the New Zealand Railways are published for general information.

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

Successful tenderers: Herbert G. Teagle (Limited), Wellington.
Makers of varnish: Lewis Berger and Sons (Limited).

Description of Varnish.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Lyttelton.	Dunedin (or Port Chalmers).	Total Number of Gallons.	Rate per Gallon.
A. Finest railway finishing body	250	500	..	100	850	£ s. d. 1 0 2
B. Finest pale railway body	300	800	150	..	1,250	0 19 4
C. Best hard-drying carriage .. .. .	..	..	..	200	200	0 16 6
D. Best black japan	250	400	..	200	850	0 13 5
E. Gold-size	200	450	100	..	750	0 10 9

Total value of tender: £3,203 15s.

CROWN LANDS NOTICE.

Land in the Auckland Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 30th July, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to four o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 24th September, 1918.

The lands may be selected for cash or on deferred payments, or selected on lease for thirty-three years, with right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years and a right to acquire the freehold.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Wednesday, 25th September, 1918, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—OTAMATEA COUNTY.—PARAHU SETTLEMENT.—MATAKOHE SURVEY DISTRICT.

First-class Land.

SECTION 5, Block V: Area, 198 acres; capital value, £2,033; instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £101 13s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £45 14s. 10d.

Altitude, 120 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. 136 acres easy hilly country, inclined to be a little steep at the north end, carrying good grass with short fern through it; 63 acres at south end easy slope, suitable for dairying; small patches light bush. Well watered. Ten miles and three-quarters from Ruawai—a quarter of a mile unformed, balance formed; six miles and a half from Matakoho by formed road.

The improvements on the section comprise: fencing and old cow-shed, the values of which are included in the price of the section.

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

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rawene.

Office of the Tokerau Native Land Court, Auckland, 26th August, 1918.
NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Rawene on the 19th day of September, 1918, to hear and determine the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.
 [Tokerau, 1918-13.]

L. A. TEUTENBERG, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ASCERTAINMENT OF OWNERSHIP.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
181	L. A. Teutenberg, Registrar, Tokerau Native Land Court	Te Karae, Section No. 1 (Papakainga reserves)	To determine ownership of Sections 67, 72, and 77 on deposited plan.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Opotiki.

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 24th August, 1918.
NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Opotiki on the 23rd day of September, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Wairariki, 1918-16.]

H. S. KING, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
191	Riri Oriwa	Opape 3w 5.
192	Tursi Patihana and others	Torere 1a 30N 7.
193	Te Taaki te Kaka	Waioeka 335c.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
194	Ritihia Rewharewha (N. Potts)	Rewharewha Putiki.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wanganui.

Registrar's Office, Wanganui, 19th August, 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 10th day of September, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.
 [Wanganui, 1918-22.]

C. P. NEWTON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1244	Treadwell, Gordon, and Brodie	Kaiwhaiki 1c 1b.
1245	Whatarangi te Kiria and others	Parapara 2b 2f.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
1276	Naima Rikiriki	Whakaihukaka C 9	Application for amendment of succession order to Naima Whakapu or Naima Rikiriki, deceased.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
1277	Niheta Wiremu	Mateone Hipera or Te Mateone, Mokai Kereru or Titaha.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Names of Minors.
1278	Ngaraihi Reweti (Kanapu Haerehuka)	Poutahi	Te Nohotumu Warera or Te Nohotumu Ngaraihi.
1279	Ditto	"	Kereti Warera or Rereti Ngaraihi.
1280	"	"	Wiki Warera or Wiki Ngaraihi.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Marton.

Registrar's Office, Wanganui, 17th August, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Marton on the 17th day of September, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1918-21.]

C. P. NEWTON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Rangiwhakahau (Arrowsmith and Loughnan)	Awarua 1A 2 West H 3.
2	Moetatua te Whakaheke (R. C. Ongley)	" 3D 3 No. 12.
3	"	" 3D 3 No. 13.
4	Pehira Kingi (R. C. Ongley)	" 3D 3 No. 13.
5	J. McTaggart (Arrowsmith and Loughnan)	" 3D 3 No. 17C 1.
6	Rutakau Warena Hunia	Te Kokomutu (Parewanui).
7	Kuripapango Hakopa (Arrowsmith and Loughnan)	Motukawa 2A 2.
8	Rangiapoia Waikari (Currie and Jack)	Ngaurukehu A 10 2B.
9	Neha te Kakahi (for Parekotuku te Oro)	Ngapakahi 1L.
10	Tukaioira te Kotuku and another	" 2A 1.
11	Hiraka Rongonui	" 2A and 3.
12	Hoone Reweti and others	Ohinepuhiawe 140B.
13	Piripi Ropiha (Burnett, McBeth, and Brown)	Parewanui 2.
14	Ruta Ngawai Warena	Raetihi.
15	Tetau Ngaparaki	Te Reureu 1.
16	Hinepoto Ahihau (Treadwell, Gordon, and Brodie)	" 1, Section 11.
17	Kumeroa and others	" 1, " 11 and 25.
18	Pipi Iwikau (Currie and Jack)	" 1, " 2B, 14, 19, and 21.
19	Wairoa Rangihoupa and another (Burnett, McBeth, and Brown)	" 1, " 23.
20	President Aotea District Maori Land Board	" 1, " 32.
21	Pare Hammond (Currie and Jack)	" 1, " 34.
22	Roka Merehana (Broadfoot and Finlay)	" 2B 1.
23	Caroline G. Thompson (Broadfoot and Findlay)	" 2B 2.
24	Matetahora Ngaheke	" 2 and 3.
25	President Aotea District Maori Land Board	" 3B.
26	Hakaraia te Katoa and others	" 3B.
27	Keeni Paranihi (R. G. M. Park)	" 4.
28	Kumeroa Rui te Naki and others	Taurewa 4 North.
29	Piripi Ropiha (Burnett, McBeth, and Brown)	Tawaroa 1.
30	Riripeti Rakatoetoe and others (Currie and Jack)	" 1C.
30A	Morehu Poto (Currie and Jack)	Te Reureu 1 No. 15.

APPLICATION UNDER SUBSECTION (1) OF SECTION 27 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
31	Kumeroa Hinepoto (Treadwell, Gordon, and Brodie)	Te Reureu 1 Nos. 11 and 25	Application to have partition orders dated 20th March, 1917, amended.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
110	Rawiri Mate Parae (J. M. Hussey)	Te Mate Parae Piwhara.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
111	{Te Watikena Herewini {Poihaere Tuhoro	Te Reureu 2 and 3B. Orahiri P.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 15 OF THE RATING AMENDMENT ACT, 1910.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
112	Oroua County Council (Sandilands and Elliott)	Applying to the Court to enforce the charge of £79 2s. 7d., being rates payable by the Native owners in respect of the following land: All that piece or parcel of land situate in the Wellington Land District, known as Reureu No. 1, and containing 2,092 acres, more or less, comprised in partition order of the Native Land Court.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
			£ s. d.	
113	The Chief Surveyor, Wellington	Te Reureu 1 No. 2A	7 2 6	12 March, 1918.
114	"	" 1 No. 2B	12 12 6	12 " 1918.
115	"	" 1 No. 23B	11 11 0	20 May, 1918.
116	"	" 1 No. 23C	4 14 5	20 " 1918.
117	"	" 1 No. 23D	16 11 7	20 " 1918.
118	"	" 1 No. 33A	0 12 6	20 " 1918.
119	"	" 1 No. 33B	15 6 0	20 " 1918.
120	"	" 2B 1	14 12 10	20 " 1918.
121	"	" 2B 2	5 7 9	20 " 1918.
122	"	" 2B 3A	3 3 9	20 " 1918.
123	"	" 2B 3B	16 5 10	20 " 1918.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Wellington.

Office of the Ikaroa District Native Land Court, Wellington, 24th August, 1918.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Wellington on the 13th day of September, 1918, to hear and determine the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which application has been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.
 [Ikaroa, 1918-25.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
41	Potete Nopera (Menteath and Ward)	Nopera Manupiri.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Picton.

Registrar's Office, South Island District, Wellington, 24th August, 1918.
 NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Picton on the 24th day of September, 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.
 On completion of the work here the Court will adjourn to Nelson.
 [South Island, 1918-8.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Pirihira Ngamiro (P. Macdonald)	Block I 7B (part), Arapawa Survey District.
2	"	Block II 7A, Arapawa Survey District.
3	Hector Love	Block XVIII 101A, Gore Survey District.
4	Eparaima Taki and others	Kaiwhare 14.
5	Rangi Kawiwini Matangi (P. Macdonald)	Oamaru 3.
6	"	Waikawa 2c 2.
7	Hane Jacobs and others	Wairau Block XII 3B.
8	Tahua Watson	" 8B.
9	Te Ua H. Thoms and others	Wairewa 887.

APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
10	Kaiherau Tamati	Mokonui 2	Meripona Tamati.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE OF LAND.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
11	Heni Keepa Nitana Matenga and another	Waikawa Village 39. " 2c 2.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 130 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
12	Hector Love	Waikawa Village 5, 9, 13, and 22	Asking for consolidation of interests.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 141 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.	Nature of Application.
13	Timothy Watson	Karira Tahuaroa ..	Asking to be awarded an interest in the estate of the said deceased.
14	Warena Stephens	Hemi Matenga ..	Asking for an order for payment to him, on behalf of Reuben Stephens and Konebu Stephens, both minors, of moneys directed by an order dated the 9th June, 1914, to be set aside out of the estate of said deceased for the maintenance and support of the said minors.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 121 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
15	Hama Hamuera	Orakauphamu 26B ..	Asking for the cancellation of the existing partition order and for the making of a new order in lieu thereof.

APPLICATIONS FOR ADOPTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Names of Parents.
16	Mere Hare Rore	Hare Rore	Te Hemoata and Werawera.
17	Riwai Love	Arawhata Love ..	Utiku Love.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
18	Utiku Tanerau	Ani Mutu Hohepa.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
19	Chief Surveyor, Nelson ..	Rangitoto 5B 1 ..	£ s. d. 1 0 0	25 May, 1918.
		" 5B 2 ..	7 18 1	25 " 1918.
		" 5B 3 ..	47 2 5	25 " 1918.
		" 8A ..	5 6 5	25 " 1918.
		" 8B 1 ..	32 10 8	25 " 1918.
		" 8B 2 ..	14 11 9	25 " 1918.
		" 8B 3 ..	26 11 1	25 " 1918.
		" 8B 4 ..	40 18 1	25 " 1918.
		" 8B 5 ..	1 0 0	25 " 1918.
		" 10A 1 ..	4 5 3	25 " 1918.
" 10A 2 ..	24 12 9	25 " 1918.		

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 28th August, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board to be held at Wellington on Wednesday, the 18th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1918/47	Mortgage ..	12 September, 1917	Muhunua No. 3A No. 1E No. 1, Sub. 5	Mohi Newira Nikitini to Dugald McDonald Bryce (Buddle and Anderson).
2	1918/51	Lease ..	23 February, 1918 ..	Horowhenua XI B 35B ..	Riria Peene, Hori Wirihana, Rewi Hirihana, Wirihana Wirihana, Kingi Kingi Wirihana, and Ngakina Kingi Wirihana to Grey Filmer Phillips (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
3	1918/134	Transfer ..	1 May, 1918 ..	Puketotara Nos. 334-5, Sub. 9A	Irihape te Hori, Renata te Hemara, Ruruhira Pitihira, Te Wiri Pitihira, Roto te Rangi, Haeana, Wi Hemara, Hoterini te Hemara, Rutu te Hemara, Inia te Rangi, and Pihuhua Tamati to John William Dewis (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
4	1918/135	.. ..	26 June, 1918 ..	Ngarara West A 31B ..	Hui Hone to Isabel Hughes Field (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
5	1918/137	.. ..	14 May, 1918 ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4B 1c 2	Mihipeka Ihakara to Francis May Drake (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
6	1918/138	.. ..	11 .., 1918 ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4B 4b, Lot 18	Winia Paora to Harriet Drake (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
7	1918/139	Lease ..	26 June, 1918 ..	Ngarara West A 31B ..	Uinga Hona and Amo Hona to Isabel Hughes Field (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
8	1918/177	Transfer ..	18 July, 1918 ..	Taita 57, Sub. 8 ..	Kipa Manu, Maru Pakahiwi, Manu Konga, and Tamate te Kapua to Ernest William Geisen (Meek and Von Haast).
9	1918/180	.. ..	31 .., 1918 ..	Tahoraite 2A, Section 32E	Aperata Takana to William Murray (R. H. Robertshawe).
10	1918/181	.. ..	29 .., 1918 ..	Rakautatahi No. 4 ..	Tangaru Tuhua and Wikitoria Anaru to James McKenzie (R. H. Robertshawe).
11	1918/182	Lease ..	26 March, 1918 ..	Tutaeparikete No. 1A and No. 2	Hare Reweti Tangahoe and Taku Ropata (Menteath and Ward).
12	1918/183	Transfer ..	20 .., 1918 ..	Horowhenua XI B 30 ..	Ngapera Taueki to Grey Filmer Phillips (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
13	1918/184	.. ..	8 April, 1918 ..	Ngarara West A 28 ..	Amopiria Tuku to Isabel Hughes Field (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
14	1918/185	.. ..	18 July, 1918 ..	Horowhenua XI B 36 3F No. 1	Teoti te Hau to Gertrude Winifred Wilson Newman (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
15	1918/186	.. ..	21 August, 1918 ..	Takapuwahia D No. 1A, Section 1B	Ruta Rene to Hohua Rawiri Puaha Prosser (Morison and Smith).
WAIKARAPPA APPLICATIONS.					
16	1916/301	Transfer ..	6 July, 1916 ..	Pukengaki No. 18 ..	Taare Turi to William Marshall Jury (Gawith and Logan).
17	1917/236	Lease ..	.. ..	Te Oreore No. 2, Sub. 2B	Ngawhiro Marakaia to James William McLauchlan (S. J. Moran).
18	1918/11	.. ..	14 December, 1917...	Waikekeno 4B ..	Martha Matupuku, or Matha Asher to Henry Peterson Harrison (Tate and Thompson).
19	1918/77	.. ..	6 March, 1918 ..	Papawai No. 19 ..	Ropata Heketa Manihera to Jonathan Taylor Tilson (Tate and Thompson).
20	1918/140	.. ..	20 May, 1918 ..	Taratani B No. 1D No. 1	Manuera Ngatuere to John and Emily Udy (S. J. Moran).
21	1918/144	.. ..	28 .., 1918 ..	Turanganui No. 2J ..	Rakai Tamihana to Matiu Ahipene (Gawith and Logan).
22	1918/187	Transfer ..	13 August, 1918 ..	Whakotomotomo No. 2 ..	Rangi Tuanui Tamihana and Ema te Maari Tamihana to Grace Allison Stackwood (Gawith and Logan).

Meeting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 24th August, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Tokerau District Maori Land Board will be held at Rawene on Friday, the 20th day of September, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

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

L. A. TEUTENBERG, Registrar.

[Tokerau, 1918-7.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	2385	Transfer ..	17 June, 1916 ..	Mangapupp B 5 ..	Ngaronoa te W. Kingi Hori and others to L. F. King.
2	2890	" ..	9 May, 1917 ..	Rawhitiroa No. 2 ..	Maki Riki and others to Gladys May Lisle.
3	2919	" ..	10 " 1917 ..	Te Karaka G ..	Matu Mataika and others to G. J. M. Irvine and another.
4	2924	" ..	26 April, 1915 ..	Pukehuia 2D 1 ..	Hone Mete Rewi and others to John Whitefield, jun.
5	2990	" ..	16 January, 1918 ..	Waima North A 11 (part) ..	Tipene Makiri, <i>alias</i> Ngatitoro Makiri, to John Maxwell.
6	2991	Lease ..	19 May, 1917 ..	Whakanekeneke 4B ..	Paki Mita Hanara to James Maurice Lewis.
7	2992	" ..	16 January, 1918 ..	Wairere 2F 4A (part) ..	Ngatitoro Makiri, <i>alias</i> Tipene Makiri, to Harry Blundell.
8	2993	" ..	25 " 1918 ..	Whakanekeneke No. 5 (part) ..	Henare Eruera to Murdock Frazer.
9	2994	Transfer ..	22 February, 1918 ..	Whakakoro B 2B ..	Akinihi Karaihe and others to Alexander Geddes.
10	2411	" ..	13 June, 1916 ..	Waipoua 2A 1D (part) ..	Tane Hohaia and others to Robert Cromwell Kerr.
11	2643	Sale ..	11 January, 1917 ..	Whakarapa No. 12 ..	Himi Matiu Rapira and others to Rameka Morunga.
12	3013	Transfer ..	27 April, 1918 ..	Whakakoro A (H.K.) ..	Kahi Tipene and others to M. F. D. Lisle.
13	3014	" ..	1 May, 1918 ..	" F 5C 2B (part) ..	Kahi Tipene to M. F. D. Lisle.
14	3039	" ..	28 December, 1917 ..	Hauturu 1C 2 ..	Nohoriri Paea and others to William George Kendall.
NEW APPLICATIONS.					
15	2999	Transfer ..	20 March, 1918 ..	Te Tio A 1B ..	Hone Paraea to Samuel Wincote King.
16	3022	Lease ..	12 " 1918 ..	Apipara 8B ..	Mere Rewi to Herepete Mare.
17	3023	" ..	17 May, 1918 ..	Kareponia 2A 3 ..	Wharangi Hare Matenga to Jessie Subritzky.
18	3024	Transfer ..	4 " 1916 ..	Pukehuia 2C 2 ..	Rameka Eruera and others to John Whitefield, jun.
19	3025	" ..	16 March, 1918 ..	Waihou A 2B 2 ..	Hori Toe and another to William Whittaker.
20	3026	" ..	8 January, 1918, and 12 January, 1918 ..	Waima North A 17A (part) ..	Hone Romana and others to Thomas Norman Brocas.
21	3057	" ..	7 June, 1918, &c. ..	Ahipara No. 71 ..	An' Mapere and others to Nopera Areno.
22	3058	" ..	1 April, 1918 ..	Waiwhatawhata 1A 3A ..	Huihana Pene Kahi and others to William Mayne Bryers and others.
23	3059	Lease ..	22 June, 1918 ..	Whakatare-Manawakaiaia B 36 ..	Pea Katete to Christian Jensen.
24	3060	Transfer ..	22 February, 1918 ..	Paihia 1F 2 (part) ..	Rora Atama to Henry Wm. Cleary, Roman Catholic Bishop of Auckland.
25	3062	Right of way ..	22 April, 1918 ..	Whiwhero B 3B ..	Henare Kingi and others to the Leyland O'Brien Timber Company (Limited).
26	3068	Transfer ..	9 May, 1918 ..	Te Pupuke B (part) ..	Thomas Davis to John William Hayes and another.
27	3070	Lease ..	3 August, 1918 ..	Mangawhero O ..	Matu to Robert John Nisbet.
28	3075	Transfer ..	12 August, 1918 and 13 August, 1918 ..	Konoti B 1 South-East A 4 ..	Kingi Wi Hare Reweti and another to Frank Thomas.
29	3076	" ..	13 July, 1918 ..	Motukaraka West A 6 (part) ..	Waata Hoani to Annice Elena Gundry.
30	3077	" ..	25 " 1918 ..	Taikarawa A (part) ..	Himiona Ramira to Duncan R. Dysart.
31	3078	Lease ..	28 June, 1918 ..	Whakarapa No. 12 ..	Atiria Matiu Rapira and others to Rameka Morunga.
32	3079	" ..	27 October, 1917 ..	Utakura 2B 1D 12 ..	Ihaperu Raipo to Gilbert Morrough Bernard.
33	3080	Transfer ..	17 April, 1918 ..	Waihou A 6B 1A ..	Te Hauauru Raihe and others to Hohepa Heperi.
34	3081	Lease ..	17 " 1918 ..	" A 6B 2 ..	Hauauru Raihe to Hohepa Heperi.
35	3082	Transfer of lease ..	30 July, 1918 ..	Whakanekeneke A 2B (part) ..	Fred Heperi to Hohepa Heperi.
36	3083	Lease ..	17 April, 1918 ..	Waihou A 6B 3 ..	Wi Peri Raihe to Hohepa Heperi.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS—<i>continued.</i>					
37	3084	Transfer	19 July, 1918	Whakanekeneke A 2B	Ani Ngakete and another to Alfred Faithfull.
38	3087	"	15 August, 1918	" No. 2	Paikaraihe Hapeta to A. T. Sturge.
39	3088	"	10 February, 1917	Waimamaku B 2D 2 (part)	Miri Reupena to Peka Barnes.
40	3089	"	5 October, 1916	Whakakoro F 5A (part)	Maraea Ngawaka Karaihe to Alexander Geddes.
41	3090	"	"	Whakanekeneke 7A (part)	Muriwai Hepehi to H. S. Robinson.
42	3091	"	26 August, 1918	Mangamuka East 1B 3B	Annie Mander to Francis Jacentho and another.
43	2938	"	11 " 1917	" West 3s 2c	Kato Hapeta to Valentin Augustin Abraham.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS			
44	2734	Utakura 2D No. 11	That the said land be revested in the Native owners.
45	2950	Mangapupu B No. 5 Block	That the said land be sold to Louis Frank King for the price or sum of £1 10s. per acre.
46	2356	Waima North A 19B	That the said land be leased to Henry Faithfull for the term of fifty years at a rental of 1s. 6d. per acre for the first twenty-five years and 5 per cent. on the Government valuation for the balance of the term.
47	2418	" A 13B	That the said land be sold to Cuthbert Lloyd Dobson, of Ohaeawai, at £2 per acre or the amount of a special Government valuation, whichever be the greater amount.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
48	3061	Tuhuna No. 1c	That the land be sold to Alfred Dobbs, of Kaikohe, farmer, for the sum of £1 per acre or at the present Government valuation, whichever be the greater.
49	3066	Tautehere 2B 3	That the said land be leased to Rameka Morunga and Paki Ripia for a term of fifty years at a rental of 1s. 3d. per acre per annum for the first twenty-five years, and an annual rental equal to 5 per cent. of the unimproved Government valuation during the second twenty-five years.
50	3069	Te Touwai B 35B	That the said land be leased to Robert Warlow Shepherd, Albert Edward Shepherd, and John Amos Atwell, of Whangaroa, farmers, for the term of twenty-one years at a rental of £7 per annum.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 96 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
51	3041	Waima North A No. 2	Charles Bryers (Hare Paraea).
52	3064	Otakanini G 1	Te Raraku Hami Tawaewae.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Name of Applicant
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
53	3085	Motatau 2, Section 48B	Tau Henare.
54	3086	" 2, " 49B	Tau Henare and Peene Henare.
55	3092	Parengarenga 5B No. 2	Manga Wiki.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATION.			
56	1764	Opanake No. 2K 2Y	That the said land be transferred to Wiremu Rikihana by way of gift.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
57	2725	Paerata No. 2	That the said block be sold to Wilfred Francis Ward for the sum of £3 per acre or the amount of the Government valuation.
58	2966	Utakura 2B 1D No. 11	That the land be sold to G. Bernard at the amount of the Government valuation, but for not less than £1 per acre.

Meeting of the South Island District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 26th August, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule, hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the South Island District Maori Land Board to be held at Picton on Wednesday, the 25th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the Board will allow.

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	1917/53	Transfer ..	27 December, 1916	Hitaua D ..	Alveston Norton, Catherine Norton, Elizabeth Norton, Harriet Paterson, Harry Norton, Manuel Norton, Thomas Norton, and Timothy Norton to Eva Catherine Jane Derbyshire (D. R. Hoggard).
2	1917/76	.. ..	1 September, 1917	Te Pangu No. 3c ..	John Arthur and Henry Arthur to Henry Heberley (D. R. Hoggard).
3	1918/12	Lease ..	23 April, 1918 ..	Kenepuru, part 7A and part 7B	Pirihira Ngamiro to John Augustine Pyle (J. A. Pyle).
4	1918/18	Transfer ..	.. ..	Wairau Native Reserve, part Section 26	Tahua Watson to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).
5	1918/19	.. ..	.. ..	Wairau Native Reserve, Common D	Hoani Makitanara and Hapareta Rore (trustees) to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).
6	1918/20	.. ..	.. ..	Wairau Native Reserve, Section 27	Tapata Wiremu to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).
7	1918/21	.. ..	.. ..	Wairau Native Reserve, part Section 25	Tuiti Makitanara to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).
8	1918/67	Lease ..	8 August, 1918 ..	Wairau Native Reserve, 7B No. 1A and 1B	Hera Hoani to Wiremu Tapata (Wiremu Tapata).
9	1918/69	.. ..	27 July, 1918 ..	Waikawa Villiage, Section 15B	Wiremu Takurua to Arapata Kai-raheko Tanerau (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
10	1918/70	.. ..	23 August, 1918 ..	Te Hora, Section 32A, Subs. 6A 1, 6A 2A, and 6A 2B	Kipa Hemi Whiro to Bertie Osgood Field (T. F. Relling).
11	1918/71	.. ..	17 .. 1918 ..	Orakauhamu 26B 2C ..	Mere Makitanara to Charles Forrest Hart (T. F. Relling).

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whakapoungakau 3B No. 3 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"(1.) That a proposed alienation of portion of the land by way of sale to Arthur Wallace shall be agreed to.

"(2.) That a proposed alienation of portion of the land by way of sale to William Henry Smith shall be agreed to."

Dated at Rotorua this 17th day of August, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tauri Nos. 3B and 3c will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

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

Dated at Rotorua this 16th day of August, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Tutukau West B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

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

Dated at Rotorua this 16th day of August, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Heruiwi 4A No. 2B will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

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

Dated at Rotorua this 16th day of August, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi 6L 2B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

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

Dated at Rotorua this 16th day of August, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rotomahana-Parekarangi 6L 2B No. 5 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

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

Dated at Rotorua this 16th day of August, 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 Waiariki Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Haumingi No. 4 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Rotorua on Friday, the 13th day of September, 1918, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That a proposed alienation of the land by way of lease to Samuel Emery shall be agreed to.”

Dated at Rotorua this 16th day of August, 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 Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Whitianga 2B 16B Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Thursday, the 19th day of September, 1918, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

“That the said land be leased to John Harrison Robson for forty-two years. The first twenty-one years at a rental of 1s. 6d. per acre per annum, and the next twenty-one years at a rental equal to 5 per cent. of the Government unimproved value of the land in 1939. The lessee to have the right to cut and dispose of all timber or timber-trees on the land on payment of a royalty equal to the amount of the Government valuation of the timber on the said land, payable by instalments spread over ten years; or, in the alternative

“That a grant be made to John Harrison Robson of the right to cut and dispose of all millable timber or timber-trees on the said land for a term of fifteen years on payment of a royalty equal to the Government valuation of the timber on the said land. Such grant to contain all necessary and usual rights and conditions.”

Dated at Wanganui this 17th day of August, 1918.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Aotea Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Owhaoko C No. 3 Block will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Hastings on Thursday, the 3rd day of October, 1918, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

“That the said block be sold to Arthur Boyd for the sum of 7s. 3d. per acre.”

Dated at Wanganui this 26th day of August, 1918.

JAS. W. BROWNE,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS TOOMAN, of Warkworth, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 4th day of September, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock.

26th August, 1918.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER JOHN MARSH, of Rotorua, Motor Engineer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Rotorua, on Friday, the 30th day of August, 1918, at 2 o'clock p.m.

22nd August, 1918.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

WHEREAS a dealing has been presented for registration affecting Lease No. 4115, from THE NATIVE OWNERS to CLEMENT BARTLEY, of the block situated in the Orahiri Survey District called Te Kuiti No. 2B Sec-

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tion 14B, comprised in Vol. 35, folio 54, of the provisional Register-book, and evidence produced of the loss of the duplicate of the said lease, now notice is hereby given of my intention to register such dealing at the expiration of fourteen days from the 29th day of August, 1918, without requiring the production of the duplicate lease.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office at Auckland this 23rd day of August, 1918.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 30th September, 1918.

5885. JOHN MAURICE O'CONNOR.—Lot 10 of Allotments 3 and 4, Section 48, City of Auckland, containing 13.2 perches, fronting Hepburn Street. Occupied by Sergeant Lanigan. Plan 9695.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 26th day of August, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 47, folio 51, affecting Rural Section 15361, Block IV, Waimate Survey District, whereof THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional

certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch, this 27th day of August, 1918.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in favour of GEORGE DUNCAN JENKINS, of Kelso, Farmer, for Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Block I, Town of Kelso, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 68, folio 171, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title, as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin, the 23rd day of August, 1918.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 226, subsection (3), of the above Act, that the under-mentioned company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, and unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved:—

1897/23. THE NASEBY DREDGING AND HYDRAULIC SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Dunedin this 21st day of August, 1918.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

TAURANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one thousand pounds (£1,000), authorized to be raised by the Tauranga County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of metalling the main Tauranga-Rotorua Road in the Greerton Special Rating Area, and for quarrying, breaking, carting, and spreading the metal and preparing the road therefor, the said Tauranga County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of four-fifths of a penny in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Greerton Special Rating Area, comprising the whole of the Greerton Special Rating Area,—

Bounded on the north starting at a point on the Kopurerua Stream in line with the centre of Hospital Street, Tauranga; thence along the centre of that street to the Waimapu River; thence on the east from the north-east corner of Section 59, Suburbs of Tauranga, by the Tauranga Harbour and Waimapu River to Section 51, Parish of Te Papa; thence by the eastern boundary of Sections 51, 50, 59, and 54 of said parish to the south-east corner of Section 54 of said parish; thence on the south by the southern boundary of Section 54 aforesaid to Section 253 of said parish; thence on the east by the eastern boundary of said Section 253, and on the south by the southern boundary of said Section 253; thence on the east by the eastern boundary of Sections 255, 256, and 260 of said parish; thence on the south by the southern boundary of Section 260, and on the east by the eastern boundary of said section, and again on the south by the southern boundary of Sections 260, 226, and 222 of said parish; thence on the west by the western boundary of Sections 222 and 221 of said parish, and again on the south by the southern boundary of Section 142 of said parish; thence on the west by the Kopurerua Stream to commencing-point; and including Allotments 1 to 61 inclusive, Suburbs of Tauranga, and Allotments 1 to 294 inclusive, Town and Suburbs of Greerton, and Sections 1, 19, 20, 22A, 22B, 27 to 44 inclusive, 42A, 46 to 51 inclusive, 54, 55, 55A, 57, 59, 60,

142, 206, 216A, 217 to 226 inclusive, 253, 253A, 255, 256, 260, 286, 373, 458, part 523, 524, 527, 529, 530, Parish of Te Papa, in Blocks X, XIII, and XIV, Tauranga Survey District, and Block 2, Otanewainuku Survey District.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Tauranga was hereto affixed this 13th day of August, 1918, in the presence of—

H. SOUTHEY, Chairman.
THOS. LOCHHEAD, Councillor.

I hereby certify that the above resolution is a true copy of and a correct extract from the minutes of the proceedings of the Tauranga County Council as passed at a meeting of the said Council at Tauranga on the 9th day of August, 1918.

493 JOHN H. GRIFFITHS, County Clerk.

WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCIL.

KANAKANAIA No. III LOAN.—RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

Made on the Ninth Day of August, 1918.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,400, authorized to be raised by the Waikohu County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for metalling approximately 1½ miles of the Kanakanaia Road, the said Waikohu County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of eleven thirty-seconds (11/32) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Kanakanaia No. III Special Rating Area, comprising 30,312 acres 2 roods 32-26 perches, of a total rateable value of £105,011 as per ratepayers roll attached; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the first day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waikohu was hereto affixed in the presence of—

L. B. TULLOCK, Chairman.
J. G. APPLETON, Clerk.

I, John Guy Appleton, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution has been made in accordance with law, and that all requirements of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, have been complied with.

J. G. APPLETON, County Clerk.

SCHEDULE.

LIST OF PROPERTIES INCLUDED IN THE RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

Kanakanaia No. III Special Rating Area.

Sec. 3, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Lots 1 and 2, Waingaromia C; Mangaoae 1E 1, 1F 1, 1E 2, 1F 2, 1G, 1H; part Lot 3, Waingaromia 1A, 1B, part 1C; Lot 7, Waipaoa No. 2; part Lot 4, Waingaromia part 1C; part Waitangi South No. 1; part Lot 4, Waingaromia part 1C; part Lot 5, being part Waingaromia B/C; S.G.R. 44A; Kumukouae Block; Hauomatuku 8A; Sec. 5, Block XIII, Waingaromia S.D.; part Lot 5, Waingaromia C; Waihora D, 2A, 2B 2, 2B 1A, part 2C 1; part S.G.R. 42; Hauomatuku 2A, 2B, part 3A 2A, 3B 5, 4C, 9A 3, part 9D 3, part 9D 3; Rangitira 3B 1, 3B 2; Hauomatuku 8D 3, 3B 4, 3A 2A part, 3A 2B; Mangaoae 1D, 1B, 1C; Hauomatuku 3A 1, 3B 1, 3C, 4D, 4E, 9D 1, 9E; Mangaoae 1A; Hauomatuku part 8B, 9C, 9D 2, 4A, 4B 1, 4B 2, 8D 1, 8E, 9A 1, 9F, 9A 2, part 8B, 8C, 8D 2, part 9D 3; Sec. 4, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Mangaoae 1J, 1K; Hauomatuku 7; Mangaoae 2D 3; Paraeroa 2A, 2B, 1; Waihora 2C 2; Mangaoae 2B, 2C, 2D 1, 2D 2; Lot 10, part Rangitira 2; Sec. 1, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Sec. 2, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Hauomatuku part 9D 3, 9B; Sec. 6, Block XIV, Waingaromia S.D.; Sec. 7, Block XIII, Waingaromia S.D.; S.G.R. 45; Lots 1/2, Waingaromia 1C; Hauomatuku 3B 2, 4B 3, 8D 4, part 9D 3, 3A, 2A, 3B 6, 3B 7.

WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCIL.

KANAKANAIA No. IV LOAN.—RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

Made on the Ninth Day of August, 1918.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Waikohu County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for erecting a bridge over the Waihora River, the said Waikohu County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Kanakanaia No. IV Special Rating Area, comprising 27,619 acres 3 roods 29-96 perches, of a total rateable value of £93,295 as per Schedule attached; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waikohu was hereto affixed in the presence of—

L. B. TULLOCK, Chairman.
J. G. APPLETON, Clerk.

I, John Guy Appleton, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution has been made in accordance with law, and that all the requirements of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, have been complied with.

J. G. APPLETON, County Clerk.

SCHEDULE.

LIST OF PROPERTIES INCLUDED IN THE RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

Kanakanaia No. IV Special Rating Area.

SEC. 3, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Lots 1 and 2, Waingaromia C; part Lot 3, Waingaromia 1A, 1B, part 1C; Lot 7, Waipaoa No. 2; part Lot 4, Waingaromia part 1C; part Waitangi South No. 1; part Lot 4, being part Waingaromia 1C; part Lot 5, being part Waingaromia B/C; S.G.R. 44A; Sec. 5, Block XIII, Waingaromia S.D.; part Lot 5, Waingaromia C; Waihora 2A, 2B 2, 2B 1A; part Waihora 2C 1; part S.G.R. 42; Sec. 4, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Hauomatuku No. 7; Mangaoe 2D 3; Paraeroa 2A, 2B, and 1; Waihora 2C 2; Mangaoe 2B, 2C, 2D 1, 2D 2; Sec. 1, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Sec. 2, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Sec. 6, Block XIV, Waingaromia S.D.; Sec. 7, Block XIII, Waingaromia S.D.; S.G.R. 45; Lots 1/2, Waingaromia 1C. 494A

WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCIL.

KANAKANAIA No. V LOAN.—RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

Made on the Ninth Day of August, 1918.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Waikohu County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for erecting a bridge over the Waihora River at Kanakanaia Crossing, the said Waikohu County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one farthing (¼d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Kanakanaia No. V Special Rating Area, comprising 18,352 acres 0 roods 38 perches, of a total rateable value of £63,129 as per ratepayers roll attached; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Waikohu was hereto affixed in the presence of—

L. B. TULLOCK, Chairman.
J. G. APPLETON, Clerk.

I, John Guy Appleton, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution has been made in accordance with law, and that all requirements of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, have been complied with.

J. G. APPLETON, County Clerk.

SCHEDULE.

LIST OF PROPERTIES INCLUDED IN THE RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

Kanakanaia No. V Special Rating Area.

SEC. 3, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; Lots 1 and 2 of Waingaromia C; part Lot 3, Waingaromia 1A, 1B, part 1C; Lot 7, Waipaoa No. 2; part Lot 4, Waingaromia part 1C; part Waitangi South No. 1; part Lot 4, Waingaromia part 1C; part Lot 5, being part Waingaromia B/C; Sec. 5, Block XIII, Waingaromia S.D.; part Lot V, Waingaromia C; part S.G.R. 42; Sec. 4, Block X, Waingaromia S.D.; 1 of X, 2 of X, 6 of XIV, 7 of XIII, Waingaromia S.D.; S.G.R. 45; Lots 1/2, Waingaromia S.D. 494B

FOXTON HARBOUR BOARD.

EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A MEETING HELD ON THE 4TH DAY OF JULY, 1918, AT 11.45 P.M.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it by the Foxtton Harbour Board Amendment Act, 1917, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of all other Acts and powers it in that behalf enabling, the Foxtton Harbour Board resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and sinking fund and other charges on a loan of sixteen thousand pounds (£16,000), authorized to be raised by the Foxtton Harbour Board, under the before-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of (1) the payment by the said Foxtton Harbour Board to His Majesty the King of the sum of five thousand pounds (£5,000) for the transfer of the lands and assets mentioned in section 8 of the Foxtton Harbour Board Amendment Act, 1917; and (2) the construction and purchase of a dredge, and the construction and performance of the works (or any of them) authorized by section 9 of the Foxtton Harbour Board Amendment Act, 1917, the said Foxtton Harbour Board hereby makes and levies a differential special rate on the capital value of all rateable property within the following areas, comprising the Foxtton Harbour District, of the fractional part of a penny in the pound sterling set opposite the name of each of such areas respectively—viz., Manawatu County, 3/80ths; Kairanga County, 1/80th; Palmerston North Borough, 3/100ths; Feilding Borough, 3/200ths; Levin Borough, 1/40th; Foxtton Borough, 21/80ths.

And that such differential special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six (36) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Foxtton Harbour Board was hereto affixed at the office of and pursuant to a resolution of the Foxtton Harbour Board, in the presence of—

P. J. HENNESSY, Chairman.
W. BOCK, Secretary.

We hereby certify that the above is a true copy of and a correct extract from the minutes of proceedings of the Foxtton Harbour Board at the meeting above mentioned, and that the same was gazetted in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the 29th day of August, 1918, page 3101.

P. J. HENNESSY, Chairman.
W. BOCK, Secretary.

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ELSTOW DRAINAGE BOARD.

ELSTOW No. 2 SPECIAL RATING AREA.—SPECIAL LOAN OF £5,000.—RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL INTEREST RATES.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Elstow Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest on a special loan of £5,000, authorized to be raised by the Elstow Drainage Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for widening, deepening, and improving present watercourses and drains, and constructing new watercourses and drains, and contingencies and engineering charges in connection therewith, within the Elstow No. 2 Special Rating Area of the Elstow Drainage District, the Elstow Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate (on a graduated scale according to the classification list of the lands in the said Elstow No. 2 Special Rating Area) of thirteen-sixteenths of one penny in the pound on the rateable value of all property in Class "A," eleven-sixteenths of one penny in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in Class "B," and nine-sixteenths

of one penny in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in Class "C," all of which classes and the lands therein, together with their rateable values as appearing on the valuation roll of the district, are set out in the classification list of the Elstow No. 2 Special Rating Area; and that such special rates shall be annually recurring rates during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of September and the first day of March in each and every year during the currency of the loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Boundaries of Special Rating Area.

All that area comprising the Elstow Drainage District as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* under date 29th March, 1917, page 1120.

Dated at Waihou this 17th day of August, 1918.

W. R. JOHNSON,
Clerk, Elstow Drainage Board.

I hereby certify that the above resolution was passed at a meeting of the Elstow Drainage Board properly constituted and held at Waihou on Saturday, the seventeenth day of August, 1918. In testimony whereof the common seal of the Elstow Drainage Board is hereto affixed, set and impressed in the presence of—

J. A. CLOTHIER, Chairman.
V. G. R. HAMILTON, Trustee.

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CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

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

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

That, for the purpose of providing for payment of interest, sinking fund, and charges in respect of the loan of fifteen thousand pounds (£15,000) raised by the Board in connection with the tramway undertaking installed for the benefit of the St. Martin's Special Rating Area, and for providing for the repayment to the Board of the sum of six hundred and seven pounds one shilling and sevenpence (£607 ls. 7d.), being the amount of deficiency under section 2, subsection (i), of the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1912, for the year ending the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, in respect of the said tramway undertaking installed for the benefit of the St. Martin's Special Rating Area, the said Christchurch Tramway Board doth hereby fix a special rate of 0.6d. in the pound (being a special rate of 0.595d. in the pound in respect of the said interest and sinking fund, and a special rate of 0.005d. in the pound in respect of the balance of the said deficiency, including charges) upon the rateable value of all rateable property according to the capital rateable value thereof of and in the St. Martin's Tramway Special Rating Area as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, at pages 724 and 725; and that such special rate of 0.6d. in the pound be payable on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

And, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers aforesaid, the said Christchurch Tramway Board doth hereby further resolve that the Christchurch City Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, for and on behalf of the Board, to make, levy, and collect the said special rate of 0.6d. in the pound as aforesaid in respect of the said rateable property in that part of the said St. Martin's Tramway Special Rating Area as lies within the jurisdiction of the said Christchurch City Council; and that the Heathcote County Council be and it is hereby directed and authorized, on behalf of the Board, to make, levy, and collect the said special rate of 0.6d. in the pound as aforesaid in respect of the said rateable property in that part of the said St. Martin's Tramway Special Rating Area as lies within the jurisdiction of the said Heathcote County Council.

The above special order was made at a special meeting of the Board called for that purpose on the 15th day of July, 1918, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting held this 12th day of August, 1918.

FRANK THOMPSON,
General Manager and Secretary,
Christchurch Tramway Board.

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WAIROA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A MEETING HELD ON THE 12TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1918.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Wairoa Borough Council Bridge Loan, £1,500, 1918, authorized to be raised by the Wairoa Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of paying the Council's proportion of costs for redecking the Wairoa Bridge, widening the drawspan of same, and for flood-protection works, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Wairoa Borough; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of September during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

The common seal of the Wairoa Borough Council was hereto affixed at the office of and pursuant to a resolution of the Wairoa Borough Council, in the presence of—

JOHN MAYO, Mayor.
R. T. ESTHER, Clerk.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, GRACE STEVENSON, Bachelor of Medicine and of Surgery, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 15th August, 1918, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

GRACE STEVENSON, M.B., Ch.B.

Dated at Dunedin 15th August, 1918.

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In the matter of a Bill intituled "An Act to authorize the Supreme Court during the life of John Donald Macfarlane, a Mental Patient, found lunatic on inquisition, now an inmate of the Ashburn Hall Private Mental Hospital, Dunedin, Otago, to grant administration of his estate as if he were dead on the date of the coming into operation of this Act, so as to bring his Will into immediate operation and to make provision out of his estate for his maintenance and comfort during the remainder of his natural life, and also for the payment of the expenses of this Act, and also to provide that for all purposes of such administration and of the distribution of his estate all his six children shall be deemed to be alive on the said date."

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of the Legislature Act, 1908, relating to Private Estate Bills, and of the Standing Orders of the General Assembly of New Zealand relating to Private Bills, that application will be made to the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled at its next session on behalf of—

MARGARET HART MACFARLANE, of Hawkswood, Amuri, Canterbury, New Zealand, Wife of the said JOHN DONALD MACFARLANE: and

JOHN FREDERIC MACFARLANE, of Hawkswood aforesaid, Sheep-farmer, HUGH MILLER MACFARLANE, DOUGLAS GRAHAME MACFARLANE, and WALTER ANGUS MACFARLANE, all three of Hawkswood aforesaid, Sheep-farmers, now absent from New Zealand on active service as members of His Majesty's New Zealand Expeditionary Force (Mounted Rifles), and FLORENCE AGNES MACFARLANE and ANNE RUTH MACFARLANE, both of Hawkswood aforesaid, Spinsters, being the four sons and two daughters and being all the children of the said John Donald Macfarlane,—

for leave to introduce a Bill to be intituled "An Act to authorize the Supreme Court during the life of John Donald Macfarlane, a Mental Patient, found lunatic on inquisition, now an inmate of the Ashburn Hall Private Mental Hospital, Dunedin, Otago, to grant administration of his estate as if he were dead on the date of the coming into operation of this Act, so as to bring his Will into immediate operation and to make provision out of his estate for his maintenance and comfort during the remainder of his natural life, and also for the payment of the expenses of this Act, and also to provide

that for all purposes of such administration and of the distribution of his estate all his six children shall be deemed to be alive on the said date."

By the said Bill it is intended to authorize the Supreme Court and any of the Judges thereof, during the life of John Donald Macfarlane, of Hawkswood, Amuri, Canterbury, New Zealand, Sheep-farmer, now a Mental Patient, found lunatic on inquisition by the said Supreme Court, and now an inmate and patient in the Ashburn Hall Private Mental Hospital, near Dunedin, Otago, New Zealand, an institution duly licensed for the reception, custody, care, and treatment of mental patients, to grant administration of his estate as if he were dead or had died on the date of the said proposed Act coming into operation, so as to bring his Will (if any) made by him while he was still of testamentary capacity into immediate effect and operation.

By the said Bill it is also intended, if and in case the said John Donald Macfarlane shall not actually and in fact be dead or die on the date of the coming into operation of the said Act, to make provision out of his estate for his maintenance and comfort during the remainder of his natural life.

By the said Bill it is also intended to make provision out of the estate of the said John Donald Macfarlane for the payment of the expenses of the preparing, promoting, and passing through Parliament of the said Bill and of all things and matters incidental thereto.

And by the said Bill it is also and lastly intended to provide that for all purposes of the administration and of the distribution of the estate of the said John Donald Macfarlane all his six children—namely, his four sons and his two daughters—hereinbefore mentioned shall be deemed to have been and to be alive on the date of the coming into operation of this Act, and to have survived their father the said John Donald Macfarlane.

A copy of the proposed Bill will be deposited at the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders, Wellington, New Zealand, on or before the 8th day of October, 1918.

Dated at Christchurch this 22nd day of August, 1918.

For the petitioners.

J. F. MACFARLANE,
A. R. MACFARLANE,
Two of the petitioners.

H. D. ANDREWS, Solicitor for the Bill. 500

AWATERE COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of two thousand pounds (£2,000), authorized to be raised by the Awatere County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for building a bridge and making approaches thereto, over the Awatere River at the Medway Crossing, the said Awatere County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of twenty-nine seventy-seconds (29/72) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in a special rating area comprising part Lot 2, D.P. 344, part Lot 1, D.P. 474, Blocks V, IX, X, Blue Mountain S.D.; Blocks I, XXI, Hodder S.D.; and closed roads, Lot 3, D.P. 474, Blocks IX, X, XI, XV, XVI, Blue Mountain S.D.; and closed roads, part Lot 2, D.P. 344, part Lot 5, D.P. 345, and land D.P. 632, Blocks V, VI, VII, XII, Blue Mountain S.D.; and closed roads, part Lot 6, D.P. 346, part Lot 7, D.P. 347, Blocks II, XII, XVI, XVII, Blue Mountain S.D.; Blocks II, III, Whernside S.D.; and closed roads, Upper Awatere Riding, Awatere County. And that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

We hereby certify that the above resolution was duly passed at a meeting of the Awatere County Council held at the Council Chambers, Seddon, on 1st August, 1918.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Awatere County was hereto affixed at the office of and pursuant to a resolution passed by the Awatere County Council on the first day of August, 1918, in the presence of—

EVERARD A. WELD, Chairman.
GEO. HORN, Clerk.

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DANNEVIRKE COUNTY COUNCIL.

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1908, and the Public Works Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Dannevirke County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, a public road in the Dannevirke County; and for the purpose of such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken.

And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken is deposited at the office of the Dannevirke County Council at Dannevirke, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during reasonable hours.

All persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such lands, who have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said lands, must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the clerk of the said County Council at his office in Dannevirke.

THE SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of land to be taken: 3 roods 11 perches. Portion of Mangapuaka No. 1c, situated in Block III, Mangatoro Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.).

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on a plan approved by the Chief Surveyor at Napier and marked 394, green, and thereon coloured pink.

Dated this 9th day of August, 1918.

R. BAKER,
Clerk, Dannevirke County Council.

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WELLINGTON LOAN COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at a general meeting of the above-named company held at Wellington on the 5th day of August, 1918, the following special resolution was passed by the requisite majority of members, and at a subsequent general meeting held at Wellington on the 20th day of August, 1918, the said resolution was duly confirmed by the requisite majority of members, viz.:—

"That the company be voluntarily wound up."

And notice is further given that GEORGE E. GODBER, of Grey Street, Wellington, has been appointed Liquidator of the company.

YOUNG, NEAVE, AND COURTNEY,
Solicitors for Company.

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UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Education Board of the District of Wellington requires to take all that piece of land situate in and being the Section No. 88 on the plan of the City of Wellington, for a public work—namely, a public school within the meaning of the Education Act, 1908.

And notice is hereby given that a plan of the said land is open for inspection at the offices of the said Board in Mercer Street in the City of Wellington, and at the Mount Cook Boys' School in the said city.

All persons affected by such taking are hereby required to set forth in writing well-grounded objections to the execution of such work or the taking of such land, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said Board.

Dated this 22nd day of August, 1918.

By order of the Education Board of the District of Wellington.

G. L. STEWART, Secretary.

Note.—This notice was first published on the 23rd August, 1918. 504

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the voluntary winding-up of the PAKURUA SAWMILLING COMPANY (LIMITED).

I, JAMES CHRISTIE, of Auckland, in the Provincial District of Auckland and Dominion of New Zealand, Financial Agent, do hereby solemnly and sincerely declare—

- (1.) That an extraordinary general meeting of the company was held on the 15th day of August, 1918, at Auckland.
- (2.) That the resolution mentioned in the annexed notice marked "A" was duly passed at such meeting.

(3.) That Walter Henry Armstrong, of Auckland aforesaid, Solicitor, was duly appointed Chairman of the said meeting.

(4.) That I was present and saw the said Walter Henry Armstrong sign the said notice hereto annexed, and that the signature set and subscribed to the said notice is of his proper handwriting.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and under and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand intituled the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JAMES CHRISTIE.

Declared at Auckland this 24th day of August, 1918, before me—G. W. L. Robinson, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand.

“A.”

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-mentioned company duly convened and held at Auckland on the 15th day of August, 1918, the following resolution was duly passed:—

“That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908; and that JAMES CHRISTIE, of Auckland, Financial Agent, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

Dated this 24th day of August, 1918.

W. H. ARMSTRONG, Chairman.

Witness—G. W. L. Robinson, Solicitor, Auckland. 505

WAITEMATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,185, authorized to be raised by the Waitemata County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of completion of construction, metalling, and improvement generally of roads within the Waipareira Riding of the County of Waitemata, the said Waitemata County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixteenth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the said Waipareira Riding; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first days of July and January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a minute of the Waitemata County Council passed at a meeting of the said Council held on the 16th day of August, 1918.

506 C. A. CAWKWELL, County Clerk.

WHAKATANE COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.—£250, TANEATUA HALL LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £250, authorized to be raised by the Whakatane County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the following purposes,—

- (1.) £200 of such loan for enlarging and generally improving the Taneatua Hall;
- (2.) £50 of such loan for installing a new system of lighting in the Taneatua Hall;

the said Whakatane County Council, in addition to appropriating and pledging the Council's estate and interest in the said hall and the land on which it is erected, and also the net revenue accruing from the letting or use of the said hall, does hereby make and levy an annually recurring special rate of 1/25d. (one twenty-fifth of a penny) in the pound on the capital value of all rateable property in the “special rating area,” comprising all that piece of land starting at the north-west corner of Lot 361, Waimana Parish, Block V, Whakatane Survey District; thence along the northern

boundary of Allotment 1, Block V, Whakatane Survey District; across the road to the Whakatane River; thence south-west along the Whakatane River to the boundary-line between Allotments C and O, Lot 31, Rangitaiki Parish, Block IV, Whakatane Survey District; thence north-west along the northern boundary of Lot 31 O, Rangitaiki Parish, to the road; thence south-west along the road to where it junctions with the road going north-west; thence along the northern boundary of Lot 32, Block VIII, Whakatane Survey District, to where the western road turns south; thence along the western road to its termination at the boundary of Lot 41, Block XII, Whakatane Survey District; thence east along the northern boundary of Lot 41 to the road; thence south-west along the road to the south boundary-line of Lot 41B; thence east along the southern boundary of Lot 41B to the Whakatane River, continuing across the Whakatane River along the block-line to the south-east corner of Allotment 5, Block XIII, Whakatane Survey District; thence going north to Trig. H, from Trig. H west and north to the Waimana Road; thence south-east along the Waimana Road to the junction of the Waingarara Road; thence north along the Waingarara to the south-east corner of Lot 345A, Waimana Parish, Block IX, Whakatane Survey District; thence north along the eastern boundary of Lot 345A; thence west along northern boundary of Lots 345A, 342, 331, to the eastern boundary of Lot 8, Block IX, Whakatane Survey District; thence north along the eastern boundary of Lots 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, Block IX, Whakatane Survey District; also north along the eastern boundary of Lot 1, Block V, Whakatane Survey District, to the starting-point.

And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of ten years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

We hereby certify that the above resolution is a correct extract from the minutes of proceedings of the Whakatane County Council duly passed at an ordinary meeting held on the 8th day of August, 1918.

Whakatane, 8th August, 1918.

W. REID, County Chairman.

H. R. ROBINSON, County Clerk.

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WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND AND CLOSE A ROAD.

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1908, and the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Waikohu County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the formation of a road; and for the purposes of such public work the lands described in the First Schedule hereto are required to be taken; and, further, that it is proposed to close the portions of road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

Notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken and closed is deposited in the public office of the clerk to the said Council, situated at Te Karaka, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours.

All persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking or closing of such lands, who have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking or closing of the said lands, must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the County Clerk at the Council Chambers, Te Karaka.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of land required to be taken: 5 acres 2 roods.

Being portion of Paraeroa No. 2B, situated in Block XIII, Waingaromia Survey District, County of Waikohu (Poverty Bay Registration District).

Shown on plan marked 894, brown; coloured red on plan.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of road required to be closed:—

A. R. P.

0 3 17.6, adjoining or passing through Paraeroa No. 2B.

0 3 19.6 " Hauomatuku No. 7.

Situated in Block XIII, Waingaromia Survey District, County of Waikohu (Poverty Bay Registration District).

Shown on plan marked 894, brown; coloured green on plan.

Dated at Te Karaka this 28th day of August, 1918.

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J. G. APPLETON, County Clerk.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

WHANGAREI TIMBER COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, JAMES EDMUND HOLMES and DONALD ALEXANDER McLEAN, as Saw-millers and Timber-merchants, carried on at Whangarei under the style of "The Whangarei Timber Company," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 30th day of June, 1918.

All debts due to and owing by the late Partnership will be received and paid respectively by the said DONALD ALEXANDER McLEAN, who will carry on business in Partnership with WILLIAM HENRY BEEHRE under the same style or firm-name as heretofore.

Dated this 17th day of August, 1918.

JAMES EDMUND HOLMES.

Witness to the signature of James Edmund Holmes—
Hugh C. Rishworth, Solicitor, Whangarei.

D. A. McLEAN.

Witness to the signature of Donald Alexander McLean—
Hugh C. Rishworth, Solicitor, Whangarei. 509

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