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Crown Land set apart for Disposal by way of Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Hawke's Bay Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 7, Block XVI, Mangaharuru Survey District: Area, 28 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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 nineteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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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.

SECTION 6, Clifford Settlement: Area, 312 acres 1 rood 33 perches.

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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 nineteenth day of October, 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 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.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—DIXON SETTLEMENT.

SECTION 2A, Block IV, Waitohu Survey District, Muhunoa 1B: Area, 60 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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 nineteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—MONTE CRISTO SETTLEMENT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—NEW RIVER HUNDRED.

	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 1s	Area, 106	0	0
" 2s	" 117	0	0
" 3s	" 112	0	0
" 4s	" 110	0	0

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Right Honourable Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, Member of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 nineteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Declaring Crown Land in the Westland Mining District, Nelson Land District, open for Disposal on Renewable Lease.

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

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-three of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor-General, by Proclamation, may from time to time declare any Crown lands within any mining district not held under lease or license, or for which a lease or license has been cancelled, to be open for disposal, as provided in section one hundred and thirty-five of the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-three of the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the section of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open on Wednesday, the eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, for disposal on renewable lease, as provided in section one hundred and thirty-five of the said Act; and I do also declare that for the purposes of section one hundred and twenty-seven of the said Act the section of land described in the Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be heavy-bush land.

And I do hereby provide that, after the first half-years' rent has been paid by the selector, the further instalments of rent payable by him for a period of four years shall not be demanded; provided that if at any time during the first five years of his occupancy the selector disposes of his interest in the land the rent so conceded shall be paid by him in full, and thereupon the Land Board may remit such instalments of rent payable by the incoming tenant, not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of rent previously conceded to the selector, as the Board thinks fit.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—MURCHISON COUNTY.—MATIRI SURVEY DISTRICT.—WESTLAND MINING DISTRICT.

(Exempt from Rent for Four Years.)

Second-class Heavy-bush Land.

SECTION 9, Block XV: Area, 297 acres; capital value, £340; half-yearly rent, £6 16s.

All hill country; land of good quality, suitable for pastoral purposes. Originally covered with birch bush, but fires have destroyed a large portion, and the burnt area is now coming up in fern. Six miles and a half from Murchison—three miles dray-road and balance bridle-track. Altitude, 900 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level.

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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 nineteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Closing Roads adjoining Sections 131a, 134a, and 135a, Matata Parish, Auckland Land District.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section four of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering 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 the roads described in the Schedule hereto to be closed, such roads being formerly

river-bank roads situated within the district defined in the Schedule to the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of each of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	
7	0	25	adjoining Section 134A.
16	3	17	" 131A.
5	3	0	" 134A.
8	0	0	" 135A.

Coloured on plan: Green.

Situated in Matata Parish, Block III, Upper Rangitaiki Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 15/11, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, 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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 nineteenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking the Reservation over a Scenic Reserve in the Wellington Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by Proclamation dated the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of that month, the land described in the Schedule hereto was declared to be a reserve under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908:

And whereas the said land is no longer suitable for scenic purposes by reason of the destruction of the bush thereon:

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 conferred upon me by section eight of the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, do hereby revoke the reservation for scenic purposes over the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 15, Block X, Makotuku Survey District: Area, 8 acres 2 roods 16 perches.

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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, Governor-General and Commander-in-Chief in and over His Majesty's Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies; and issued under the Seal of the said Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this seventeenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

F. H. D. BELL,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VII, Onewhero Survey District, Raglan County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consents of the owners and mortgagees of the land described in the First Schedule hereto, and of the Raglan County Council, being the local authority in whose district the said land is situated, proclaim as a road the land in Onewhero 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.	
1	2	36	portion of Section 172; coloured vermilion.
0	2	23	" 180 " purple.
2	2	14	" 179 " yellow.
2	2	0	" 178 " blue.
3	3	19	" 177 " red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	21.8	adjoining or passing through Section 172.
2	2	17.7	" 180.
3	0	22	" 179.
3	1	30.9	" 178.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Onewhero Parish, Block VII, Onewhero Survey District. (S.O. 19788.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44607, 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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 fourteenth day of October, 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 Roads in Blocks VI and X, Whangara Survey District, Cook County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

And whereas the Cook 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 roads; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the sixteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of	
8	0	30	Whangara B No. 1, Blocks VI and X; coloured red	
3	0	13	Whangara G, Block X; coloured pink.	
0	0	6	" G " " pink.	
0	0	15 77	" G " " pink.	
4	0	32 7	" H 4 " " pink.	
0	1	36	" H 5 " " purple.	

Situated in Whangara Survey District (Poverty Bay R.D.).

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44962, 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, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, Member of the Royal Victorian Order, Knight of Grace of the Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, 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 October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. FRASER,
Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 14 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909, the Governor-General may issue a Proclamation that such land has become Crown land:

And whereas the purchase of the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

PARIHAKA No. 32 Block: Approximate area, 130 acres 0 roods 5 perches; Cape Survey District.

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to be Crown Land under Section 14 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909, the Governor-General may issue a Proclamation that such land has become Crown land:

And whereas the purchase of the Native land set out in the Schedule hereto has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

ORAKEI No. 1, Reserve A, Block: Approximate area, 1 acre 1 rood 15 perches; Rangitoto Survey District.

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

W. H. HERRIES,
Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending Regulations for Trout and Perch Fishing within the Acclimatization Districts of Marlborough, North Canterbury, Ashburton, South Canterbury, Waimate, and Waitaki, composed of the Counties of Sounds, Marlborough, Kaikoura, Amuri, Cheviot, Ashley, Selwyn, Akaroa, Mount Herbert, Ashburton, Geraldine, Levels, Mackenzie, Waimate, and Waitaki, and the Boroughs and Town Districts situated therein.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the twenty-first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 78, of the twenty-second day of the same month, regulations were made for that part of the South Island of New Zealand comprised within the Counties of Sounds, Marlborough, Kaikoura, Amuri, Cheviot, Ashley, Selwyn, Akaroa, Mount Herbert, Ashburton, Mackenzie, Geraldine, Levels, Waimate, Waitaki, Vincent, Maniototo, Waihemo, Waikouaiti, Peninsula, Taieri, Tuapeka, Bruce, Clutha, Lake, Southland, Wallace, and Stewart Island, and the boroughs and town districts situated therein (hereinafter called "the Southern Acclimatization District"):

And whereas the said regulations were amended by Order in Council dated the tenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 124, of the twelfth day of the same month:

And whereas it is desirable to revoke the said regulations of the tenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and to make other regulations in lieu thereof:

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 eighty-three of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of all other

powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said regulations of the tenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and doth make the following regulations in lieu thereof to have force and effect within the Counties of Sounds, Marlborough, Kaikoura, Amuri, Cheviot, Ashley, Selwyn, Akaroa, Mount Herbert, Ashburton, Geraldine, Levels, Mackenzie, Waimate, and Waitaki, and the boroughs and town districts situated therein, which compose the Acclimatization Districts of Marlborough, North Canterbury, Ashburton, South Canterbury, Waimate, and Waitaki.

REGULATIONS.

1. No cross-line fishing, stroke hauling, or any other unsportsmanlike device shall be used for the purpose of taking, catching, or killing salmon, trout, or perch, nor shall any bait be used with any medicated or chemical preparation whatever.
2. It shall be unlawful for any person to fish with more than two flies, or one fly and one minnow, or one fly and one natural bait, or two natural baits affixed to any trace. No fly shall have more than one hook, and it shall not be lawful to use more than one lead or sinker, and such lead or sinker must be tied above all flies, minnow, or natural bait used.
3. It shall be unlawful to use any wire, either plain or twisted, or gyp trace of a greater gauge than 21 standard wire gauge. It shall be unlawful to use any wire or gyp trace of a greater length than 6 ft.
4. Provided that these regulations shall not apply to single-hooked flies size 10 old numbers or smaller, or to wire traces not exceeding 28 standard wire gauge.
5. The penalty for breach of any of these regulations shall not be less than £2 nor more than £50.

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

cancelling a Condition as to setting back the Building-line of Portion of Duncan Terrace, Kilbirnie, in the City of Wellington, imposed by an Order in Council under Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1905.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three, subsection one, of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, enacted that when by an Order in Council issued in pursuance of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1905, as amended by section three of the Public Works Act Amendment Act, 1906, conditions have been imposed with respect to the building-line in the case of any street or road exempted from the provisions of those sections, the Governor-General may from time to time by Order in Council, on the application of the local authority having control of that road or street, amend the first-mentioned Order in Council by cancelling or varying the conditions imposed thereby, and any such cancellation or variation may extend to the whole or to any part or parts of the said road or street :

And whereas by an Order in Council dated the twenty-first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 92, page 3119, of the twenty-fourth day of the same month, exempting Duncan Terrace, Kilbirnie, in the City of Wellington, from the provisions of section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1905, a condition was imposed "that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of the said street within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said street" :

And whereas the Wellington City Council, the local authority having control of the said street, has made application that the said Order in Council be amended by cancelling the condition subject to which the said street was exempted in so far as such condition affects the portion of Duncan Terrace situated between Crawford Road and Naughton Terrace : And whereas it is considered expedient that such application should be granted :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in

this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend the said Order in Council by cancelling the condition as to setting back the building-line in so far as such condition affects the portion of Duncan Terrace situated between Crawford Road and Naughton Terrace, as shown on the plan marked P.W.D. 44798, 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.

Amending the License authorizing the New Plymouth Borough Council to use Water from the Waiwakaiho River for the Purpose of generating Electricity and to erect Electric Lines within the Borough of New Plymouth and the Taranaki County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, that the Governor-General may, by Order in Council gazetted, make regulations prescribing the conditions on which any license may be issued under the said section :

And whereas by an Order in Council dated the fourteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the seventeenth day of the same month, the New Plymouth Borough Council was authorized to use water from the Waiwakaiho River for the purpose of generating electricity and to erect electric lines within the Borough of New Plymouth and the Taranaki County, subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule thereto (hereinafter called the "said conditions") :

And whereas it is expedient to amend the said license by revoking portion of clause forty-nine of the said conditions :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and of every other power in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke so much of clause forty-nine of the said conditions as affects the following words—viz., "but such by-laws shall not be enforceable until approved by the Minister."

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

The Western Side of Barbour Street, in the City of Christchurch, 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-second day of October, 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 a 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, and clause (b) of subsection one of section thirteen of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, 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 may refer to one or both sides of the road or street :

And whereas the Christchurch City Council, the local authority having control of the said portion of street described in the Schedule hereto, hereinafter referred to as the said portion of street, has passed the following resolution—

viz., "The Christchurch City Council, being the local authority having control of Barbour Street in the City of Christchurch, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the west side of the said street":

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the western side of the said street:

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 Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the said resolution to the extent hereinbefore mentioned.

SCHEDULE

THE western side of all that portion of street, situated in the Canterbury Land District, City of Christchurch, known as Barbour Street, commencing at its junction with Ferry Road, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction to its termination in the vicinity of the Lyttelton Railway line. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44821, 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 Portion of the Marakopa River to Mahoenui Road, in the Awakino County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Auckland Land District, Awakino County, known as the Marakopa River to Mahoenui Road, commencing at its junction with the Te Kuiti - Mokau Road, and proceeding thence generally in a northerly direction, adjoining or passing through Mahoenui No. 1 B Block, Sections 2, 3, and 4, Block II, Awakino East Survey District, and part Section 1, Block XIV, Maungamangero Survey District, and terminating at peg marked 4 miles 14 chains near the south-eastern corner of the said Section 1, Block XIV, Maungamangero Survey District; being a distance of 4 miles 14 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44988, 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 Portions of a Road in Block VII, Oteramika Hundred, to be a Government Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifteenth day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared a Government road: 2 acres 2 roods 29.5 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Crown land situated in Block VII, Oteramika Hundred (Southland R.D.).

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 44960, 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.

Declaring Section 2, Block III, Te Mata Survey District, Raureka Settlement, Hawke's Bay, to be vested in His Majesty in pursuance of Section 31 of the Valuation of Land Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirty-one of the Valuation of Land Act, 1908, it is provided that if the owner of any land (other than the owner of a leasehold interest therein) is not satisfied with the value of such land as fixed by the Assessment Court, he may, within fourteen days after the hearing by the Assessment Court, give notice to the Valuer-General that he requires the capital value to be reduced to the amount specified in the notice, or the land to be acquired on behalf of His Majesty at the sum specified in the notice:

And whereas it is further provided by the said section thirty-one that the Valuer-General may either reduce the capital value or may refer the matter to the Governor-General in Council, and that if the Governor-General in Council approves of the acquisition of the land at the sum specified in the said notice, then the Governor-General may, by Order in Council gazetted, declare the land to be vested in His Majesty:

And whereas the owner of the fee-simple of the land known as Section 2, Block III, Te Mata Survey District, Raureka Settlement, Hawke's Bay, containing an area of 23 acres 2 roods 29 perches, gave notice to the Valuer-General in terms of and within the time specified by section thirty-one of the Valuation of Land Act, 1908, that he required the capital value of the said land to be reduced to the sum of two thousand one hundred pounds, or the land to be acquired on behalf of His Majesty at that sum:

And whereas the Valuer-General has referred the matter to the Governor-General in Council:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by section thirty-one of the Valuation of Land Act, 1908, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the acquisition of the said land at the sum of two thousand one hundred pounds, and doth declare the said land to be vested in His Majesty.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 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 owners thereof:

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing 1,543 acres 1 rood, more or less, and known as Mangamuka East No. 3B Block, situate in the Maungataniwha Survey District, in the Auckland Land District.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Makarewa Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the tenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, a Domain Board was appointed to control the Makarewa Domain:

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

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

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

JOHN KALLM,
FRANK WALDRON,
JAMES SOAR,
GORDON BAIRD,
CHARLES COOK, and
JOHN WILLIAM GEDNEY

as from the twenty-sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, to be the Makarewa Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Schoolhouse, Makarewa, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

MAKAREWA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 13 acres 0 roods 18 perches, more or less, being Section No. 1, Block VIII, Town of Makarewa. Bounded towards the north by Flora Road, 690 links; towards the east by Section 2 in the said block, 1901 links; towards the south by Section 10 in the said block, 690 links; and towards the west by Minerva Road, 1901 links;

be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1094, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Fairlie Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twelfth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, a Domain Board was appointed to control the Fairlie Domain:

And whereas the period for which the said Board was appointed expired on the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen:

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

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

JOHN CASKEY,
WALTER CLOSE,
THOMAS FODEN,
JOHN ROBERT LACK,
WILLIAM JAMES ORMANDY,
CHARLES JOHN TALBOT,
HUBERT WELSH,
WILLIAM WREFFORD, and
EUSTACE SAUNDERS,

as from the tenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, to be the Fairlie Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Friday, the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Fire Brigade Station, Fairlie, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

FAIRLIE DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 29 acres 2 roods, more or less, being reserve numbered 2755 (in red), Block VII, Tengawai Survey District. Bounded north-eastward by the River Opihi; south-eastward by Rural Section 35416; south-westward by rural sections numbered 21121, 22280, and 20810; and north-westward by Annandale Road. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1134, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Whatawhata Domain.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor-General may

from time to time, with respect to any public domain, appoint such persons (not exceeding nine) as he thinks fit to be a Domain Board having, subject to Part II of the said Act, control of such domain:

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM DONALD LAXON,
WILLIAM MAWHINNEY,
ALEXANDER LIVINGSTONE,
JAMES SUTTON,
FRANK SNELL,
THOMAS GRANT, and
JOHN HARRY SANDOS,

as from the fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, to be the Whatawhata Domain Board, having the control of the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Act; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the sixteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at half past seven o'clock p.m. as the time when, and the Whatawhata School as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

WHATAWHATA DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres, more or less, being Sections 71 to 78 inclusive, and 81 to 88 inclusive, Suburbs of Whatawhata. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 270, Pukete Parish; towards the south-east by a public road; towards the south-west by a public road; and towards the north-west by a public road. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 1446/1, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

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

Fixing Date of First Meeting of Matire Domain Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council issued under the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, on the twentieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and published in *Gazette* of the twenty-second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, a Domain Board was appointed to control the Matire Domain, and the first meeting of the Board was fixed for Thursday, the twelfth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at eight o'clock p.m.:

And whereas the first meeting was not held on the date fixed, and it is expedient to fix a new date for such meeting:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby appoint Thursday, the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the residence of Mr. J. Langman, Matiere, as the place where, the first meeting of the Matire Domain Board shall be held.

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

Licensing Messrs. King Bros. to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Kotuiti, Opuā, Bay of Islands, as a Site for a Wharf.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), Messrs. George Edward King and Henry Charles King, of Opuā, Bay of Islands, trading under the style or title of King Bros. (hereinafter called "the licensees"), have applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the said Act to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Kotuiti, Opuā, Bay of Islands, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4984, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in order to erect and maintain a wharf thereon: And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the said wharf will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan marked M.D. 4984 has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor-General in Council: And whereas it is desirable that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensees for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto necessary for the erection and maintenance of the said wharf; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. IN these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark occupied by the said wharf, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4984.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensees shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £1, in advance, dating from the date hereof, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensees being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. All persons shall at all reasonable times, and upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. His Majesty or the Governor-General, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said wharf without payment.

6. The licensees shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at their own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring them, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, they shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensees to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of

the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensees and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the date thereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensees shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensees three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister, and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand.

12. The licensees shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on their part.

13. In case the licensees shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in either of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General without any notice to the licensees or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensees, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

14. The erection of the said wharf shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensees of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing Patrick Orchard to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Whale Island, Bay of Plenty, as a Site for a Landing-stage.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), Patrick Orchard, of Whakatane (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the said Act to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Whale Island, Bay of Plenty, in order to erect and maintain a landing-stage thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited plans (sheets 1 and 2) in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 4966) showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the said landing-stage:

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plans have, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor-General in Council:

And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act, for the purposes aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of

the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark on which the said landing-stage is to be erected as shown on the plan M.D. 4966 (sheet 1) so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said landing-stage, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. IN these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of the said landing-stage, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 4966 (sheet 1).

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensee shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £1, in advance, dating from the date hereof, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. All persons shall, at all reasonable times, and upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said landing-stage and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. His Majesty or the Governor-General, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, over, and out of the said landing-stage without payment.

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned landing-stage in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at his own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved by the Minister.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said landing-stage and view the state of repair thereof, and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such landing-stage, requiring him, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the landing-stage, he shall, with all convenient speed, cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs or any regulations of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said landing-stage shall be taken away by the licensee and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand.

12. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said landing-stage may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

13. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;

- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said landing-stage for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Fail to pay the sum specified in clause 3 of these conditions; or
- (4.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law in force for the time being relating to bankruptcy,—

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

14. The erection of the said landing-stage shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Public Service Act, 1912, not to apply to certain Officer.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifteenth day of October, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section four of the Public Service Act, 1912, it is enacted that nothing in that Act shall apply to any officer or class of officers to whom or to which, on the recommendation of and for special reasons assigned by the Commissioner, the Governor-General in Council declares that the said Act shall not apply: And whereas the Commissioner has recommended that the said Act should not apply to the officer described in the Schedule hereto for the special reasons assigned by him :

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 declare that nothing in the Public Service Act, 1912, shall apply to the officer described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Department: Crown Law Office.
Name or class of officer: Law draftsman.

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

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 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 upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

KATERE No. 4 Block: Approximate area, 34 acres 2 roods 10 perches; Paritutu Survey District.

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

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SCHEDULE.

ORAKEI No. 1 Reserve B Block: Approximate area: 1 acre 0 roods 14 perches; Rangitoto Survey District.

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

Revoking the Naturalization of John Cicela.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this twenty-second day of October, 1918.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS letters of naturalization were issued to John Cicela on the fifteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and five: And whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that it is expedient for the welfare of the Realm to revoke the naturalization of the said John Cicela :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Revocation of Naturalization Act, 1917, 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 declare that the naturalization of the said John Cicela shall be revoked, and that the said John Cicela shall cease to be a British subject naturalized in New Zealand as from the first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

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

Streams in Auckland Land District notified under the Timber-floating Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the second section of the Timber-floating Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify that the undermentioned streams may be used under license for the purposes of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

The Kauparera Stream and an unnamed stream running through Old Land Claim 12, Russell Survey District, Bay of Islands County.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Waiuku Public Cemetery appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

JAMES DEERNESS CHALMERS,
CHARLES JOHN HOSKING, and
WILLIAM SOMMERVILLE

to be trustees, in the place of John Hood, John Scott, and Caleb Hosking, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Waiuku Public Cemetery, in conjunction with John Thomas McNamara, William Joseph King, Alfred Martyn Barriball, William Hickey, and William Claude Motion, previously appointed.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands

Lands temporarily reserved in the Taranaki and Nelson Land Districts.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 36 perches, more or less, being Section 62, Hua Village, Block II, Paritutu Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section 64, in the aforesaid village, 93 links; towards the east by Section 63, in the aforesaid village, 327 links; towards the south-east and south by King Street, 279 and 22.2 links; and towards the south-west and west by Nugent Street, 22.2 and 400 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/217, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink. For a gravel depot.

All that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 38 perches, more or less, being Section 101, Oakura Township, Block II, Wairau Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Section 104 in the aforesaid township, 234 links; towards the east by Sections 102 and 103 in the aforesaid township, 256 links; towards the south by Wairau Road, 252 links; and towards the west by McKellar Street, 163 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/217A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink. For a gravel depot.

All that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre, more or less, being Section 34, Okato Township, Block VI, Cape Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by Section 30 in the aforesaid township, 501 links; towards the north-east by Section 35 in the aforesaid township, 200.54 links; towards the south-east by Section 38 in the aforesaid township, 501.25 links; and towards the south-west by Cumming Street, 200.75 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/217B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink. For a gravel depot.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 10 acres, more or less, being Section 6, Block

IX, Hope Survey District. Bounded towards the north generally by part Section 74, Block IX aforesaid, 563 and 256.7 links; towards the east by part Section 74 aforesaid, 1485.2 links; towards the south generally by a public road, 291.1, 445.7, and 335 links; and towards the west by part Section 74 aforesaid, 886.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/1/219, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a resting-place for travelling stock.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Districts under the Poisons Act, 1908, constituted.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

WHEREAS it is expedient to abolish the districts assigned to the Registrars appointed under Part I of the Poisons Act, 1908, and to constitute other districts in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by Part I of the Poisons Act, 1908, doth hereby abolish the said districts as at present constituted under the said Act, and in lieu thereof doth hereby constitute the districts with the names and descriptions as set forth in the Schedule hereto; and also doth hereby direct that the Registrar of each such district shall have an office at the town or place mentioned in the second column of such Schedule opposite the name of the district.

SCHEDULE.

Name and Description of District.	Place of Registrar's Office.
Auckland District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Bay of Islands, Whangarei, Kaipara, Auckland, Waikato, Taumarunui, Thames, Waihi, Coromandel, Tauranga, and Bay of Plenty as at present constituted	City of Auckland.
Hawke's Bay District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Waiapu, Cook, Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, and Waipawa as at present constituted	Borough of Napier.
Taranaki District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Taranaki, Stratford, Hawera, and Patea as at present constituted	Borough of New Plymouth.
Wellington District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Wellington, Wanganui, Palmerston North, and Wairarapa as at present constituted	City of Wellington.
Marlborough District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Wairau and Picton as at present constituted	Borough of Blenheim.
Nelson District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Nelson, Buller, and Inangahua as at present constituted	City of Nelson.
North Canterbury District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of North Canterbury, Ashburton, and South Canterbury as at present constituted	City of Christchurch.
Westland District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Westland and Grey as at present constituted	Borough of Hokitika.
Otago District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Waitaki, Vincent, Otago, and Maniototo as at present constituted	City of Dunedin.
Southland District.—All that area comprising the hospital districts of Southland and Wallace and Fiord as at present constituted	Borough of Invercargill.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Public Health.

Patent Office appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by section one hundred of the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1911, I, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the ground floor of the Justice Department Building, Lambton Quay, Wellington, to be the Patent Office under and for the purposes of the said Act.

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

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

*Honorary Consul of Switzerland at Auckland appointed.*Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 16th October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that he has been informed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies that the King's Exequatur empowering

WALTER JOHN PUGH, Esquire,

to act as Honorary Consul of Switzerland at Auckland has received His Majesty's signature.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Appointment of Representative to Patea Hospital and Charitable Aid Board.*Public Health, Hospitals, and Charitable
Aid Department,
Wellington, 17th October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES HENRY JOHNSON,

of Patea, under section 15 of the Hospital and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, to represent the Waverley Town District on the Patea Hospital and Charitable Aid Board.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Public Health.

*Appointment of Analyst under the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908.*Department of Public Health,
Wellington, 17th October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

CEDRIC STANTON HICKS, M.Sc.,

to be an Analyst under section 3 of the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Public Health.

*Appointment of Honorary Vice-Consul of Portugal at Auckland recognized provisionally.*Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 21st October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that, in accordance with instructions from His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies, he has recognized provisionally, pending the receipt of the Exequatur, the appointment of

ALFRED NATHAN, Esquire,

as Honorary Vice-Consul of Portugal at Auckland.

G. W. RUSSELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Member of Hurunui Domain Board appointed.*Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

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

WILLIAM BAMFORD

to be a member of the Hurunui Domain Board, in the place of William Alexander Banks, who has resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

*Member of Brighton Domain Board appointed.*Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

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

DUNCAN MCINTOSH

to be a member of the Brighton Domain Board, in the place of Thomas William Whitson, who has resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

*Crown Lands Ranger for Wellington Land District appointed.*Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 12th October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 29 of the Land Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

JAMES ARCHIBALD RUTHERFURD

to be a Ranger of Crown Lands for the Wellington Land District, as from the 22nd September, 1918.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

[NOTE.—This notice is published in substitution of the one appearing on page 3536 of *Gazette* of the 17th October instant, which contained an error.]

*Member of Licensing Committee appointed.*Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM THOMAS HILDRETH

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wellington, *vice* R. Fletcher, deceased.

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

*Justice of the Peace resigned.*Department of Justice,
Wellington, 18th October, 1918.

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

JOHN SMITH, Esq.,

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

THOMAS M. WILFORD,
Minister of Justice.

*Approval of Juvenile Probation Officer.*Education Department,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

BY virtue of the power vested in me by section 10 of the Statute Law Amendment Act, 1917, I, Josiah Alfred Hanan, the Minister of Education, do hereby notify my approval of the appointment of

ANNA BLACHFORD COX

as a Juvenile Probation Officer.

J. A. HANAN,
Minister of Education.

*Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

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

CLEMENT HOLDSWORTH EGGLETON Murchison.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 23rd October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, and transfers of the undermentioned officers on active service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, *vide* List No. 71, N.Z.E.F. Orders.

AUCKLAND MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant D. S. McCathie, M.C., having been absent from his unit off duty for four months, is seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 23rd June, 1918.

The undermentioned to be Captains. Dated 3rd February, 1918:—

- Lieutenant (temp. Captain) D. S. Manners, *vice* Captain H. L. Wade, placed on the N.Z. Roll, and remains seconded for duty as Staff Captain, N.Z.M.R. Brigade.
- Lieutenant F. Allsopp, *vice* Lieutenant D. S. Manners (promoted and remaining seconded), and remains seconded as a Prisoner of War.
- Lieutenant C. V. Bigg-Wither, *vice* Lieutenant F. Allsopp (promoted and remaining seconded), and retains the appointment of Quartermaster.
- Lieutenant K. J. Tait, M.C. (since killed in action), *vice* Lieutenant C. V. Bigg-Wither, promoted and retaining appointment of Quartermaster.

The undermentioned to be Captains. Dated 23rd March, 1918:—

- Lieutenant G. Hovey, *vice* Captain K. J. Tait, M.C., killed in action, and remains seconded for duty at Administrative Headquarters, N.Z.E.F.
- Lieutenant R. W. Colbeck, *vice* Lieutenant G. Hovey, promoted and remaining seconded.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants:—

- W. Austin, *vice* Lieutenant K. J. Tait, M.C. Dated 3rd February, 1918.
- H. T. Penrhys-Evans, *vice* Lieutenant C. G. R. Jackson, seconded under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 14th March, 1918.
- D. S. McCathie, M.C., *vice* Lieutenant R. W. Colbeck. Dated 23rd March, 1918.

13/183, Sergeant C. H. Finlayson to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 16th June, 1918.

Memorandum.

Lieutenant H. M. Rorke was attached to N.Z. Rarotongan Company from 19th January, 1918, to 19th May, 1918.

CANTERBURY MOUNTED RIFLES.

2nd Lieutenant E. L. Compigne ceases to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 31st May, 1918.

Lieutenant G. J. H. Reid performed the duties of Adjutant from 30th March, 1918, to 29th May, 1918, inclusive.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13, from dates shown:—

- F. L. Murray. Dated 6th June, 1918.
- D. Deans. Dated 21st June, 1918.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

- 7/412, Sergeant J. A. Westera. Dated 19th June, 1918.
- 7/1076, R.S.M. C. D. Hayhurst. Dated 20th June, 1918.
- 7/535, Sergeant (temp. Squadron S.M.) W. D. Griffith. Dated 22nd June, 1918.

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Findlay, C.B., D.S.O., is granted the temporary rank of Colonel while commanding the N.Z.M.R. Brigade, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Brigadier-General) W. Meldrum, C.M.G., D.S.O., Dated 16th May, 1918.

Major P. M. Acton-Adams, D.S.O., is granted the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel whilst commanding the regiment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. Findlay, C.B., D.S.O., temporarily commanding the N.Z.M.R. Brigade. Dated 15th June, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) M. C. Milne, M.C., relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain on ceasing to command a squadron of the N.Z.M.R. Training Regiment. Dated 1st May, 1918.

WELLINGTON MOUNTED RIFLES.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants cease to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 31st May, 1918:—

- G. W. Scott.
- L. V. Bellingham.

Major A. S. Wilder, M.C., having relinquished the appointment of Commandant, Desert Mounted Corps Rest Camp, Port Said, ceases to be seconded. Dated 14th June, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant G. W. Scott to be Signalling Officer, *vice* Lieutenant A. Hall, M.C., killed in action. Dated 31st May, 1918.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants:—

- 11/1057, Sergeant R. F. Scott. Dated 15th June, 1918.
- 11/133, R.S.M. E. E. Scholes. Dated 18th June, 1918.
- 11/1858, Sergeant P. H. Sherratt. Dated 21st June, 1918.

N.Z. CAMEL CORPS.

4/346A, Sergeant W. D. Wilson to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 17th June, 1918.

OTAGO MOUNTED RIFLES.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants are transferred to the squadron from the units, and with the seniority shown. Dated 25th July, 1918:—

- A. A. Delaney, Auckland Regiment. Dated 30th April, 1918.
- E. G. Stewart, Wellington Regiment. Dated 2nd May, 1918.

N.Z. CYCLISTS CORPS.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants are transferred to the corps from the units, and with the seniority shown. Dated 21st July, 1918:—

- E. H. Blomfield, Otago Regiment. Dated 25th April, 1918.
- R. H. Greville, N.Z. Rifle Brigade. Dated 30th April, 1918.
- L. T. Wylie, Auckland Regiment. Dated 30th April, 1918.
- W. E. Randell, N.Z. Rifle Brigade. Dated 30th April, 1918.
- W. H. Yorke, N.Z. Rifle Brigade. Dated 30th April, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant F. L. Bowron ceases to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 18th July, 1918.

N.Z. FIELD ARTILLERY.

2nd Lieutenant R. Nelson, M.C., having been declared by a Medical Board to be unfit for general service within twelve months, is seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 9th July, 1918.

Captain R. Irvine is seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 25th July, 1918.

Captain F. M. Turner, M.C., R.N.Z.A., to be Major, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 36, with seniority next before Major J. G. Jeffery, M.C., to date 10th January, 1918, but with pay and allowances for rank of Major from date of embarkation from New Zealand (namely, 5th May, 1918).

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13, from dates shown:—

- A. O. Wilkinson. Dated 13th July, 1918.
- J. Mayer. Dated 13th July, 1918.
- J. W. Crighton. Dated 13th July, 1918.
- A. J. Flett. Dated 19th July, 1918.
- L. W. Dean. Dated 25th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant F. M. Mitchell to be Lieutenant, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 36, with seniority next before Lieutenant R. E. Looker. Dated 26th February, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) B. A. Todd relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain on ceasing to act as Second in Command of a battery. Dated 26th July, 1918.

Lieutenant W. E. Osborn is granted the temporary rank of Captain, *vice* Captain R. W. Dunn, M.C., attending course of instruction. Dated 28th July, 1918.

Lieutenant E. W. Pearce is granted the temporary rank of Captain, *vice* Captain W. Janson, granted temporary rank of Major. Dated 25th July, 1918.

N.Z. ENGINEERS.

Field Companies.

Major F. W. Skelsey is seconded for training in Ordnance duties. Dated 11th June, 1918.

Captain B. L. R. Reeve to be Major, *vice* Major F. W. Skelsey, seconded. Dated 11th June, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13:—

- H. M. Clark. Dated 16th July, 1918.
- H. A. Foote, M.M. Dated 27th July, 1918.

Signal Services.

Major H. M. Edwards, D.S.O., R.E., having been absent from his unit off duty for four months, is seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 27th July, 1918.

Captain (temp. Major) H. C. Mackenzie, M.C., to be Major, *vice* Major H. M. Edwards, D.S.O., R.E., seconded. Dated 27th July, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) P. B. Cooke, M.C., to be Captain, *vice* Captain (temp. Major) H. C. Mackenzie, M.C., promoted. Dated 27th July, 1918.

4/1077, C.S.M. J. Sawers to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 20th July, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) E. Marsden is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst commanding a section of a field survey battalion, Royal Engineers. Dated 14th June, 1918.

AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

The undermentioned cease to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 18th July, 1918:—

Captain A. G. McGregor.

2nd Lieutenant L. J. Shaw.

2nd Lieutenant E. J. Davenport.

2nd Lieutenant D. G. Slade.

2nd Lieutenant D. A. MacDonald.

Captain D. F. Duigan, M.C., discharged in England, is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force. Dated 31st July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant A. A. Delaney is transferred to Otago Mounted Rifles. Dated 25th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant L. T. Wylie is transferred to N.Z. Cyclist Corps. Dated 21st July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant R. P. Towle is transferred to N.Z. Machine-gun Corps. Dated 31st July, 1918.

The undermentioned are seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 26th July, 1918:—

Captain H. R. Vercoe, D.S.O.

Lieutenant R. Tilsley, M.C., D.C.M.

Captain H. S. Westmacott, from Instructor, Second Army Infantry School, to be Instructor, Officers' and N.C.O.'s Classes, 4th N.Z. Infantry (Reserve) Brigade, *vice* Lieutenant (Acting Captain) C. N. Rabone, N.Z. Rifle Brigade, rejoining his unit, and remains seconded whilst so employed. Dated 31st July, 1918.

Lieutenant R. G. Armitage relinquishes the appointment of a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 15th July, 1918.

Lieutenant R. Tilsley, M.C., D.C.M., returning to New Zealand on duty, relinquishes the appointment of a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 24th July, 1918.

The undermentioned to be Platoon Commanders, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion:—

Lieutenant G. H. Hogg, *vice* Lieutenant R. G. Armitage. Dated 15th July, 1918.

Lieutenant S. Ruddock, to complete Establishment. Dated 17th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant H. C. Smith, to complete Establishment. Dated 29th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant F. Kingsford, to complete Establishment. Dated 22nd July, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13:—

G. Hessel. Dated 22nd June, 1918.

F. J. Cox. Dated 22nd July, 1918.

E. H. Crawford, M.M. Dated 25th July, 1918.

A. W. Gordon. Dated 25th July, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) K. A. Sneddon relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain on ceasing to act as Second in Command of a company. Dated 14th July, 1918.

CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants cease to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 18th July, 1918:—

T. Bell, M.M.

T. J. Mullins.

D. M. Moriarty.

Captain T. E. Y. Seddon, returning to New Zealand for Parliamentary duties, is placed on the N.Z. Roll. Dated 31st July, 1918.

The undermentioned Lieutenants are seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 26th July, 1918:—

R. L. Wilson.

C. A. S. Hind, M.C.

The undermentioned Lieutenants, having been absent from their unit off duty for four months, are seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 19th June, 1918:—

W. M. Hocking.

C. H. Holmes, M.C.

2nd Lieutenant E. R. Guinness to be Officer in Charge "A" Class Details at N.Z. Base Depot, *vice* Captain P. A. Keddell

(to XXII Corps Reinforcement Camp for duty), and is seconded whilst so employed. Dated 16th July, 1918.

Captain S. W. B. Brooker, M.C., from Military Landing Officer, Taranto, remains seconded for duty as a Company Commander at N.Z. Convalescent Hospital, *vice* Captain D. McComish, Auckland Regiment, acting as A.P.M., N.Z.E.F., London. Dated 23rd July, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) C. R. Rawlings, M.C., proceeding overseas, relinquishes the appointment of a Company Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 30th July, 1918.

Captain J. R. Loudon to be Second in Command, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, *vice* Captain E. H. L. Bernau, relinquishing the acting appointment. Dated 22nd July, 1918.

Captain E. H. L. Bernau, to be a Company Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, *vice* Lieutenant (temp. Captain) C. R. Rawlings, M.C. Dated 30th July, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13:—

J. F. McPadden. Dated 13th July, 1918.

R. B. McG. Lucas. Dated 21st July, 1918.

C. L. Meredith-Kaye. Dated 22nd July, 1918.

F. N. Hardey. Dated 25th July, 1918.

Lieutenant T. J. Morrow is granted the temporary rank of Captain, *vice* Lieutenant (temp. Captain) H. Johnston, M.C., to England on duty. Dated 16th July, 1918.

Captain E. H. L. Bernau is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst temporarily employed as Second in Command, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, to date 6th July, 1918, and relinquishes the temporary rank on appointment of Captain J. R. Loudon to be Second in Command. Dated 22nd July, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) R. L. Wilson relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain on ceasing to act as Second in Command of a company. Dated 25th July, 1918.

OTAGO REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant E. H. Blomfield is transferred to N.Z. Cyclist Corps. Dated 14th May, 1918.

Captain D. S. Chisholm, having been absent from his unit off duty for four months, is seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 5th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant J. S. Pryce is seconded for duty with a light trench-mortar battery. Dated 29th July, 1918.

Lieutenant-Colonel G. S. Smith, C.M.G., D.S.O., to temporarily command 4th N.Z. Infantry (Reserve) Brigade, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Brigadier-General) H. Hart, C.M.G., D.S.O., proceeding overseas, and is granted the temporary rank of Colonel whilst so employed. Dated 20th July, 1918.

Lieutenant A. J. Whyte ceases to be a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 10th July, 1918.

Lieutenant J. L. Scoullar to be a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, *vice* Lieutenant A. J. Whyte. Dated 10th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant W. H. Pester to be a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 29th July, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13:—

G. G. Smith. Dated 13th July, 1918.

A. Martin. Dated 13th July, 1918.

F. J. Beechey (since killed in action). Dated 13th July, 1918.

O. R. Olsen. Dated 13th July, 1918.

J. R. Quarton. Dated 24th July, 1918.

A. R. Cockerell, D.S.O. Dated 25th July, 1918.

WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant P. H. G. Bennett, D.C.M., ceases to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 18th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant E. G. Stewart is transferred to Otago Mounted Rifles. Dated 25th July, 1918.

Lieutenant D. H. W. Donaldson, N.Z.S.C., having been declared by a Medical Board to be unfit for general service within twelve months, is seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 16th July, 1918.

Major J. S. Macky is seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 26th July, 1918.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Brigadier-General) H. Hart, C.M.G., D.S.O., from commanding 4th N.Z. Infantry (Reserve) Brigade, to command 3rd N.Z. (Rifles) Brigade, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Brigadier-General) A. E. Stewart, D.S.O. Dated 20th July, 1918.

Lieutenant (Acting Captain) W. G. Salmond, missing, relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Battalion, and the acting rank of Captain. Dated 9th July, 1918.

Lieutenant G. H. Davey relinquishes the appointment of a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion. Dated 31st July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant E. C. Clifton to be a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, *vice* Lieutenant G. H. Davey. Dated 31st July, 1918.

Lieutenant F. W. Medcalf to be a Platoon Commander, 3rd (Reserve) Battalion, to complete Establishment. Dated 10th July, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13 :—

C. A. Le Lievre. Dated 13th July, 1918.

S. F. Burgess. Dated 25th July, 1918.

With reference to the notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 135, of 3rd October, 1918, relating to Honorary Lieutenant W. E. McLeod, *for the words* "Dated 17th June, 1918," read "Dated 12th July, 1918."

The notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 135, of 3rd October, 1918, relating to Lieutenant F. Farrington, is cancelled.

N.Z. RIFLE BRIGADE.

2nd Lieutenant T. H. Jamieson ceases to be seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 18th July, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants are transferred to N.Z. Cyclist Corps. Dated 21st July, 1918 :—

R. H. Greville.

W. E. Randell.

W. H. Yorke.

Lieutenant J. L. H. Kayes is seconded for duty to New Zealand. Dated 26th July, 1918.

The undermentioned Lieutenants, having been declared by a Medical Board to be unfit for general service within twelve months, are seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34 :—

S. E. Senior, M.C. Dated 2nd July, 1918.

E. Hulbert. Dated 16th July, 1918.

Lieutenant C. A. Caigon, having been absent from his unit off duty for four months, is seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 27th June, 1918.

Lieutenant-Colonel (temp. Brigadier-General) A. E. Stewart, D.S.O., relinquishes the command of 3rd N.Z. (Rifles) Brigade. Dated 17th July, 1918.

Lieutenant (Acting Captain) C. N. Rabone relinquishes the appointment of Instructor, Officers' and N.C.O.s' Classes, 4th N.Z. Infantry (Reserve) Brigade, and the acting rank of Captain, and ceases to be seconded. Dated 31st July, 1918.

Captain A. L. McDowell, M.C., to be a Company Commander, 5th (Reserve) Battalion, to complete Establishment. Dated 24th July, 1918.

The undermentioned relinquish their appointments as Platoon Commanders, 5th (Reserve) Battalion :—

2nd Lieutenant R. O. C. Marks, D.C.M. Dated 10th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant J. V. M. Cauty, M.M. Dated 27th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant J. S. B. Bruges. Dated 31st July, 1918.

Lieutenant T. H. Torode. Dated 15th July, 1918.

Lieutenant A. L. Martin, M.C. Dated 12th July, 1918.

The undermentioned to be Platoon Commanders :—

Lieutenant F. K. Pearce, *vice* 2nd Lieutenant R. O. C. Marks, D.C.M. Dated 10th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant T. W. Bell, *vice* 2nd Lieutenant J. V. M. Cauty, M.M. Dated 27th July, 1918.

Lieutenant C. C. Best, M.C., to complete Establishment. Dated 16th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant F. W. Parry, to complete Establishment. Dated 29th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant E. Hulbert to be Lieutenant, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13. Dated 24th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant G. B. Brunton is granted the temporary rank of Captain whilst holding the appointment of Assistant Instructor, Second Army Central School. Dated 13th July, 1918.

Major (temp. Lieutenant-Colonel) N. F. Shepherd relinquishes the temporary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel on return to duty of Lieutenant-Colonel W. S. Austin, D.S.O. Dated 3rd July, 1918.

The undermentioned are granted the temporary rank of Captain :—

Lieutenant G. R. Jamieson, *vice* Captain W. F. Fowlds, M.C., appointed to command a company. Dated 24th July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant L. R. Nicholas, *vice* Captain J. L. McAlister, M.C., detached for duty as an Instructor, Third Army School. Dated 24th July, 1918.

Lieutenant H. A. Ellingham, *vice* Captain H. W. Kennedy, M.C. Dated 12th July, 1918.

N.Z. MAORI (PIONEER) BATTALION.

With reference to the notification published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 93, of 27th June, 1918, relating to Captain C. W. Salmon, D.C.M., N.Z. Maori (Pioneer) Battalion, *for the words* "with seniority from 14th February, 1918," read "with seniority from 22nd June, 1918."

N.Z. MACHINE-GUN CORPS.

2nd Lieutenant R. P. Towle is transferred from Auckland Regiment with seniority from 12th June, 1917, next before 2nd Lieutenant T. B. Lock. Dated 31st July, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant T. B. Lock, having been declared by a Medical Board to be unfit for general service within twelve months, is seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34. Dated 9th July, 1918.

The undermentioned, having been absent from their unit off duty for four months, are seconded, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 34 :—

Lieutenant H. W. Shackelford. Dated 27th June, 1918.

2nd Lieutenant (now Lieutenant) W. G. Hastie. Dated 28th April, 1918.

Lieutenant H. T. Morton is seconded for special duty to America. Dated 25th July, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) A. C. Hinman to be Captain, and is appointed to command N.Z.M.R. Brigade Machine-gun Squadron, *vice* Captain R. P. Harper, D.S.O., M.C., D.C.M., placed on the N.Z. Roll. Dated 22nd May, 1918.

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, under provisions of N.Z.E.F. Regulation 13 :—

L. H. L. Maclean. Dated 19th June, 1918.

W. Cobb. Dated 1st July, 1918.

E. C. Granger. Dated 13th July, 1918.

W. R. King. Dated 13th July, 1918.

F. C. De Lambert. Dated 13th July, 1918.

S. C. Beasley, M.C. Dated 15th July, 1918.

N.Z. ARMY SERVICE CORPS.

Captain (temp. Major) F. H. Anderson, M.C., relinquishes the temporary rank of Major on assumption of command of Headquarters Company, N.Z. Divisional Train, by Captain G. R. Hutchinson. Dated 12th July, 1918.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) H. A. Potvine, M.C., relinquishes the temporary rank of Captain on relinquishment of temporary command of Headquarters Company, N.Z. Divisional Train, by Captain F. H. Anderson, M.C. Dated 12th July, 1918.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Captain H. C. Tait, M.B., returned from New Zealand, is removed from the N.Z. Roll, and ceases to be seconded. Dated 18th July, 1918.

Captain (temp. Major) E. D. Aubin, M.D., relinquishes the appointment of Officer in Charge, Surgical Division, N.Z. Stationary Hospital, and the temporary rank of Major. Dated 16th July, 1918.

Captain C. G. Aickin, M.B., F.R.C.S., to be Officer in Charge, Surgical Division, N.Z. Stationary Hospital, *vice* Captain E. D. Aubin, M.D., and is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst holding an appointment carrying that rank. Dated 16th July, 1918.

Lieutenant A. N. McMillan, having completed the prescribed period of service, to be Captain. Dated 31st May, 1918.

The undermentioned postings of Medical Officers have been approved :—

Captain W. T. Simmons, M.B., from N.Z. Stationary Hospital, to No. 1 N.Z. Field Ambulance.

Captain J. Guthrie, M.B., from No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital, to N.Z. Stationary Hospital.

Captain G. S. Moore, from 4th N.Z. Infantry (Reserve) Brigade, to N.Z. Stationary Hospital.

Captain H. L. H. Steele, Reinforcement Officer from New Zealand, to No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital.

Lieutenant R. S. J. Fitzgerald, M.B., Reinforcement Officer from New Zealand, to N.Z.M.C. Reserve Depot.

Lieutenant J. L. Will, M.B., Reinforcement Officer from New Zealand, to No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital.

Captain F. W. Kemp, M.C., M.D., from No. 2 N.Z. Field Ambulance, to England on duty.

Lieutenant W. D. Hart, M.B., Reinforcement Officer from New Zealand, to N.Z. Command Depot.

Captain W. D. S. Johnston, M.B., from No. 3 N.Z. General Hospital to No. 2 N.Z. Field Ambulance, *vice* Captain E. C. Barnett, returning to New Zealand.

Captain L. A. Spedding, M.B., from 4th N.Z. Infantry (Reserve) Brigade, to No. 3 N.Z. General Hospital.

Lieutenant U. G. Williams, M.B., newly attested, to N.Z. Rifle Brigade Reserve Depot.

Major W. S. Sinclair, M.B., from sick, to No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital.

Captain W. D. Bathgate, from N.Z. Rifle Brigade Reserve Depot, to No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital.
 Lieutenant F. J. Mulholland, M.B., from No. 2 N.Z. Field Ambulance, to 1st Battalion, Canterbury Regiment, vice Captain F. D. Pinfold, M.B.
 Captain A. L. Singer, M.B., from No. 1 N.Z. General Hospital, to No. 2 N.Z. General Hospital.
 Captain H. C. Tait, M.B., returned from New Zealand, to 4th N.Z. Infantry (Reserve) Brigade.

N.Z. ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

The undermentioned are granted the temporary rank of Sister while employed in charge of the Massage and Electrical Department of a N.Z. Hospital, from dates shown:—
 22/365, Masseur F. Nurse. Dated 1st May, 1918.
 22/488, Masseur I. C. Keyes. Dated 1st August, 1918.

N.Z. ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.

Lieutenant (temp. Captain) C. I. Gossage is granted the temporary rank of Major whilst holding the appointment of D.A.D.O.S., N.Z. Division. Dated 24th June, 1918.

N.Z. ARMY PAY CORPS.

21/24, Staff Sergeant-Major E. Sclanders to be Lieutenant, vice Lieutenant T. J. Lang, died of sickness. Dated 18th July, 1918.

J. ALLEN,
 Minister of Defence.

Appointment of Officers proceeding on Active Service with the N.Z. Expeditionary Force.

Department of Defence,
 Wellington, 23rd October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments of officers to the Unattached List (b), General List, and to the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, and the appointment of officers of the Territorial Force to the N.Z. Expeditionary Force as shown hereunder with the ranks specified, dated 10th October, 1918, unless otherwise specified.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

The undermentioned return to duty:—
 Captain William Richard Foley, M.C., 2nd (Wellington West Coast) Mounted Rifles (40th).
 Captain Edward Levien, M.C., Unattached List (b), General List (41st).
 Captain Roy Wilfred Colbeck, 11th (North Auckland) Mounted Rifles (40th).
 Lieutenant Ernest Richard Black, Unattached List (b), General List (42nd).
 Lieutenant John Tennant, Unattached List (b), General List (42nd).
 2nd Lieutenant Alfred Walter Herman Leaman, Unattached List (b), General List (40th).
 2nd Lieutenant George Ball, Unattached List (b), General List (43rd).
 2nd Lieutenant Ernest William Cheetham, Unattached List (b), General List (41st).
 2nd Lieutenant Ralph Edwin Logan McClure, Unattached List (b), General List (41st).
 2nd Lieutenant Oswald George Birrell, Unattached List (b), General List (40th).
 2nd Lieutenant Lindsay Kingscote Grenville Bull, Unattached List (b), General List (43rd).
 2nd Lieutenant Henry William Dunbar, Unattached List (b), General List (42nd).
 2nd Lieutenant Herbert Raymond Blake, Unattached List (b), General List (40th).
 2nd Lieutenant Ottiwel Hope Bremner, D.C.M., Unattached List (b), General List (42nd).

N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Percy Coleman Davis, Chaplain to the Forces, 4th Class, returns to duty.

J. ALLEN,
 Minister of Defence.

Registration of Aliens.

Department of Internal Affairs,
 Wellington, 17th October, 1918.

PURSUANT to the power conferred upon me by subsection (2) of section 3 of the Registration of Aliens Act, 1917, I have appointed the person referred to in the

warrant published hereunder to be an additional Registration Officer under that Act.

G. W. RUSSELL,
 Minister of Internal Affairs.

Registration of Aliens Act, 1917.

ADDITIONAL REGISTRATION OFFICER APPOINTED.

PURSUANT to the Registration of Aliens Act, 1917, I, George Warren Russell, Minister of Internal Affairs, being the Minister of the Crown for the time being charged by the Governor-General with the administration of the said Act, do hereby appoint the Customs Officer at the Bluff to be a Registration Officer under the said Act.

Given under my hand at Wellington this 17th day of October, 1918.

G. W. RUSSELL,
 Minister of Internal Affairs.

Approval of Fees for Licensing of Vehicles fixed by By-laws.—Mongonui County Council.

Department of Internal Affairs,
 Wellington, 19th October, 1918.

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

G. W. RUSSELL,
 Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the Avondale Road Board making By-laws.

Department of Internal Affairs,
 Wellington, 15th October, 1918.

THE following special order, made by the Avondale Road Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Road Boards Act, 1908.

G. W. RUSSELL,
 Minister of Internal Affairs.

AVONDALE ROAD BOARD.

BY-LAWS No. 3.

BY-LAWS of the Inhabitants of the Avondale Road District made by special order of the Avondale Road Board passed at a special meeting of the said Road Board held on the 28th day of August, 1918, and confirmed at a meeting of the said Road Board held on the 2nd day of October, 1918.

WHEREAS the Avondale Road District is situate within the County of Eden, wherein the Counties Act, 1908, is suspended, now, the Avondale Road Board hereby ordain as follows:—

By-laws No. 3 made by the Avondale Road Board on the 1st day of November, 1911, are, from and immediately after the date on which these by-laws shall come into operation, repealed, but shall, notwithstanding, remain in force so far only as relates to any offence committed, penalty incurred, prosecution or proceeding commenced, license issued, or notice given under or against any of the provisions thereof before the coming into force of these by-laws; and in substitution and lieu thereof the Avondale Road Board hereby, by special order, makes or ordains these by-laws.

INTRODUCTORY.

In these by-laws, if not inconsistent with the context, "Board" shall mean the Avondale Road Board; "Clerk" shall mean the person for the time being acting as Clerk of the Avondale Road Board; "Inspector" shall mean such officer appointed by the Board to act for the purpose of carrying out or enforcing the provisions of these or any by-laws or Act relating to the construction or erection of buildings or the alteration thereof; "District" shall mean the Avondale Road District.

PART I.

Offences on Roads.

1. Every person who does any of the acts mentioned in this clause upon the roads within the Avondale Road District shall be guilty of an offence.

- (a.) No owner or occupier of land shall allow trees or shrubs growing thereon to overhang or encroach on any street, private street, or footway; and it shall be lawful for the Board to cause all trees or shrubs so overhanging or encroaching to be lopped, or the encroaching part thereof to be removed, at the discretion of the Board.
- (b.) No person shall destroy, pull down, obliterate, or deface the name or name-plate on any house or building in any such street.
- (c.) Every owner or occupier of land fronting, adjoining, or near any street, if such land shall be so situated that surface or storm water from or upon the same overflows, or tends naturally, if not otherwise discharged, to overflow any footway of such street, shall, within seven days next after the service of notice by the Inspector requiring him so to do, construct and lay from such point upon such land, being near to the footway, as shall be specified in such notice by plan appended, or otherwise, and higher in level than the bottom of the channel at the outer edge of the footway, and keep in good condition, such pipe, covered drain, or appliance, subject to the approval and inspection of the Board.
2. All drains under footways, discharging into channels, shall be constructed in the following manner, and subject to the following conditions:—
- (a.) All such drains shall be constructed with cast-iron or glazed-earthenware pipes not exceeding 4 in. in diameter where footpath is kerbed and channelled, and shall be laid with a fall of not less than 3 in. in the whole width of the footway, the level at the discharge mouth being the level of the water-channel.
- (b.) No such drain shall be laid or used for any other purpose than for carrying of surface-water, whether from roofs or yards.
- (c.) The work of opening up the footway and cutting the kerbstone for the reception of such drain-pipes, and making good the said footway, and relaying the said kerbstone, shall be done by the Board at the expense of the person requiring such drain.
- (d.) The person desiring to have such drain constructed shall make written application in that behalf to the Clerk, and together with such application shall prepay the cost of the work.
3. All crossings shall be constructed by the Board, but at the expense of the person requiring the same to be made, and such crossings shall consist of such material as the Board shall from time to time approve.
4. No person shall take, conduct, or drive any vehicle across any footpath except at some properly constructed crossing; provided that this clause shall not apply to any vehicle taken, conducted, or driven across a footpath at other than some properly constructed crossing if such vehicle be led, conducted, or driven across or along timber laid down upon such footpath, and in or across the watercourse adjoining the same, in such manner that the said footpath and watercourse will not suffer any injury.
5. The person applying for a permit to build shall, at the time of making application, deposit with the Board the sum of £1 sterling to cover the cost of repairing any footpath, kerb, or channel which may be damaged during the building operation, or by any matter or thing connected therewith. Such deposit shall be retained for thirty days after completion of the building. If at the end of the period of thirty days the footpath, kerb, and channel are repaired and put in a thoroughly satisfactory condition, the deposit shall be returned, otherwise it shall be absolutely forfeited to the Board.
6. No person shall ride or use any bicycle in any street or private street unless such bicycle shall have attached to it a proper and sufficient bell for the purpose of giving warning to any person if and when necessary.
7. Every person riding any bicycle along, or being upon a bicycle on, any street or private street during the period between sunset and sunrise shall carry attached to the bicycle a lamp, which shall be so constructed and placed as to exhibit a light in the direction in which he is proceeding, and shall cause such lamp to be so lighted as to afford adequate means of signalling the approach and position of the bicycle. The person and each of the persons for the time being in charge of any bicycle that shall be standing or left upon any part of any street or private street within the period aforesaid shall cause such bicycle to exhibit a light adequately showing its position.
8. No person shall ride a bicycle on or upon any footpath.
9. No person shall ride a bicycle or drive a motor-car or motor-cycle on any street or private street at a greater speed than at the rate of twelve miles per hour, nor round any corner, angle, or intersection of any street at more than four miles per hour.
10. Every person driving any vehicle through any street or private street shall, except in crossing for the purpose of setting down or taking up goods or passengers, keep such vehicle as near as practicable to the left-hand or near side of the street.
11. No person shall use, drive, or conduct any vehicle in or along any street or private street between sunset and sunrise, unless such vehicle shall have two proper and sufficient lights, one on each side thereof, kept well lighted for the whole time during which such vehicle shall be so driven; and no person shall, between sunset and sunrise, drive any vehicle at a walking-pace or suffer any vehicle to stand in any street or private street, unless such vehicle shall have one proper and sufficient light on one side thereof, kept well lighted for the whole time during which such vehicle shall be so driven or suffered to stand, as the case may be. Each light shall be so fixed as to show a red light at the back, and be distinctly visible to any one approaching from the rear, provided that in the case of a heavily laden vehicle, where it would be impracticable to have such lights so fixed, then an additional light showing a red light must be fixed or suspended at the rear of such vehicle.
12. The driver of every vehicle shall give way to any other vehicle during the taking-up or setting-down of any person into or from such vehicle.
13. The driver of any vehicle stopping the same in any street or private street for any purpose whatever shall give notice of his intention so to do by holding up his whip so that the same may be visible to the driver of any vehicle immediately following, and upon stopping he shall so place his vehicle as to cause as little obstruction as possible to the traffic; and if the stoppage of such vehicle prevents the passing of any other vehicle, such driver shall, upon being thereto requested by the driver of such other vehicle, or by any servant or officer of the Board, or police officer, remove his vehicle so as to permit such other vehicle to pass.
14. No person shall in any street or private street—
- (a.) While acting as the driver, ride on any vehicle without having and holding proper and sufficient reins, unless some other competent person has charge of the animal drawing the same, or be away from such animal so as to be unable to have full control thereof, without passing through the near wheel thereof a suitable chain or strap so as effectively to prevent the rotation of such wheel or wheels, whether in any case such vehicle be hired or not.
- (b.) Act as driver to have the sole charge of more than one vehicle, unless in cases where two of such vehicles, and no more, are drawn each by one horse only, and the horse of the hinder of such vehicles is attached by a sufficient rein to the back of the foremost of such vehicles.
- (c.) Drive any vehicle whatever, or ride any animal or bicycle, and when meeting any other vehicle, animal, or bicycle, neglect or fail to keep on the left or near side of the road or street, or when passing any other vehicle, animal, or bicycle going in the same direction, fail to pass the same on the right or off side thereof, or when any person driving any vehicle or riding any animal or bicycle in the same direction is desirous of passing, fail to allow any such vehicle, animal, or bicycle to pass on the right or off side of his animal or vehicle.
- (d.) Furiously, negligently, wantonly, or carelessly ride or drive any animal or vehicle, or any engine, carriage, or conveyance of any kind.
- (e.) Ride or drive any animal or vehicle of any kind round an angle or corner thereof within 2 ft. of the edge or kerb of such angle or corner, or ride or drive any animal or vehicle of any kind along any such street within 2 ft. of the edge or kerb of the footway.
- (f.) Ride or drive any animal or vehicle of any kind round an angle or corner thereof at other than a walking-pace.
- (g.) Drive any vehicle laden with any goods or material which project on either side more than 5 ft. from the centre of such vehicle.
- (h.) Drive or allow to stand any vehicle with the curtains, coverings, or awnings thereof unfastened and liable to be flapped about by the wind so as to frighten or to be calculated to frighten horses.
- (i.) Drive or lead any four-wheeled vehicle taking a load down hill unless the same be fitted with a suitable and effective brake.
- (j.) Feed any horse in any street or public place save by means of a nosebag attached to the head of such horse, or remove the blinkers or bridle of any such horse, or allow any vicious horse to stand in any street or public place unless properly and securely muzzled.

- (k.) While acting as the driver of any cart, dray, or wagon, or such other vehicle, suffer the same to remain standing longer thereon than the time reasonably necessary for loading or unloading goods.
- (l.) Leave thereon any vehicle without any horse or other animal harnessed thereto, except in the case of some accident having recently occurred.
- (m.) Ride, lead, or drive any horse or other animal, or lead, drive, or wheel any carriage or cart, upon, along, or across any footpath or water-channel except upon and by means of a crossing properly constructed under the provisions of these by-laws or any by-laws heretofore in force.
- (n.) Lead, drive, or wheel any wheelbarrow, handcart, or other similar vehicle along any footpath or water-channel.
- (o.) Cause any animal or any carriage, cart, wheelbarrow, handcart, or other similar vehicle to stand or rest upon or along any footpath or crossing, or any water-channel, save as is permitted in these by-laws.

15. No person shall loiter, stand, or remain in or upon or use any street, private street, footpath, or footway for such time or in such manner as shall have the effect of obstructing or disturbing the free use thereof or the access to any house or building in or near thereto.

16. No person shall in or near any street, private street, footpath, footway, or public place, by singing, playing any musical instrument, preaching, reading, speaking, lecturing, selling or crying wares, exhibiting any object or thing, or causing or allowing the doing of any of the aforesaid things, or by any other means whatever, cause the collection or assembling of persons whereby such street or public place, or any neighbouring street, private street, footpath, footway, or public place, or the traffic thereof, is obstructed, disturbed, or hindered, or whereby access to any house or building in or near any street, private street, or public place is obstructed.

17. No person shall in any street, private street, footpath, footway, or public place sing, play any musical instrument, preach, read, lecture, sell or cry wares, or exhibit any object or thing, or make any noise or loud sounds, or cause or by conduct invite others to do any of the aforesaid acts, whereby the peace and quiet of any persons residing in or using or being in any neighbouring house or building are disturbed, or whereby the proceedings of any congregation, assemblage, or meeting are disturbed, or annoyance caused to any person attending such congregation, assemblage, or meeting.

18. So much of the foregoing provisions of paragraph 17 as relates to the obstruction of public places shall be deemed to apply only to such public places and such parts of public places as are commonly used as thoroughfares.

19. No person shall frequent or use any street, private street, or other public place within the district, either on behalf of himself or any other person, for the purpose of bookmaking, or transacting or entering into any part of the business of a bookmaker or of a betting agent, or betting, or wagering, or agreeing or proposing to bet or wager with any person.

20. No person shall spit or expectorate or otherwise cast or place his saliva on to or upon any footpath or footway.

PART II.

Licensed Billiard and Bagatelle Rooms.

1. No person shall use any building, part of a building, or enclosure for purposes of a billiard or bagatelle room wherein billiards or any similar games are played for payment, and to which the public have admission, until he shall have obtained from the Board a license so to do, and shall have paid to the Clerk of the Board a fee of £2 sterling for such license, and every such license shall be in force for one year from the date thereof. The owner or occupier of any such building shall apply in writing to the Board for a license, stating the situation and description of the building, the names of the owner and occupier, and the purpose for which it is to be used.

2. Every owner or occupier of any billiard-room wherein billiards or any similar games are played for payment, and to which the public have admission, shall close the same on all week-days at half past ten o'clock at night.

3. The Board may cancel or suspend the license issued to the owner or occupier of any billiard-room or bagatelle-room in the district, if the same is conducted in a noisy or disorderly manner so as to cause annoyance to the neighbouring inhabitants or to the public, and in such case the licensee of such billiard-room shall not be entitled to any refund of any part of the fee paid for the license thereof; provided that the Board shall, before exercising the power hereby conferred, give the licensee of such billiard-room an opportunity of showing cause why the license thereof should not be cancelled or suspended.

PART III.

Building and Overcrowding By-law.

1. No person shall erect a new building within the district, except in conformity with the following provisions:—

(a.) *Definition of Site.*—The ground upon which any building is erected, together with the whole curtilage thereof enclosed within the boundary fences, walls, or lines of the premises, shall be deemed to be the site of such building within the meaning of these by-laws.

(b.) *Definition of New Dwellinghouse.*—The erection of a dwellinghouse upon vacant land, or upon a site previously occupied by any building, or the re-erection of any house pulled down to within 5 ft. of the ground floor, or the conversion into a dwellinghouse of any building not originally constructed for human habitation, or the conversion into more than one dwellinghouse of a building originally constructed as one dwellinghouse only, or an addition to or raising of a house (so far as such addition or raising is concerned), or the procuring of an existing dwellinghouse or of any other building or part of a building intended to be re-erected and used as a dwellinghouse or part of a dwellinghouse, and placing the same upon a site in the district, shall be deemed to be the erection of a new dwellinghouse within the meaning of this Part of these by-laws.

(c.) *Notice of Intention to build.*—Every person who shall intend to erect, add to, or renew a building of any description whatsoever shall give to the Board notice in writing of such intention, and at the same time deposit with the Board complete plans and specifications in duplicate (whereof one set shall be retained by the Board) of such intended work, the position, form, and dimensions of such building, and every water-closet, earth-closet, privy, ashpit, cesspool, and all other appurtenances, and of the yard or ground belonging thereto, and of the open space in the front and in the rear and on each side; and the building shall be so described as to show whether it is intended to be used as a dwellinghouse or dwellinghouses, or otherwise, and shall give such further particulars as may be required; and no such work shall be commenced until such plans and specifications have been inspected by the proper officer of the Board, and a certificate given by him that the work may be commenced.

(d.) *Building-site Area.*—Except as hereinafter provided, no person shall erect a new dwellinghouse in the district upon a site of less area than one-quarter of an acre, and unless such site shall have a frontage of at least 50 ft. to a public road; provided that nothing in this clause shall be deemed to prevent the erection of a new dwellinghouse upon any land which has a frontage of less than 50 ft. to a public road if—

(1.) The said dwellinghouse shall have an uninterrupted and unbroken frontage for its full width to a public road; and

(2.) The area of such land shall be as follows:—

(i.) Not less than three-eighths of an acre, if the frontage thereof to a public road is less than 50 ft. but not less than 40 ft.

(ii.) Not less than four-eighths of an acre, if the frontage thereof to a public road is less than 40 ft.

(iii.) Not less than five-eighths of an acre, if the frontage thereof to a public road is less than 30 ft. but not less than 20 ft.

(e.) Where a new dwellinghouse shall be erected upon any land in conformity with these by-laws, no person shall reduce or cause to be reduced the area provided for thereby so as or in such manner that such area shall become less than the minimum area hereby provided for, and such area shall be maintained as the exclusive curtilage of and shall solely appropriate to every such new dwellinghouse.

(f.) Where any new dwellinghouse shall be erected in conformity with these by-laws upon any land, no person shall sell or dispose of, or purchase or acquire, any estate or interest less than the whole of the minimum area provided for by these by-laws.

(g.) Clause (f) of paragraph 1 of this Part of these by-laws shall not apply if no house shall be upon the land at the time of such sale, disposition, purchase, or acquisition.

(h.) *Site Formation.*—The ground on which any new dwellinghouse is to be erected, and the ground immediately adjoining any such new dwellinghouse, shall be so formed and graded by the person erecting the

same that no water can lodge thereon or under such house, or run under such house; and no person shall commence the erection of any building on any site having matter thereon which may prove injurious to the health of the occupants of such building.

- (i.) No person shall erect a new dwellinghouse in the district unless he provide at the side or in the rear thereof an open space exclusively belonging to such house and of an aggregate area of not less than 600 square feet: Provided that the open space shall extend throughout the entire width or, in the alternative, throughout the entire depth of the site, and shall be free from any erection thereon above the level of the ground, and shall be so maintained while the site is occupied by the house: Provided also that it shall be sufficient if an open space provided at the rear and side of any dwellinghouse is equal to one and a half times that hereinbefore required to be provided, even though the open space does not extend throughout the entire width or, in the alternative, throughout the entire depth of the site: Provided also that the minimum distance across such open space from every part of any dwellinghouse and from every part of any washhouse, shed, convenience, or other erection attached thereto shall be as follows:—

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| (1.) If the height of the house does not exceed 15 ft. | 15 ft. |
| (2.) If the height of the house exceeds 15 ft., but does not exceed 25 ft. | 20 ft. |
| (3.) If the height of the house exceeds 25 ft., but does not exceed 35 ft. | 25 ft. |
| (4.) If the height of the house exceeds 35 ft. | 30 ft. |

For the purposes of these by-laws, where the side boundaries of any site are not of the same length, the mean length of such side boundaries shall be taken as the depth of the site for the purpose of defining the distance across such open space; and the height of a dwellinghouse shall, for the purposes of these by-laws, be measured from the average level of the ground immediately adjoining the side or the rear of such dwellinghouse, as the case may be, to the level of half of the vertical height of the roof or to the top of the parapet, whichever is the higher.

- (j.) *Preventing Reduction of Space.*—No person shall make any alteration or addition to any building (whether erected before the coming into operation of these by-laws or not) whereby the open space attached to such dwellinghouse shall be diminished by such alteration or addition so as to leave a less open space than is required by these by-laws to be provided, or whereby the open space existing at the time these by-laws come into force, being less (computed as aforesaid) than that provided for in these by-laws, shall be diminished or reduced.
- (k.) *Foundations of Concrete.*—In any foundation-wall, either of concrete, bricks, or stone, either separate or conjoined, a proper damp-proof course of sheet 4 lb. lead, asphalt, slates, or other approved material shall be laid beneath the level of the lowest timbers, and at a height of not less than 6 in. above the surface of the ground adjoining such wall.
- (l.) *Plates and Joists above Ground.*—No part of any plate or joist of any house shall be at a less distance in case of a plate than 6 in., and in case of a joist than 9 in., from any portions of the ground below or immediately adjoining such plate or joist, and the ground shall in all cases have sufficient and proper communication with the external air for the purpose of ventilation.
- (m.) *Walls of Living-rooms.*—No room in any house other than a bathhouse, closet, or storeroom shall have a less average height than 9 ft. between the floor and the ceiling throughout an area equal to at least two-thirds of the floor-space.
- (n.) *Unsuitable Material.*—No person shall use any old materials in the erection of any building unless the same shall be sound, have been cleaned, and certified by the Department of Public Health as suitable for such use.
No person shall use any materials which shall be, in the opinion of the Inspector or the District Health Officer, unsuitable for any cause whatsoever for use in any building; and any materials which may be so declared unsuitable shall, within twenty-four hours, be removed by the person in charge of the works from the site of the proposed building.
- (o.) *Materials.*—No person shall use any materials in the construction, alteration, or repairs to any one-

story building within the Avondale Road District of less dimensions than are specified in the following schedule:—

Blocks: Sawn or split, heart of totara or puriri, 8 in. by 5 in., and such blocks shall be spaced at a distance of not more than 4 ft. apart.

Bottom Plates and Sleepers: 4 in. by 3 in., heart of totara, kauri, or rimu.

Jack-studs: 4 in. by 3 in., heart of totara, kauri, or rimu; in every case where the height of jack-studs exceeds 6 ft. the same shall be braced as is hereinafter specified for external walls.

Ground-floor Joists: 6 in. by 2 in., heart of totara, rimu, or kauri, spaced not more than 20 in. centres.

Vermin-plates: External walls, 4 in. by 2 in., partition-walls 3 in. by 2 in.

Top Plates: 4 in. by 2 in. external walls, 3 in. by 2 in. partitions; provided, however, that in the case of a building of more than one story the upper floor-plate shall not be less than 4 in. by 3 in.

Studs for External Walls: 4 in. by 2 in., spaced out (by 2 in.) not more than 20 in. centres, kauri, rimu, totara, oregon, or matai; provided, however, that in the case of a building of more than one story the studs for the walls shall not be less than 4 in. by 3 in.

Studs for Partition-walls: 3 in. by 2 in., spaced out not more than 20 in. centre, kauri, rimu, totara, oregon, or matai; provided, however, that in the case of a building of more than one story the studs for the partition-walls shall not be less than 4 in. by 3 in.

Braces on Studding: 4 in. by 1 in., kauri, rimu, totara, or oregon; not less than two braces for each external wall.

Ceiling-joists: 4 in. by 2 in., spaced 20 in. centres, kauri, rimu, totara, oregon, or matai.

Rafters: 4 in. by 2 in., spaced not more than 3 ft. apart, kauri, rimu, totara, oregon, or matai.

Collar-ties: 6 in. by 1 in., ordinary building kauri or rimu.

Purlins: 3 in. by 2 in., kauri, rimu, totara, oregon, or matai.

Hips, Valleys, and Ridges: None but 1 in. kauri, rimu, oregon, or matai.

Weatherboarding and all External Timber: To be heart of kauri, rimu, totara, or matai. All weatherboarding shall not be less than $\frac{3}{4}$ in. in thickness.

Flooring: Not less than 1 in. thickness, tongued and grooved, medium kauri, ordinary building rimu, matai, or totara.

Rough Lining: Not less than $\frac{1}{2}$ in. in thickness, all close-jointed from floor to ceiling.

Bridging: Joists for a span not exceeding 12 ft., 9 in. by 2 in.; joists for a span exceeding 12 ft., 10 in. by 2 in.; upper floors having a span exceeding 14 in. shall be strengthened by a herring-boning of 2 in. by 2 in.

Any timber not otherwise specified shall be at least ordinary building rimu, matai, totara, or medium kauri.

- (p.) No person shall erect, alter, add to, or renew the external walls, party walls, or chimneys of any buildings at a less distance than 4 ft. from the boundary (other than a road or a street boundary) of the property upon which such erection, alteration, addition, or renewal shall be made; provided that nothing in this clause contained shall prevent the erection, alteration, addition, or renewal of such walls or chimneys at a less distance than 4 ft. from such boundary if the material employed in the erection, alteration, addition to, or renewal of such walls or chimneys be not metal, wood, or other combustible substance.
- (q.) Any Inspector appointed by the Board may from time to time enter upon any land during daylight and inspect any building or material proposed to be used in the construction of a new dwellinghouse, and no person shall obstruct any such Inspector or prevent him from making any such inspection.
- (r.) No person shall, after these by-laws shall come into force, erect, alter, add to, or renew with wood, metal, or other combustible material the external walls, party walls, or chimneys of any building within 8 ft. from any other building.

2. If any dwellinghouse or part of a dwellinghouse be erected, altered, or repaired contrary in any particular to the provisions of this Part of these by-laws, it shall be lawful

for the Board to give notice in writing to the owner of such dwellinghouse, within a time to be mentioned in such notice, to take down, remove, or alter such dwellinghouse or part of such dwellinghouse in such a manner that the provisions of this Part of these by-laws shall be accurately fulfilled. Non-compliance with any such notice shall be deemed an offence.

3. The penalty for any breach of this Part of these by-laws shall be a fine not exceeding £5; and in the case of a continuous breach an additional fine not exceeding £5 for every day on which the breach is continued after the first day.

SCHEDULE.

Form "C."

The Clerk, Avondale Road Board.

I BEG to make application for a permit for the erection of a building for Mr. , on Lot No. , of Subdivision No. , of Section No. , having a frontage of ft. to Road (or Street), by a depth of ft., and in accordance with plans now lodged.

The contract price is £

(Date.)

Builder :

Address :

Form "D."—Building Permit.

THIS permit is granted to Mr. , authorizing him to erect a building for Mr. , on Lot No. , of Subdivision No. , of Section No. , having a frontage of ft. to Road (or Street), by a depth of ft., in accordance with the plans lodged.

For Avondale Board Board.

(Date.)

, Clerk.

PART IV.—SANITARY BY-LAWS.

Drainage.

1. From and after the coming into force of these by-laws every person on whose behalf any underground drain, or on whose behalf any water-closet or septic tank is laid or constructed, shall cause all the provisions of this Part of these by-laws to be complied with.

- (a.) It shall not be lawful for any person hereafter in any manner to erect, make, or establish a water-closet or drain, or drain connection, or to construct or alter any sanitary appliance or work, without having first obtained a permit from the Board. Application for such permit to be accompanied by a plan of such proposed drainage.
- (b.) Every person to whom a permit has been granted shall give twenty-four hours' notice in writing to the Sanitary Inspector for the time being, or the Board, by leaving the same at the Board's office, that the underground work in connection with the laying, alteration of, opening-up, cleansing, or removal of drains will be open and ready for inspection; and no such work shall be covered up until it shall have been inspected, tested, and approved by the Sanitary Inspector.
- (c.) All underground drains used or intended to be used to carry away sewage or household waste waters or matters from any house or dwelling, and all sanitary connections therewith, shall in every case be constructed, adapted, and maintained in such manner as to sufficiently and efficiently carry away such sewage or household waste waters or matters.
- (d.) No person shall allow any household waste or offensive matters to remain on or flow from any dwelling or land in his occupation on to a road or into a ditch or open drain.
- (e.) Every sink, lavatory-basin, closet-basin, or bath shall be placed so that the outlet thereof is as near as possible to the external wall of the room containing any such sanitary fittings, and the gully-trap over which the waste-pipes from such fittings discharge shall be so placed as to enable such waste-pipes to be of the shortest possible length.
- (f.) No person shall lead the waste matters from any water-closet into any drain or sewer not being a brick, concrete, ferro-concrete, iron, or earthenware-pipe drain or sewer. No person shall erect any water-closet under subsection (a) hereof unless all the drains and sewers through which the waste matters from such water-closet would pass are closed drains and sewers, connected to a final sewer outfall or septic tank so constructed and maintained as when used not to be offensive or injurious to health.
- (g.) No inlet connected with a drain shall be laid or maintained within or under a building. For every house

where drainage is provided a gully-trap must be provided in the yard placed where most convenient for kitchen waste waters.

- (h.) For household slops and discharge from the waste-pipes of baths, sinks, and lavatories, self-cleansing gully-traps shall be used, such traps to be not less than 6 in. diameter at the inlet and 4 in. at the outlet, and fitted with dished tops and movable gratings. The dish must be joined to the trap by means of a socket and spigot joint properly finished with cement, or may be of one piece with the trap, and the depth of the dish to the top of the grating must not be less than 3 in. Gully-traps must have a water seal of not less than 2½ in., with openings of suitable outlet capacity.
 - (i.) All bath, lavatory, sink, wash-tub, rain-water, or other waste-pipes shall discharge into the open air either directly over a trapped gully at a height of not less than 3 in. nor more than 6 in. above the grating thereof, or over (and at a height of 3 in. above) a watertight concrete channel led to a gully-trap, and not being distant therefrom more than 6 ft. The waste-pipe from the kitchen and scullery sinks of hotels, boardinghouses, clubs, and restaurants shall discharge over a grease-trap of approved pattern and material.
 - (j.) The waste-pipes of baths, lavatories, and sinks shall be provided directly under their intakes with approved siphon traps of equal bore, and having a seal of not less than 2 in.
 - (k.) Kitchen sinks must be constructed of impervious materials. The following will be considered impervious materials: Lead, galvanized iron, copper, enamelled or plain cast iron, glazed fireclay or earthenware.
 - (l.) No water-closet shall be placed in any bathroom or in any room or closet used for any other purpose than that of a water-closet, lavatory, privy, or urinal, or in any room, unless at least one of its walls is an outer wall.
 - (m.) When for any reason any sanitary convenience, or any portion of a drain or any fittings in connection therewith, are no longer required for use, such sanitary convenience shall be removed, and such portion of the drain or fittings shall be disconnected and removed, and any openings or connections with existing drains and sewers shall be properly closed and made good.
 - (n.) Where a drain is used to make a connection to a sewer or septic tank, or where a water-closet is connected with a drain, such drain shall be provided at its highest point with a ventilation shaft, whose diameter shall not be less than 4 in., and constructed of such material and carried to such height above the eaves as the Board's Sanitary Inspector may direct.
2. No person shall construct any privy or closet other than a water-closet except in accordance with the following conditions, and the owner and occupier of any premises upon which any privy or closet exists, and which does not conform to these by-laws, shall, at any time after two months from the coming into force of these by-laws, cause such privy or closet to conform in every respect thereto:—
- (a.) No part of any privy shall be at less than 15 ft. distance from any road, street, or footpath, or any dwellinghouse, or other erection attached to such dwellinghouse, or from any building, shop, or office in which any person may or may be intended to be employed in any manufacture, trade, or business (other than a detached washhouse used exclusively for domestic purposes), or from any place of public worship or any public hall or school. Every privy shall be so situated that the pan can be removed and the contents disposed of without the same having to be carried through any house, shop, factory, or workshop.
 - (b.) Every privy other than a water-closet shall be so constructed that at least one of its side shall be an external wall. The floor, including the space under the seat, shall be of good sound timber, planed, tongued and grooved, or of brick or cement, and shall be at least 6 in. above the level of the ground immediately adjoining thereto. It shall be properly lighted and ventilated, and the door shall be in the best position adapted to conceal the interior from the public view. The seat shall be capable of being opened or removed for its full width for the purpose of cleaning the space beneath, and fitted with a hinged cover. Battens shall be so placed on the floor beneath the seat as to secure

that the pan shall be so placed that all excreta shall fall therein.

- (c.) All privies for the reception of nightsoil (not being water-closets) shall be pan privies with movable receptacles for the nightsoil. Such receptacles shall be watertight metal pans of a size and pattern approved by the Board.
- (d.) The occupier of any shop, house, factory, workshop, or any other premises provided with a pan privy, shall cause the pans thereof to be emptied and properly cleaned at least once in each week, and in any case so frequently as to prevent overflow.
- (e.) The occupier, and where the premises are not occupied the owner, of the premises on which any pan privy is situated shall keep such privy in a good state of repair and in a clean and sanitary condition.

3. No person shall place or deposit nightsoil in a pit or other fixed receptacle in the ground, or spread nightsoil upon the surface of the ground, or bury nightsoil, within 33 ft. of any church, hall, house, shop, factory, or workshop, or within 20 ft. of the boundary of any adjoining land. No person shall dispose of nightsoil so as to create a nuisance. No person shall bury nightsoil otherwise than in the following manner: A V-shaped furrow or trench shall be formed of not more than 18 in. in depth, and the nightsoil shall be placed along the bottom of such furrow or trench and covered with earth level with the surface, and so that the nightsoil shall be forthwith covered with at least 6 in. of earth.

4. No person shall keep, or allow, suffer, or permit to be kept, any pig within the district on any holding of less than 1 acre in area, or shall in any case so keep any pig as to be a nuisance or injurious to health, or keep, or suffer, permit, or allow to be kept, any pig in any pigsty at a less distance than 100 ft. from any house or from any road. The owner or occupier of any land upon which pigs shall be kept shall cause the floor of every pigsty thereon to be constructed of concrete or other impervious material, and to be so maintained that there shall be no soakage of the soil with the pigs' food, urine, or drainage from the sty. The owner of or occupier of any land upon which there shall be a pigsty shall keep such sty at all times in a clean and wholesome condition.

5. No person shall erect, or cause to be erected, any stable at less distance than 15 ft. from any boundary of neighbouring property, dwellinghouse, public building, or church. The floor of any stable now or hereafter erected shall be constructed of concrete or other impervious material, and shall be laid with a proper fall into a trapped drain, and such floor and drain be kept in a thorough state of repair. No person shall allow an accumulation of animal excreta or manure to remain on any property so as to cause a nuisance.

6. Should any stable existing at the coming into force of this by-law, and not constructed in accordance with the foregoing provisions, cause a nuisance or an injury to health owing to its mode of construction, or to the absence of any structural convenience therein or thereto, or by reason of any matter or thing whatsoever, it shall be the duty of the owner or occupier of such stable, upon notice being served upon him by the Clerk so to do, and within a time by such notice limited, to execute and do such works and things as may be necessary to abate such nuisance as may be specified in such notice.

7. Every occupier of a building or premises wherein or whereon any horse or other beast of draught or burden, or any cattle or swine, may be kept shall provide in connection with such building or premises a suitable covered receptacle for dung, manure, soil, filth, or other offensive or noxious matter which may from time to time be produced in the keeping of any such animal in such building or upon such premises. Such receptacle shall not be erected within 15 ft. of any dwellinghouse or place in which any person is employed in any manufacture, trade, or business, or in which any food intended for human consumption is stored, or within 20 ft. from any public road. He shall at least once in every week remove, or cause to be removed, from the receptacle provided in accordance with the requirements of this by-law, all dung, manure, soil, filth, or other offensive or noxious matter produced in or upon such building or premises and deposited in such receptacle.

8. No live animal shall be kept in the district so as or in such manner as to be a nuisance or injurious to health.

9. No poultry shall be kept in any part of the district; except in properly constructed poultry-houses, or in a suitably enclosed run attached thereto; and no such poultry-houses shall be built less than 16 ft. from any dwelling, or from any public or private street or public place or boundary-fence. No such run shall have its outer fence at a less distance than 3 ft. from any boundary of adjoining premises, or 6 ft. from any public or private street or public place; and all poultry-houses shall be well lime-washed inside at

least once in every six months by the occupier of the premises, and all runs be clean and free from filth.

10. The penalty for any breach of these by-laws shall be a fine not exceeding £5, and in the case of a continuous breach an additional fine not exceeding £5 for every day on which the breach is continued after the first day.

11. If, in the opinion of the Board, a full compliance with any provision of these by-laws would needlessly injuriously affect the course and operation of business, or be attended with great loss, hardship, or inconvenience to any person without a corresponding benefit to the community, the Board may on special application relax the strict observance of any provision, or modify the same, provided that such other terms and conditions as the Board may impose be complied with by the applicant.

12. The by-laws shall apply to the whole district. They shall come into force on their being gazetted.

The foregoing by-laws were duly made by the Avondale Road Board by special order passed and adopted at a special meeting of the said Board convened for that purpose on the 28th day of August, 1918, publicly notified in the *Avondale News* on the 31st day of August, 1918, on the 7th day of September, 1918, on the 14th day of September, 1918, and on the 21st day of September, 1918; confirmed on the 2nd day of October, 1918, and ordered to come into force on being gazetted.

The common seal of the Inhabitants of the Avondale Road District was affixed hereto at a meeting and by order of the Avondale Road Board on the 9th day of October, 1918.

R. B. NESBITT, Chairman. ROBERT WARD.
H. A. V. BOLLARD. A. MORGAN.
J. THOMAS. FRANK W. HAMPSHIRE.
W. J. TAIT.

I hereby certify that the above special order has been duly passed as provided by the Road Boards Act, 1908.

S. THOMAS, Clerk.

Constitution of a Special Roding District in Terms of Section 50 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913.

PURSUANT to section 50 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, and the regulations thereunder, I, David Henry Guthrie, Minister of Lands, do hereby, on the recommendation of the Land Board of the Wellington Land District, declare the lands referred to in the Schedule hereto to be a special district for the purposes of the said section; and such district shall be known as the Mangaorakei Special Road District.

As witness my hand this 18th day of October, 1918.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Section 2, Block VIII, Retaruke Survey District.			
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Trading with Enemy Acts.—Certificate of Hostile Occupation in regard to certain Territory in Russia.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

THE appended extract from the *London Gazette* of 13th August, 1918, is published for general information (*vide New Zealand Gazette* of 15th August, 1918, and 12th September, 1918).

ARTHUR M. MYERS,
Minister of Customs.

War Office, 13th August, 1918.

I, GEORGE KYNASTON COCKERILL, C.B., a Brigadier-General in His Majesty's Army, being a person authorized by a Secretary of State to give certificates under paragraph 3 of the Trading with the Enemy (Occupied Territory) Proclamation, 1915, hereby certify that in addition to the territory comprised in the certificate given by me on the 9th May, 1918, the following territory in Russia may be regraded as territory in hostile occupation:—

Vorenezh. Tiflis.
Erivan.

The territory in Russia which may be regarded as in hostile occupation comprises—

Esthonia.	Kharkov.
Livonia.	Orel.
Courland.	Kursk.
Kovno.	Bessarabia.
Vilna.	Kholm.
Bialystok.	Kherson.
Vitebsk.	Ekaterinoslav.
Poland.	Province of the Don Cossacks.
Grodno.	Taurida (including Crimea).
Pskov.	Arдахan.
Minsk.	Kars.
Volhynia.	Batum.
Mogilev.	Kutais.
Tchernigov.	Vorenezh.
Poltava.	Erivan.
Podolia.	Tiflis.
Kiev.	

Dated this 9th day of August, 1918.

GEORGE COCKERILL,
Brigadier-General.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 66 of 1918.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Hydrographic Office, London; the Minister of State for Communications, Tokyo; and the Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, are published for general information.

GEORGE ALLPORT,
Secretary.

ENGLAND.

WEST COAST.—KELSEY HEAD.—WRECK WESTWARD OF.

Position.—At a distance of about 2 miles westward of Kelsey Head. Lat. $50^{\circ} 24' 30''$ N., long. $5^{\circ} 11' 50''$ W.

Description.—Sunken wreck of a vessel.

SOUTH COAST.—NEWHAVEN.—WRECK SOUTH-WESTWARD OF.

Position.—At a distance of 2.3 miles, 218° (S. 52° W. mag.), from Newhaven Breakwater Lighthouse. Lat. $50^{\circ} 44\frac{1}{2}'$ N., long. $0^{\circ} 1\frac{1}{2}'$ E.

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

Variation.— 14° W.

CHILE.

PORT CALDERA AND NORTHERN APPROACH.

(1.) *Pulpo Rock.—Amended Position.*

Position on Chart.—Lat. $27^{\circ} 1' S.$, long. $70^{\circ} 52' W.$

Details.—A recent survey places this rock about $2\frac{1}{2}$ cables northward of the position shown on the chart, and a note to this effect is to be inserted against this rock on the plan of Ports Caldera and Calderilla on Chart No. 1276.

(2.) *Chango Rock.—Decreased Depth.*

Position.—Lat. $27^{\circ} 2\frac{1}{2}' S.$, long. $70^{\circ} 52\frac{1}{4}' W.$

Details.—The depth over this rock is $3\frac{3}{4}$ fathoms, instead of $4\frac{3}{4}$ fathoms formerly shown on the chart.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.

FIJI ISLANDS.—VANUA LEVU.—MBUTHA BAY.—REEF MARKED BY BEACON.

Position.—South-eastward of Nukindam. Lat. $16^{\circ} 38' 45'' S.$, long. $179^{\circ} 52' 45'' E.$

Depth.—7 ft.

Note.—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 ft. is to be inserted on the chart.

Remarks.—This reef, which is of small extent, is marked by an iron beacon surmounted by a drum.

AUSTRALIA.

TORRES STRAIT, WESTERN APPROACH.—LIGHT-VESSEL (U) TO BE ESTABLISHED.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that a light-vessel will be established in the western approach to Torres Strait on or about 18th November, 1918.

Position (approximate).—The light-vessel will be moored in about 20 fathoms of water, at a distance of 20 miles, 240°

(S. 55° W. mag.), from Merkara Shoal. Lat. $10^{\circ} 40' S.$ long. $140^{\circ} 55' E.$ on Chart No. 447.

Characteristics.—

(a.) *Light: Character.*—Group flashing white light, showing three flashes in quick succession every fifteen seconds, thus—flash $\frac{1}{2}$ sec., eclipse $1\frac{1}{2}$ secs.; flash $\frac{1}{2}$ sec., eclipse $1\frac{1}{2}$ secs.; flash $\frac{1}{2}$ sec., eclipse $10\frac{1}{2}$ secs.

Elevation.—32 ft.

Visibility.—10 miles.

Power.—1,500 candles.

(b.) *Fog Signal: Description.*—A bell sounded by the motion of the vessel.

(c.) *Vessel: Description.*—The vessel has one mast carrying the lantern; the hull is painted red, and marked "Carpentaria" in white on sides.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

SUMATRA.

WEST COAST.—GEBUA TENGA TO PULO KATANG KATANG — EXISTENCE OF ROCKS.

	Position.	Depth.
(1.)	Lat. $1^{\circ} 33' 30'' S.$, long. $100^{\circ} 29' 06'' E.$	10 fathoms (rock).
(2.)	" " $1^{\circ} 34' 36'' S.$ " $100^{\circ} 27' 24'' E.$	6 " (coral).
(3.)	" " $1^{\circ} 41' 42'' S.$ " $100^{\circ} 32' 48'' E.$	4 " (coral).
(4.)	" " $1^{\circ} 43' 06'' S.$ " $100^{\circ} 33' 30'' E.$	7 " (rock).
(5.)	" " $1^{\circ} 45' 48'' S.$ " $100^{\circ} 31' 36'' E.$	2 " (coral).
(6.)	" " $1^{\circ} 49' 48'' S.$ " $100^{\circ} 33' 36'' E.$	2 " (coral).

EASTERN ARCHIPELAGO.

TIMOR, NORTH-WEST COAST.—OMBAL PASSAGE.—BREAKERS REPORTED.

Position.—Westward of Fatu St. Antonio Point. Lat. $8^{\circ} 52' 30'' S.$, long. $124^{\circ} 58' 30'' E.$

Details.—Breakers were observed in the above position, apparently indicating the existence of a reef.

Note.—The position on the chart is to be encircled by a danger line and marked "Breakers reported (1918)."

JAPAN.

NORTH COAST OF HONSHU.

Notice is hereby given that the candle-power of the light of Tairadate Lighthouse, on Myojin Zaki, entrance to Matsu Gulf, has been increased as follows since the 26th of July, 1918: Power, 23,000 candles.

Notice is hereby given that the fog-siren at Tairadate Lighthouse, entrance to Matsu Gulf, which was temporarily discontinued, has been operated as before since the 28th of July, 1918.

RED SEA, GULF OF ADEN, PERSIAN GULF, ARABIAN SEA, BAY OF BENGAL, AND MALACCA STRAIT.

CAUTION WITH REGARD TO EXTINCTION OF LIGHTS.—CERTAIN PORTS CLOSED BY NIGHT.

1. The lights at the following places have been extinguished:—

Jibuti and vicinity (except Ras al Bir); Penang approaches.

All lights in the Persian Gulf, and on the coasts of India, Ceylon, and the Bay of Bengal, are liable to be extinguished without notice.

2. Certain ports closed by night:—

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Port of Massawa between sunset and 6 a.m., and they should not approach the port between these hours.

Vessels are prohibited from entering the Ports of Panjim and Marmagao in Portuguese India between sunset and sunrise. Vessels will be permitted to leave subject to permission being obtained from the Captain of the port.

RED SEA, EASTERN SHORE.—FARISIAN BANK.

SHAB JENAB AND SHAB SAHABAK.—EXTENSION TO NORTHWARD.

Position.—Shab Jenab, lat. $19^{\circ} 55' N.$, long. $39^{\circ} 56\frac{1}{2}' E.$

Details.—The shoals known as Shab Jenab and Shab Sahabak have been found to extent further to the northward than charted, the former for a distance of about 3 miles, and the latter for a distance of about $1\frac{1}{4}$ miles. The charts are to be amended accordingly.

Caution.—See note in sailing directions with regard to the positions of the reefs westward of Abulat Island.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 16th October, 1918.
THE Right Honourable Minister of Finance directs me to acknowledge the receipt of £10 (ten pounds), forwarded to the Land and Income Tax Department by a person unknown, as conscience-money.

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

Taxes, Government Buildings, Wellington; and, in accordance with such Order in Council, I hereby give notice that the said duty will be payable accordingly.

Additional tax will accrue if the tax is not paid on or before 29th November, 1918. The liability to pay is not suspended by any objection. The tax should be paid on or before the prescribed date, otherwise the additional percentage accrues. Any overpayment will be adjusted by refund.

D. G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Taxes.

Soldiers' Property Board of Trustees appointed.

National Efficiency Board,
Wellington, 23rd October, 1918
IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance of the regulations relating to the management of soldiers' properties made on the 2nd April, 1917, under the War Regulations Act, 1914, and its amendments, the Minister of Defence has constituted and appointed the following Soldiers' Property Board of Trustees, namely:—

THE LANCELOT EDMUND ATHELSTAN HITCHINGS SOLDIERS' PROPERTY BOARD OF TRUSTEES.—Consisting of George Elliot, of Auckland, District Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Arthur William Gillies, Expert Adviser to the Auckland Commissioner of the National Efficiency Board; Joseph Barugh, of Hamilton, retired farmer; Frederick Richard Seddon, of Hamilton, farmer; and John McCaw, of Hamilton, retired farmer.

WILLIAM FERGUSON,
Chairman.

Result of Election of Trustees of a Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 19th October, 1918.
THE following result of the election of Trustees of a Drainage District has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

G. P. NEWTON,
For Under-Secretary.

Aorangi Drainage District, County of Kairanga—
Charles Thomas Keeble.
Herbert Gifford Moore.

Member of the House of Representatives elected, Taranaki Electoral District.

Clerk of the Writs Office,
Wellington, 21st October, 1918.
THE Deputy Clerk of the Writs has received a return to the writ issued on the 25th day of September, 1918, for the election of a member of Parliament to serve in the House of Representatives for the Electoral District of Taranaki, and by the endorsement on such writ it appears that

SYDNEY GEORGE SMITH
has been duly elected to serve as a member for the said district.

G. P. NEWTON,
Deputy Clerk of the Writs.

The Finance Act, 1918.—Land-tax payable.

Land and Income Tax Office,
Wellington, 24th October, 1918.
BY Order in Council, made and issued by His Excellency the Governor-General in Council on the 30th day of July, 1918, under the authority of the above Act, it was determined that the duty by way of land-tax leviable under the said Act should be paid in one sum on Friday, the 8th day of November, 1918, at the office of the Commissioner of

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	Barry, Thomas	Arthur's Point	Miner	10/9/18	.. ..	Testate.
2	Britton, James Frederick	Waiharera	Gum-digger	4/10/17	19/10/18	"
3	Brunt, Arthur	Opotiki	Bricklayer	30/3/18	.. ..	Intestate.
4	Casey, George Edward Thomas	Otago	Labourer	24/3/18	18/10/18	"
5	Copeland, William	Greymouth	Miner	28/8/18	.. ..	Testate.
6	Donald, John Knox	Otago	Tailor	7/9/18	18/10/18	Intestate.
7	Grigor, James Williamson	Wellington	Clerk	3/10/17	.. ..	Testate.
8	Grubb, Emily	Lower Hutt	Widow	25/8/18	.. ..	"
9	Hale, Emma	Christchurch	Married woman	25/7/18	.. ..	"
10	Hall, Richard	Marakopa	Farm labourer	4/10/17	17/10/18	"
11	Hatch, Frederick William	Canterbury	Printer	19/11/17	10/10/18	Intestate.
12	Henry, John Edwin	Queenstown	Baker	1/10/17	.. ..	Testate.
13	Hutton, William Alfred	Ngaturi	Blacksmith.. ..	15/9/16	18/10/18	Intestate.
14	Knox, Alexander	Wellington	Labourer	7/6/17	19/10/18	Testate.
15	Mackie, Edith Jane	Otago	Domestic duties	19/9/18	17/10/18	Intestate.
16	Overton, William Beardon	Wellington	Solicitor	31/8/16	18/10/18	"
17	Pickering, Oliver	Balclutha	Blacksmith.. ..	26/7/18	.. ..	Testate.
18	Pike, Eric Neumann	Blenheim	Farmer	30/4/18	.. ..	"
19	Rodda, Bruce Bernard	Bull's	Driver	3/10/16	.. ..	"
20	Rosewarne, Aver Jane N.	Remuera	Widow	14/8/18	17/10/18	"
21	Rouse, Claude Roland	Sheffield	Farmer	14/11/17	18/10/18	"
22	Rowse, William Henry	Mangere	"	18/6/18	17/10/18	"
23	Rutherford, Duncan	Lyttelton	Motor salesman	22/8/18	.. ..	Intestate.
24	Thompson, Elizabeth Anna	Otago	Spinster	26/10/09	18/10/18	"
25	Vaughan, Joseph	Hokianga	Farmer	29/3/18	.. ..	Testate.
26	Wills, Robert	Otago	Labourer	18/8/18	18/10/18	Intestate.
27	Wood, James Morris	Waihi	Labourer	29/7/18	17/10/18	"

Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

ROBERT TRIGGS, Public Trustee.

STATEMENT showing DISCOUNT-STAMP TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th September, 1918.

Postal District.	Discount-stamps sold.			Discount-stamps redeemed.			Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 30th September, 1918.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Auckland	2	15	0	2	14	0	6	0	0
Blenheim .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Christchurch	9	0	0	5	11	0	21	10	0
Dunedin .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Napier .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
New Plymouth .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oamaru .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Thames .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Timaru .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington	137	19	6	136	1	0	24	0	6
Westport .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals, 3rd quarter, 1918	149	14	6	144	6	0	51	10	6
Totals, 3rd quarter, 1917	128	10	0	129	12	0	196	15	0

General Post Office, Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

W. R. MORRIS, Secretary.

Mining Privileges struck off the Register.—Notice under the Mining Amendment Act, 1914.

Office of the Mining Registrar, Lawrence, 19th October, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the mining privileges contained in the Schedule hereto have been struck off the Register at Lawrence, in pursuance of section 30, subsection (4), of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914.

A. J. CHING, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
664	5/5/64	Residence area .. .	Wetherstones .. .	Charles William L. Campbell.
364	13/11/65	" .. .	Blue Spur .. .	Robert Grieve.
380	6/12/65	" .. .	Munro's Gully .. .	John Watson.
1206	11/8/68	" .. .	Wetherstones .. .	Patrick Curtain, jun.
1219	15/8/68	" .. .	Waitahuna .. .	Waitahuna Dredging Company (Limited).
2754	30/12/71	" .. .	Waipori .. .	Upper Waipori Alluvial Gold-dredging Company (Limited).
2351	1/5/72	" .. .	Blue Spur .. .	John Stephens.
1528	5/6/72	" .. .	Gabriel's Gully .. .	James Ottaway.
3094	5/8/74	" .. .	Wetherstones .. .	Michael Kelleher.
3984	28/6/75	" .. .	" .. .	Thomas Gilmore.
7293	30/9/75	" .. .	Waitahuna .. .	Thomas Broderick.
8280	13/3/76	" .. .	Evans Flat .. .	Francis Gordon.
10507	21/5/77	" .. .	Tuapeka Creek .. .	Michael Kirnan.
10615	1/2/78	" .. .	Waipori Flat .. .	Mary McIntyre.
12821	31/1/79	" .. .	Tuapeka Flat .. .	John Young.
14181	13/8/81	" .. .	Waitahuna Gully .. .	James Pennell.
26373	29/2/84	" .. .	Tuapeka Flat .. .	Chow Tie.
39705	13/6/84	" .. .	" .. .	" .. .
42377	25/9/84	" .. .	Table Hill .. .	Mitchell Park.
39762	23/1/85	" .. .	Tuapeka Flat .. .	Thomas Spencer.
39786	8/5/85	" .. .	" .. .	Donald McDonald.
39800	26/6/85	" .. .	" .. .	Margaret White.
42334	14/8/85	" .. .	Wetherstones .. .	Mary O'Leary.
959	1/7/97	Residence-site .. .	Evans Flat .. .	Elizabeth Jane McErlain.
967	11/1/98	" .. .	Waipori .. .	O.P.Q. Gold-mining Company (Limited).
1	22/2/99	" .. .	" .. .	William John Farrell.
560	27/6/04	" .. .	" .. .	Francis Tree.
583	12/9/04	" .. .	Adams Flat .. .	Mary O'Connor.
585	12/9/04	" .. .	" .. .	John O'Connor.
586	12/9/04	" .. .	" .. .	Patrick O'Connor.
607	28/11/04	" .. .	" .. .	William Kilner.
94	10/12/06	" .. .	Waitahuna .. .	John McAuley.
409	8/11/09	" .. .	Gabriel's Gully .. .	Samuel Stewart.
16	5/4/11	" .. .	Blue Spur .. .	Frederick Wallace Summers.

RETURN of REVENUE collected at the GENERAL POST OFFICE and in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND for the Quarter ended 30th September, 1918.

	POSTAL REVENUE.						TELEGRAPH REVENUE.				Total Post and Telegraph Revenue.
	Private Box and Bag Rents.	Money-order Commission.	Postages.	Postal-note Commission.	Miscellaneous Receipts (Postal).	Total Postal.	Telegrams.	Telephone Exchanges.	Miscellaneous Telegraph.	Total Telegraph.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Post Office ..	4 12 8	117 3 6	689 2 9	..	203 16 11½	1,014 15 10½	..	122 16 2	1,420 10 8	1,543 6 10	2,558 2 8½
Auckland	291 4 5	1,044 6 1	59,552 14 6½	646 7 0½	2 10 2	61,537 2 3	22,917 5 11½	2,135 7 10	32 7 3	25,085 1 0½	86,622 3 3½
Blenheim	18 18 9	46 16 3	2,469 8 11½	33 1 1½	0 5 2	2,568 10 3	1,668 0 2½	2,051 12 0	5 12 9	3,725 4 11½	6,293 15 2½
Christchurch	111 19 3	350 9 5	30,206 2 11	187 14 6	0 12 0	30,856 18 1	10,507 17 4	1,371 17 10	2 11 3	11,882 6 5	42,739 4 6
Dunedin	36 17 9	302 15 2	18,792 16 7½	218 3 3	2 3 6	19,352 16 3½	8,184 14 3½	15,991 1 8	13 2 10	24,188 18 9½	43,541 15 1
Gisborne	10 14 11	100 16 6	4,554 19 0½	49 4 7½	0 13 6	4,716 8 7	3,664 9 10½	6,154 6 11	1 0 0	9,819 16 9½	14,536 5 4½
Greymouth	6 3 8	82 3 0	2,469 6 4	33 17 5	0 0 6	2,591 10 11	1,560 17 0½	1,025 5 5	1 18 6	2,588 0 11½	5,179 11 10½
Hokitika	5 14 3	17 3 2	709 17 9½	12 1 3½	0 5 0	745 1 6	585 0 6	328 11 1	0 2 6	913 14 1	1,658 15 7
Invercargill	37 12 0	129 12 11	9,116 3 2½	113 9 7	0 8 0	9,397 5 8½	4,692 10 0	6,317 7 10	8 11 2	11,018 9 0	20,415 14 8½
Napier	49 12 7	197 8 9	11,360 9 5	141 11 2	0 10 0	11,749 11 11	7,443 13 5½	12,575 1 4½	5 4 3	20,023 19 1	31,773 11 0
Nelson	18 14 1	79 10 3	3,585 0 4½	49 5 7	1 18 6	3,734 8 9½	2,099 0 4½	2,948 1 10	5 11 8	5,052 13 10½	8,787 2 8
New Plymouth	59 15 2	147 8 10	9,908 8 0	108 8 8½	0 9 0	10,224 9 8½	4,352 5 9½	5,831 10 10½	4 11 11	10,188 8 7	20,412 18 3½
Oamaru	9 2 3	37 0 0	2,876 2 1	36 18 2	0 11 6	2,959 14 0	1,462 16 9	1,535 10 11	..	2,998 7 8	5,958 1 8
Thames	43 7 8	140 10 7	5,762 17 7½	105 18 5½	0 2 8	6,052 17 0	3,261 4 5½	3,497 6 9	0 7 6	6,758 18 8½	12,811 15 8½
Timaru	20 4 4	79 12 6	6,309 14 0	47 19 11½	0 9 0	6,457 19 9½	3,182 13 4	96 1 5	..	3,278 14 9	9,736 14 6½
Wanganui	60 6 4	185 2 8	10,894 17 4½	134 10 3½	0 11 4	11,275 8 0	5,632 11 5	8,422 10 0	0 7 0	14,055 8 5	25,330 16 5
Wellington	182 3 10	1,081 16 11	62,133 1 3½	403 11 3½	3 16 0	63,804 9 4	30,068 19 0	1,790 14 11½	3 6 0	31,862 19 11½	95,667 9 3½
Westport	6 1 11	59 9 0	1,214 9 3	24 6 9½	0 7 6	1,304 14 5½	958 14 2	461 10 4	0 5 0	1,420 9 6	2,725 3 11½
Totals, 3rd quarter in 1918	973 5 10	4,199 5 6	242,605 11 7	2,346 9 3	219 10 3½	250,344 2 5½	112,242 13 11½	72,656 15 2½	1,505 10 3	186,404 19 5	436,749 1 10½
Totals, 3rd quarter in 1917	733 2 8	4,262 7 6	224,671 19 4½	2,415 6 3	180 7 6	232,263 3 3½	105,697 12 4½	67,524 5 1½	4,253 11 1	177,475 8 7	409,738 11 10½

General Post Office, Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

W. R. MORRIS, Secretary.

Oct. 24.]

THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE.

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STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the **CONSOLIDATED**
ORDINARY REVENUE

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		RECEIPTS	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
1,694,378	2 8	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account	945,851	16 5
		Imprests outstanding—		
		In the hands of Officers of the Government	1,373,455	3 2
665,002	4 4	In London	183,493	19 8
233,184	13 10	On account of other Governments	19,316	0 3
8,221	2 8	On account of Imperial Pensions	3,260	4 5
16	8 11	Investment Account	8,584,799	9 7
3,604,974	10 2			
6,205,777	2 7			11,110,166 13 6
		Ordinary Revenue,—		
844,496	17 7	Customs	922,124	18 6
433,093	6 7	Stamp and Death Duties	513,295	18 5
415,300	5 1	Postal and Telegraph Revenue	417,431	3 10
3,088	6 10	Land-tax	20,869	17 2
15,338	0 8	Income-tax	101,764	12 6
49,935	7 8	Beer Duty	58,063	18 8
1,063,247	7 3	Railways	1,067,198	17 2
24,011	18 8	Registration and other Fees	24,086	10 10
9,549	7 8	Marine	7,206	14 10
128,224	1 3	Miscellaneous	251,471	10 2
2,986,234	19 3		3,383,514	2 1
73,507	2 7	Territorial Revenue,—		
		Pastoral Runs, Rents, and Miscellaneous	67,538	9 10
3,059,742	1 10			3,451,052 11 11
		Recoveries on account of Expenditure of previous Years		
121	5 11	Unauthorized	2,861	12 3
3,159	14 1			2,861 12 3
3,281	0 0			
		Temporary transfer to the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Account under Section 56 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910, now restored to the Consolidated Fund..		
7,500	0 0			
£9,276,300	4 5	Totals		£14,564,080 17 8

STATE FORESTS

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
10,366	0 4	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	4,738	5 5		
		Cash in the Public Account				
		Imprests outstanding—				
2,682	11 11	In the Dominion	2,313	4 10	7,051	10 3
13,048	12 3					
7,269	9 8	Rents, Royalties, &c., from Lands set apart			1,883	10 2
		Contributions from the Consolidated Fund towards cost of forest-tree growing and planting			5,000	0 0
£20,318	1 11	Totals			£18,935	0 5

FUND for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
5,444	1 2	Permanent Appropriations,—				
508,453	0 10	Civil List	6,486	3 4		
180,308	3 9	Interest and Sinking Fund	962,408	4 11		
72,998	8 6	Under Special Acts of the Legislature	174,387	15 5		
		Subsidies paid to Local Bodies	77,972	4 10		
18,577	8 7	Amounts paid over to Local Bodies and to Deposit Accounts—				
		Payments under the Land Acts	18,081	16 7		
		Endowments—				
1,449	8 9	New Plymouth Harbour Board				
2,749	13 6	Greymouth Harbour Board	1,849	11 11		
10,596	11 3	Westport Harbour Board	9,580	12 4		
10,049	5 5	National Endowment Residue	10,882	8 6		
132,985	0 7	Pensions Act, 1913—				
11,428	5 0	Old-age Pensions	186,090	18 7		
12,628	16 9	Widows' Pensions	18,210	10 0		
105,383	13 11	Military Pensions	13,102	9 11		
		War Pensions Act, 1915	333,851	7 8		
1,073,051	18 0				1,812,904	4 0
		Annual Appropriations,—				
13,346	13 9	Class I.—Legislative Departments	6,281	12 10		
23,305	5 8	" II.—Department of Finance	36,824	16 6		
356,458	0 5	" III.—Post and Telegraph Department	494,100	12 1		
716,470	7 1	" IV.—Working Railways Department	831,094	19 2		
25,991	17 1	" V.—Public Buildings, Domains, and Maintenance of Roads	28,952	16 6		
6,434	18 5	" VI.—Native Department	7,555	19 2		
103,389	6 6	" VII.—Justice Department	140,996	2 3		
5,577	18 0	" VIII.—Mines Department	8,045	8 10		
121,578	8 4	" IX.—Department of Internal Affairs	105,648	2 11		
116,368	1 4	" X.—Defence Department	113,852	15 8		
41,528	16 11	" XI.—Customs, Marine and Harbours, and Inspection of Machinery Departments	41,821	5 7		
8,006	3 6	" XII.—Department of Labour	9,206	18 5		
53,095	2 2	" XIII.—Department of Lands and Survey	64,447	10 7		
69,019	9 4	" XIV.—Department of Agriculture, Industries, and Commerce	55,753	3 6		
382,447	14 3	" XV.—Education Department	424,115	12 0		
Cr. 14,457	17 6	Services not provided for	17,473	10 1		
2,028,560	5 3		2,386,171	6 1		
21	18 6	Less Expenditure charged to "Unauthorized" during previous Quarter now transferred to respective Appropriations			2,386,171	6 1
2,028,538	6 9					
128,362	4 7	Expenditure for Purchase of Wheat				
7,500	0 0	Temporary transfer to Rangitaiki Land Drainage Account under Section 56 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910, as per contra				
1,338,813	13 1	Balance at end of Quarter,—				
928,294	19 3	Cash in the Public Account	1,551,424	19 5		
146,466	15 10	Imprests outstanding—				
11,082	4 6	In the hands of Officers of the Government	928,838	7 4		
1,344	16 2	In London	237,801	18 5		
3,612,845	6 3	On account of other Governments	42,443	17 1		
		On account of Imperial Pensions	6,866	1 2		
6,038,847	15 1	Investment Account	7,597,630	4 2		
£9,276,300	4 5	Totals			10,365,005	7 7
					£14,564,080	17 8

ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
9,318	10 5	Annual Appropriation,—				
		Vote—State Forests Branch			7,267	17 3
		Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued			860	5 11
0	7 0	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—				
		Finance Act, 1916, Section 50—				
		Charges and Expenses				
9,145	12 11	Balance at end of Quarter,—				
1,853	11 7	Cash in the Public Account	2,157	11 4		
		Imprests outstanding—				
		In the Dominion	3,649	5 11		
10,999	4 6				5,806	17 3
£20,318	1 11	Totals			£13,935	0 5

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED

STATE COAL-

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT. 1917.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter.—	£	s. d.
67,801	1 8	Cash in the Public Account	93,973	4 1
9,991	15 5	Imprests outstanding—		
		In the Dominion	12,816	11 1
77,792	17 1			106,789 15 2
87,664	16 0	Proceeds of Sale of Coal		82,111 10 0
£165,457	13 1	Totals		£188,901 5 2

SCENERY PRESERVATION

£		s. d.		Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		£		s. d.		£		s. d.	
4,150	4 5			Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	3,242	13 4		
76	16 3			Rents .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	71	15 6		
£4,227	0 8			Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	£3,314	8 10		

ACCOUNTS OF

£		s. d.		Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		£		s. d.		£		s. d.	
21,831	8 6			Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..	..	12,321	19 0		
529	5 3			Revenue received for Local Bodies,—									
720	8 6			Fees, Fines, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1,859	14 9		
4,173	4 2			Endowments of Land, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	18	5 1		
2,942	1 9			Goldfields Revenue .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	4,306	18 9		
				Gold Duty .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	4,433	11 8		
8,364	19 8											10,618	10 3
1	3 6			Advance Accounts,—									
				Amounts repaid by Local Bodies .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..			10,038	11 10
£30,197	11 8			Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	£32,979	1 1		

FUND for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively—*continued*

MINES ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918			
£	s. d.	Annual Appropriation,— Vote—State Coal-mines	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
68,018	9 6	.. .. .	..	..	72,901	17 9
4,357	4 6	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	4,357	4 7
68,187	1 7	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	100,030	9 6		
24,894	17 6	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	11,611	13 4	111,642	2 10
93,081	19 1					
£165,457	13 1	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£188,901	5 2

ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.	Expenditure under Section 11 of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
432	11 0	.. .. .	..	..	808	4 5
3,794	9 8	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	2,486	4 5		
..	..	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	20	0 0	2,506	4 5
3,794	9 8					
£4,227	0 8	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£3,314	8 10

LOCAL BODIES.

£	s. d.	Revenue paid over to Local Bodies, &c.,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
3,495	6 11	Fees, Fines, &c.	2,757	12 11		
506	18 5	Endowments of Land, &c... .. .	68	5 6		
2,419	2 7	Goldfields Revenue	3,258	18 5		
235	10 3	Gold Duty	4,369	13 7	10,449	10 5
6,656	18 2					
9,791	16 6	Advance Accounts,— Payments on behalf of Local Bodies.. .. .	..	..	10,000	12 0
13,748	17 0	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	12,528	18 8
£30,197	11 8	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£32,979	1 1

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONSOLIDATED
NAVAL DEFENCE

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.	RECEIPTS	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.		
£ s. d. 117 11 9	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
£117 11 9	Totals .. .. .	..	..

DEPOSIT

£ s. d. 665,302 16 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 475,224 5 5	£ s. d.
5,231,599 1 5	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	7,239,930 2 5	
2,172,112 6 6	In London	319,774 13 0	
1,407,220 16 8	Investment Account (State Advances Office Account, £1,162,000)	1,212,000 0 0	9,246,929 0 10
9,476,235 0 8			
43,716 18 11	Lodgments,— Butter-fat Adjustment Account	831 9 5	
17,518 6 7	Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1914— Primary-education Endowments—		
32 1 0	Rents (Section 2)	22,008 9 3	
453 8 3	Sales (Section 3) .. .. .	..
330 4 7	Secondary-education Endowments (Section 2, Rents)—	£ s. d.	
565 18 2	Auckland Provincial District	573 1 4	
590 12 10	Taranaki Provincial District	409 9 6	
41 9 2	Wellington Provincial District	685 7 2	
8 15 9	Hawke's Bay Provincial District	543 15 4	
36 6 9	Nelson Provincial District	19 7 2	
275 1 5	Marlborough Provincial District	76 2 4	
	Westland Provincial District	183 9 11	
	Otago Provincial District	289 7 11	
		2,735 0 8	
25 0 0	General Assembly Library .. .. .	..
232 16 1	Gold Duty Suspense Account	540 7 4	
1 9 4	Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909	0 5 0	
	Imperial Government Butter-supply Account	50,108 13 10	
	Imperial Government Canned-rabbits Supply Account	3,600 0 0	
300,000 0 0	Imperial Government Cheese-supply Account	300,121 16 0	
232 0 0	Imperial Government Condensed-milk Supply Account .. .. .	..
	Imperial Government Frozen-rabbits Supply Account	12,000 0 0	
	Imperial Government Glaxo-supply Account	20,150 0 0	
175,000 0 0	Imperial Government Hides-supply Account	38,625 13 7	
1,225,000 0 0	Imperial Government Meat-supply Account	605,000 0 0	
5,000 0 0	Imperial Government Scheelite-supply Account	13,000 0 0	
	Imperial Government Supplies Branch Suspense Account	18,808 12 5	
900,000 0 0	Imperial Government Wool-supply Account	1,130,000 0 0	
9,277 17 11	Imperial Government Wool-supply Account (Pelts) .. .. .	..
	Land Act, 1908—		
568 15 1	Mining Districts Land Occupation Account	523 3 6	
108,233 1 6	Miscellaneous	199,238 11 3	
30,815 0 0	Money-order Settlement Account	69,744 16 3	
34 0 0	Nelson Rifle Prize Fund	13 0 0	
1 10 0	New Zealand University Endowment, Westland	1 10 0	
37 10 0	North Island Experimental Dairy School	23 10 0	
14,610 1 7	Public Trust Office Remittance Account	24,231 17 10	
	Retail Butter Business Account	14,463 15 5	
	Special Coal Rate—		
839 1 9	Westport Harbour Board Act, 1884	1,490 8 2	
305 13 7	Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Act 1910 Account	326 8 1	
21 8 0	Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1910	94 1 6	
649 7 8	Trustee Act, 1908	47 11 1	
2,834,573 15 11			2,527,889 0 7
£12,310,808 16 7	Totals .. .. .	..	£11,774,818 1 5

FUND for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively—continued.

ACT ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
117	11 9	Balance at end of Quarter,—				
		Cash in the Public Account				
£117	11 9	Totals				

ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
32,201	7 1	Withdrawals,—				
		Butter-fat Adjustment Account	815	8 5		
		Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1914—				
		Primary-education Endowments—				
17,518	6 7	Rents (Section 2)	22,008	9 3		
5,000	0 0	Sales (Section 3)	987	7 4		
		Secondary-education Endowments (Section 2, Rents)—				
		Auckland Provincial District	335	10 11		
211	16 3	Taranaki Provincial District	145	1 7		
172	4 5	Wellington Provincial District	224	9 9		
509	14 4	Hawke's Bay Provincial District	234	2 3		
164	13 5	Nelson Provincial District	163	4 2		
136	11 7	Westland Provincial District	12	2 3		
11	8 0	Otago Provincial District	226	11 11		
237	4 3					
		Gold Duty Suspense Account	1,341	2 10		
		Imperial Government Butter-supply Account	0	6 7		
		Imperial Government Canned-rabbits Supply Account	212,589	9 9		
1,113,537	17 7	Imperial Government Cheese-supply Account	13,877	8 10		
18,051	7 4	Imperial Government Condensed-milk Supply Account	1,120,883	2 6		
		Imperial Government Frozen-rabbits Supply Account	24,183	12 6		
		Imperial Government Glaxo-supply Account	28,591	1 0		
185,699	14 3	Imperial Government Hides-supply Account	65,978	19 11		
3,213,798	6 3	Imperial Government Meat-supply Account	3,942,190	4 8		
11,209	8 2	Imperial Government Scheelite-supply Account	18,397	2 7		
		Imperial Government Supplies Branch Suspense Account	17,418	19 9		
2,275,344	3 3	Imperial Government Wool-supply Account	2,269,328	14 0		
7,384	1 6	Imperial Government Wool-supply Account (Pelts)				
		Land Act, 1908—				
766	5 2	Mining Districts Land Occupation Account				
		Maori Land Settlement Act, 1905	37	7 4		
99,617	11 11	Miscellaneous	219,680	5 11		
52,279	10 4	Money-order Settlement Account	66,810	17 4		
19,168	15 2	Public Trust Office Remittance Account	9,077	1 1		
		Retail Butter Business Account	22,049	15 1		
104,514	17 11	State Advances Office Account				
1,223	18 0	Taranaki Scholarships Endowment Act 1910 Account				
4	10 0	Thermal Springs Districts Act, 1910	17	9 0		
7,158,763	12 9				8,056,264	5 8
		Balance at end of Quarter,—				
436,293	12 1	Cash in the Public Account	316,985	9 2		
		Imprests outstanding—				
3,158,313	2 0	In the Dominion	1,902,867	6 0		
150,217	13 1	In London	286,701	0 7		
1,407,220	16 8	Investment Account (State Advances Office Account, £1,162,000)	1,212,000	0 0		
5,152,045	3 10				3,718,553	15 9
£12,310,808	16 7	Totals			£11,774,818	1 5

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
191,579	8 8	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	215,400	11 2
		Cash in the Public Account		
		Imprests outstanding—		
148,364	18 6	In the hands of Officers of the Government	269,212	16 2
1,799	10 11	In London		
200,000	0 0	Investment Account		
541,749	18 1		484,618	7 4
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		Finance Act, 1917, Section 77—		
		Debentures issued	300,000	0 0
		Special Receipts in connection with the Ellesmere and Forsyth Reclamation and Akaroa Railway Trust Account	727	7 4
687	5 10	Recoveries on account of Expenditure of previous Years	913	14 1
710	0 0			
£549,140	18 11	Totals	£786,254	8 9

AID TO WATER-

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
3,672	8 4	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—				
		Cash in the Public Account				
		Imprests outstanding—				
10,738	0 11	In the hands of Officers of the Government				
14,405	9 3					
£14,405	9 3	Totals				

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
30,322	4 11	Annual Appropriations,—		
153,695	6 9	Class XVI.—Public Works, Departmental	33,247	1 0
48,183	6 4	XVII.—Railways	87,570	19 8
974	17 1	XVIII.—Public Buildings	60,807	16 9
61	12 5	XIX.—Lighthouses, Harbour-works, and Harbour-defences	958	8 4
994	16 5	XX.—Tourist and Health Resorts	48	9 6
		XXI.—Immigration	5,551	4 6
31,727	14 5	XXII.—Construction, Maintenance, and Supervision of Roads, Bridges, and other Public Works	41,577	2 11
		XXIII.—Development of Mining		
		XXIV.—Telegraph Extension	98,459	19 0
1,269	13 5	XXV.—Contingent Defence	1,579	14 9
395	13 2	XXVI.—Lands Improvement	51	8 2
3,053	14 10	XXVII.—Irrigation and Water-supply	4,268	0 3
573	16 10	XXVIII.—Plant, Material, and Stores	4,973	3 8
		Services not provided for	100	0 0
271,197	16 7		339,193	8 6
5	0 0	Less Expenditure charged to "Unauthorized" during previous Quarter now transferred to relative Appropriation		
271,192	16 7			339,193 8 6
		Ellesmere Land Drainage Act, 1905,—		
		Expenditure under Section 6, Subsection (1)		439 5 0
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
0	7 0	Charges and Expenses in respect of Loans raised under—		
		Finance Act, 1916, Section 49 (Aid to Public Works)		
138,777	10 8	Balance at end of Quarter,—	258,399	13 6
133,154	9 0	Cash in the Public Account	188,222	1 9
15	15 8	Imprests outstanding—		
		In the hands of Officers of the Government		
		In London		
271,947	15 4			446,621 15 3
£543,140	18 11	Totals		£786,254 8 9

POWER WORKS ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
5,925	3 0	Annual Appropriation,—				
		Vote—Development of Water-power				
0	3 6	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—				
		Aid to Water-power Works Act, 1910—				
		Charges and Expenses				
2,046	17 5	Balance at end of Quarter,—				
6,433	5 4	Cash in the Public Account				
8,480	2 9	Imprests outstanding—				
		In the hands of Officers of the Government				
£14,405	9 3	Totals				

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC
THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENT

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.
£ s. d. 45,471 18 6	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 7,330 3 4
..	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914— Debentures issued	25,000 0 0
£45,471 18 6	Totals	£32,330 3 4

THE WAIHOU AND OHINEMURI

£ s. d. 13,688 8 9	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 2,943 18 9	£ s. d.
3,467 12 6	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	3,757 19 7	
45,000 0 0	Investment Account	30,000 0 0	36,701 18 4
62,156 1 3	Contributions under the Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement Act, 1910 (Sections 17 and 18), and Amendment Act, 1912,— Gold-mining Companies .. .. .	..	..
333 3 10	Interest on Securities held by Investment Account .. .. .	..	..
913 17 4	.. .. .	..	..
£63,403 2 5	Totals .. .. .	..	£36,701 18 4

ELECTRIC

£ s. d. ..	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. 34,810 16 6	£ s. d.
..	Imprests outstanding— In the hands of Officers of the Government	4,175 14 6	38,986 11 0
..	State Supply of Electrical Energy Act, 1917, Section 8, — Sales of Electric Energy	9,049 4 1	9,349 15 8
..	Miscellaneous Receipts	300 11 7	..
..	Totals .. .. .	..	£48,336 6 8

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively—*continued*.
AUTHORIZATION ACT 1914 ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
20,319	19 1	Expenditure under Section 5 of the Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914	..	17,145 12 11
0	7 0	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914— Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	..
25,151	12 5	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	15,184 10 5
£45,471	18 6	Totals .. .. .	..	£32,330 3 4

RIVERS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
2,409	3 11	Expenditure under Section 17 of the Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement Act, 1910 .. .. .	..	..	4,743	0 3
1,750	0 0	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued ..	..	..	1,750	0 0
10,685	4 8	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	9,685	9 1		
3,558	13 10	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	5,523	9 0		
45,000	0 0	Investment Account	15,000	0 0		
59,243	18 6				30,208	18 1
£63,403	2 5	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£36,701	18 4

SUPPLY ACCOUNT.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Annual Appropriation,— Vote—Development of Water-power .. .. .	..	..	8,101	14 2
..	..	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	33,980	12 1		
..	..	Imprests outstanding— In the hands of Officers of the Government	6,254	0 5		
..	..	Totals .. .. .	..	..	40,234	12 6
..	£48,336	6 8

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the PUBLIC

TELEGRAPH

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.
£ s. d. 1,177 14 1	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. ..
71,463 10 1	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion .. .. .	..
72,641 4 2		..
£72,641 4 2	Totals .. .. .	..

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CHEVIOT

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
37,005 1 6	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	23,101 6 0	123,101 6 0
75,000 0 0	Investment Account	100,000 0 0	
112,005 1 6			
4,977 19 11	Receipts under the Land Act, 1908,— Rents from Lands .. .. .	..	5,791 12 7
311 2 8	Interest on Securities held by Investment Account .. .. .	..	500 0 0
£117,294 4 1	Totals .. .. .	..	£129,392 18 7

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NATIVE LAND

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
21,565 1 9	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	35,254 9 5	
56,510 15 1	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	29,812 7 9	65,066 17 2
78,075 16 10			
70,000 0 0	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Native Land Amendment Act, 1913— Debentures issued .. .. .	..	50,000 0 0
8,723 1 3	Rents, &c. .. .. .	..	11,723 5 0
7,871 15 8	Amount received in respect of Survey Liens .. .. .	..	4,724 9 5
444 5 5	Repayments of Advances by Maori Land Boards under Section 274 of the Native Land Act, 1909,— Principal	461 13 4	
449 17 11	Interest	432 10 0	
894 3 4			894 3 4
8,787 12 5	Land-sales .. .. .	..	2,069 19 10
£174,352 9 6	Totals .. .. .	..	£134,478 14 9

WORKS FUND for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively—*continued.*

EXTENSION ACCOUNT.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.			EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.		
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.
37,221	5	2	Annual Appropriation,—				£	s.	d.
			Vote—Telegraph Extension	..	..	..	..		..
10,652	0	9	Balance at end of Quarter,—				..		
			Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	..
24,767	18	3	Imprests outstanding—						
			In the Dominion	..	..	..	..		..
35,419	19	0							
£72,641	4	2	Totals	..	..	..	..		..

ESTATE ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.			EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.		
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.
4,433	1	3	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued	..			£	s.	d.
							..		4,433 1 3
27,861	2	10	Balance at end of Quarter,—				9,959	17	4
			Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	115,000	0	0
85,000	0	0	Investment Account	..	..	..			124,959 17 4
112,861	2	10							
£117,294	4	1	Totals	..	..	..	..		£129,392 18 7

SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.			EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.		
£	s.	d.					£	s.	d.
496	5	5	Annual Appropriation,—				£	s.	d.
			Vote—Native Land Purchase Expenses	..	..	..	..		508 6 0
8,021	6	6	Expenditure under the Act,—				11,175	13	10
			Lands Department	..	..	..	37,589	6	8
20,296	3	7	Native Department	..	..	..			48,765 0 6
28,317	10	1							
31,387	15	4	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued	..			..		35,749 3 5
0	3	6	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—				..		..
			Native Land Amendment Act, 1913—						
			Charges and Expenses	..	..	..
29,046	4	11	Balance at end of Quarter,—				14,399	11	11
			Cash in the Public Account	..	..	..	35,056	12	11
85,104	10	3	Imprests outstanding—						49,456 4 10
			In the Dominion	..	..	..
114,150	15	2							
£174,352	9	6	Totals	..	..	..	..		£134,478 14 9

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		RECEIPTS.				QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.			
£	s. d.					£	s. d.	£	s. d.
134,095	5 11	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—				£	s. d.		
..	..	Cash in the Public Account				54,711	3 5		
		Less Bank Order No. 202, unexercised on 30th June, 1918				2,469	5 3		
								52,241	18 2
		Imprests outstanding—							
		In the Dominion						2,391	9 5
271	0 1	Investment Account							
145,000	0 0								
279,366	6 0								54,633 7 7
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—							
		Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913 —							
		Debentures issued							20,000 0 0
		Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, Section 5,—							
		Sale of Crown Lands							35,206 10 1
36,337	0 5								
		Receipts derived from Estates,—							
		Rents, &c.						152,125	1 6
153,325	5 10	Sales						41,634	9 0
35,567	14 5								193,759 10 6
188,893	0 3								
		Proceeds of Sale of Workers' Dwellings on Settlement Lands under Section 16 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910							1,884 12 1
2,014	7 4								
		Recoveries on account of Estates,—							
		Teviot							698 18 7
		Credits in Reduction,—							
		Te Arai						0 5 3	
87	13 4	Lees Valley							0 5 3
87	13 4								
		Receipts on account of Capital Value of Land under the Land Act, 1908, Section 191							18 3 4
		Interest on Securities held by Investment Account							9,983 6 7
506,698	7 4	Carried forward							316,184 14 0

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.			
—		Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.	—
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto,—				
..		Allen Settlement (Allen, E.)	3,914	18 0	3,914	18 0
56	4 4	Aorangi .. .. .	..	0 1 3	0	1 3
1	1 10	Ardgowan .. .. .	..	1 15 2	1	15 2
1	5 0	Ardlussa .. .. .	..	..	..	..
1	7 9	Argyll .. .. .	..	2 14 6	2	14 6
51,385	16 4	Awanui (Johnston, Mrs. S. and Miss A. B., and Riddiford, J. M.) .. .. .	..	..	..	..
76	16 6	Balachraggan .. .. .	..	11 12 0	11	12 0
0	14 4	Barnego .. .. .	..	0 13 2	0	13 2
2	0 11	Bartholomew .. .. .	..	1 17 2	1	17 2
..		Beatty (Beatty, John)	2,074	13 6	2,079	1 0
..		Beaumont .. .. .	..	0 10 7	0	10 7
10	4 6	Bellamy .. .. .	..	5 17 1	5	17 1
26	10 1	Bickerstaffe .. .. .	..	58 13 9	58	13 9
..		Bourndale .. .. .	..	0 10 6	0	10 6
..		Bowater (Bowater, Mrs. L. A.)	900	0 0	900	0 0
..		Braeburn .. .. .	..	2 19 9	2	19 9
..		Bruce's Settlement .. .. .	..	3 11 3	3	11 3
..		Buckley Settlement .. .. .	..	4 10 0	4	10 0
..		Burke's Homestead .. .. .	..	1 10 4	1	10 4
..		Carlton (Carlton, John)	1,811	5 0	1,811	5 0
1	11 6	Carrington .. .. .	..	1 14 0	1	14 0
0	18 3	Clandon .. .. .	..	..	..	..
0	16 3	Clayton .. .. .	..	257 2 5	257	2 5
3	4 9	Clifford .. .. .	..	0 13 11	0	13 11
7	13 4	Clifton .. .. .	..	16 19 6	16	19 6
2	14 0	Conical Hills .. .. .	..	1 8 10	1	8 10
..		Cossar (Cossar, M. C.)	341	19 3	341	19 3
0	11 1	Cradock .. .. .	..	0 12 7	0	12 7
157	10 3	Craigmore .. .. .	..	5 0 0	5	0 0
0	6 3	Cricklewood .. .. .	..	6 0 11	6	0 11
..		Croydon .. .. .	..	21 0 8	21	0 8
..		D'Ath (D'Ath, J. H.)	3,660	0 0	3,660	0 0
..		Dickson (Dickson, A. J. M.)	4,996	13 9	4,996	13 9
8	14 2	Dyer .. .. .	..	8 16 8	8	16 8
0	3 11	Earnsclough .. .. .	..	0 1 5	0	1 5
..		Easton (Easton, T. J.)	4,750	0 0	4,750	0 0
0	8 1	Eccleston No. 2 .. .. .	..	0 6 7	0	6 7
1	2 2	Edendale .. .. .	..	4 1 7	4	1 7
2	7 2	Elderslie .. .. .	..	..	..	..
..		Elderslie No. 2 .. .. .	..	0 10 10	0	10 10
0	0 6	Elsthorpe .. .. .	..	0 2 1	0	2 1
0	9 3	Epuni .. .. .	..	0 11 4	0	11 4
10	15 2	Erina .. .. .	..	24 10 0	24	10 0
0	10 0	Ermedale .. .. .	..	..	..	..
84	13 3	Fairfield .. .. .	..	1 8 8	1	8 8
95	10 11	Falloon .. .. .	..	1 16 8	1	16 8
15	10 3	Fencourt .. .. .	..	31 2 9	31	2 9
23	11 1	Flaxbourne .. .. .	..	25 0 3	25	0 3
0	6 4	Forest Gate .. .. .	..	..	..	..
0	9 3	Galloway .. .. .	..	0 7 0	0	7 0
..		Gardner (Gardner, Mrs. Mabel)	3,499	7 6	3,499	7 6
..		Gibson (Gibson, R. B.)	2,554	19 9	2,554	19 9
..		Gillies (Gillies, P. A.)	13,982	0 0	13,982	0 0
..		Gladbrook .. .. .	..	59 16 3	59	16 3
0	5 0	Glenham .. .. .	..	..	..	..
349	9 7	Glenmark .. .. .	..	43 11 6	43	11 6
2	19 4	Gorton .. .. .	..	11 8 0	11	8 0
..		Graham (Graham, James)	320	0 0	320	0 0
1	0 2	Greenfield .. .. .	..	0 1 6	0	1 6
130	10 9	Greystoke .. .. .	..	2 15 2	2	15 2
0	14 3	Gwavas .. .. .	..	0 7 9	0	7 9
1	8 5	Hall-Jones .. .. .	..	1 9 3	1	9 3
3	3 10	Hatuma .. .. .	..	1 3 10	1	3 10
0	4 6	Hawtreay .. .. .	..	0 4 0	0	4 0
0	16 11	Heatherlea .. .. .	..	1 5 5	1	5 5
1	13 10	Hetana .. .. .	..	4 9 8	4	9 8
0	7 8	Hilderthorpe .. .. .	..	0 13 3	0	13 3
24	10 11	Hillersden .. .. .	..	2 1 8	2	1 8
27,334	14 0	Homebrook (Bridge, E. Frances) .. .. .	..	818 1 3	818	1 3
0	11 2	Janefield .. .. .	..	0 7 7	0	7 7
79,834	9 1	Carried forward	42,805	16 9	1,458	8 9
					44,264	5 6

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£ s. d. 506 698 7 4	Brought forward 	£ s. d.	£ s. d. 316,184 14 0
506,698 7 4	Carried forward .. .. .. .. ..	.. .. ..	316,184 14 0

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively—continued.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
		Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.	Incidental Expenses.	Total.		
£	s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£	s. d.	£ s. d.
79,834	9 1	Brought forward	42,805 16 9	1,458 8 9	44,264	5 6	
Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto—continued.							
..		Jungle Settlement No. 1 .. .. .	..	13 0 0	13	0 0	
..		Jungle Settlement No. 2 .. .. .	..	12 0 0	12	0 0	
4	8 6	Karapiro .. .. .	..	23 3 5	23	3 5	
0	0 8	Kauroo Hill .. .. .	..	5 4 5	5	4 5	
0	9 5	Kitchener .. .. .	..	1 4 2	1	4 2	
5	6 10	Knowsley Park .. .. .	..	0 11 10	0	11 10	
..		Kopane .. .. .	..	5 3 1	5	3 1	
0	13 5	Kumeroa .. .. .	..	..	..	..
0	13 10	Kurow .. .. .	..	..	..	..
0	10 0	Lake .. .. .	..	32 10 9	32	10 9	
491	16 9	Lakeview (Brown, Archibald) .. .. .	..	..	..	..
13	4 3	Lamont .. .. .	..	0 13 7	0	13 7	
0	13 7	Langdale .. .. .	..	1 18 8	1	18 8	
70	18 3	Leeston .. .. .	..	10 5 0	10	5 0	
..		Lees Valley .. .. .	..	100 7 0	100	7 0	
24	11 10	Lindsay .. .. .	..	2 14 5	2	14 5	
62	13 4	Longbush .. .. .	..	127 11 5	127	11 5	
0	2 8	Lynnton Downs .. .. .	..	..	..	..
0	7 5	Maerewhenua .. .. .	..	1 19 7	1	19 7	
63	6 5	Mahupuku .. .. .	..	122 6 11	122	6 11	
..		Maitland .. .. .	..	14 0 6	14	0 6	
62	13 3	Makareao and Extension .. .. .	..	16 2 0	16	2 0	
197	5 7	Makowhai .. .. .	..	6 19 11	6	19 11	
..		Makowhai Extension (trustees of late R. B. McKenzie and Stewart McKenzie)	6,369 8 11	..	6,369	8 11	
..		Manga-a-toro .. .. .	..	2 3 8	2	3 8	
6	11 7	Mangapouri .. .. .	..	13 14 4	13	14 4	
5	7 4	Mangatahi .. .. .	..	1 16 9	1	16 9	
..		Mangateparu .. .. .	..	329 14 7	329	14 7	
8	11 2	Mangawhero .. .. .	..	7 18 11	7	18 11	
1	16 1	Maori Hill .. .. .	..	1 1 0	1	1 0	
30	13 10	Marakeke .. .. .	..	461 4 11	461	4 11	
0	14 2	Matakanui .. .. .	..	..	..	..
66	1 9	Matamata .. .. .	..	185 9 4	185	9 4	
0	5 3	Maungaraki .. .. .	..	0 3 9	0	3 9	
1	4 9	Meadowbank .. .. .	..	1 5 1	1	5 1	
0	3 0	Melling .. .. .	..	0 1 6	0	1 6	
..		Merrivale .. .. .	..	0 5 10	0	5 10	
2	6 6	Merrivale No. 1 .. .. .	..	1 14 6	1	14 6	
2	10 1	Merrivale No. 2 .. .. .	..	2 0 1	2	0 1	
0	19 6	Methuen .. .. .	..	3 6 5	3	6 5	
0	10 1	Momona .. .. .	..	..	..	..
..		Monaghan (Monaghan, F. J.)	2,498 5 0	..	2,498	5 0	
..		Ngahuhu .. .. .	..	15 1 9	15	1 9	
0	8 2	Ngatapa .. .. .	..	0 7 1	0	7 1	
0	5 6	Normandale .. .. .	..	0 13 1	0	13 1	
3	0 4	Northbank .. .. .	..	..	..	..
5	17 10	Ohauti .. .. .	..	10 3 11	10	3 11	
6	1 7	Okauia .. .. .	..	3 15 1	3	15 1	
11	4 3	Opouriao .. .. .	..	82 8 8	82	8 8	
..		Otahu .. .. .	..	0 0 8	0	0 8	
25	6 2	Otamauri .. .. .	..	168 4 10	168	4 10	
46	6 9	Otanomono .. .. .	..	0 5 10	0	5 10	
1	18 7	Otekaike .. .. .	..	5 6 7	5	6 7	
8	2 8	Otway .. .. .	..	15 6 8	15	6 8	
..		Oughton Settlement (Oughton, W. H.)	3,099 14 10	..	3,099	14 10	
75	11 3	Pakarau .. .. .	..	15 2 5	15	2 5	
0	2 8	Paparangi .. .. .	..	0 10 10	0	10 10	
48	13 1	Parahi .. .. .	..	8 4 6	8	4 6	
20	11 7	Parkes .. .. .	..	0 15 9	0	15 9	
..		Parrant (Parrant, J. L.)	1,840 5 9	..	1,840	5 9	
..		Phair (Phair, C. C.)	2,420 0 0	..	2,420	0 0	
0	1 10	Pitt .. .. .	..	0 3 4	0	3 4	
0	4 10	Plumer .. .. .	..	1 19 10	1	19 10	
0	4 2	Plunkett .. .. .	..	0 7 6	0	7 6	
0	12 0	Poerua .. .. .	..	0 19 2	0	19 2	
0	19 11	Pomahaka .. .. .	..	0 0 9	0	0 9	
0	3 0	Poroporo .. .. .	..	10 14 10	10	14 10	
..		Pouparae .. .. .	..	0 5 11	0	5 11	
0	3 3	Prescot .. .. .	..	..	..	..
0	1 10	Puhipuhi .. .. .	..	0 1 10	0	1 10	
..		Pukenamu .. .. .	..	100 5 9	100	5 9	
81,218	1 5	Carried forward	59,033 11 3	3,409 12 8	62,443	3 11	

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively—*continued.*

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.				QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.				
—		Name of Estate.	Purchase-money.		Incidental Expenses.		Total.	—		
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
81,218	1 5	Brought forward	59,033	11 3	3,409	12 8	62,443	3 11		
		Acquirement of Estates, and Expenses incidental thereto— <i>continued.</i>								
		Puketapu			0	5 3	0	5 3		
139	12 7	Putorino			64	15 1	64	15 1		
0	8 7	Rainford								
6	15 4	Rangiatea			89	8 3	89	8 3		
2,200	0 0	Rangitaiki (Rangitaiki Land Drainage Account) ..								
0	15 5	Raureka								
11	6 6	Reynolds			10	6 11	10	6 11		
7	0 11	Rewi			6	13 8	6	13 8		
2	8 7	Richmond Brook			3	5 4	3	5 4		
		Ringway			0	0 6	0	0 6		
1	19 0	Seafield			1	0 6	1	0 6		
		Seaforth			8	2 8	8	2 8		
22	2 7	Selwyn			127	0 11	127	0 11		
		Sherenden			1	16 7	1	16 7		
		Sherwood Downs			123	0 0	123	0 0		
1	11 7	Spotswood			1	6 8	1	6 8		
		Springhill			2	7 2	2	7 2		
		Stalker			11	7 5	11	7 5		
72	9 2	Starborough			0	6 7	0	6 7		
3	17 2	Steward			3	16 9	3	16 9		
1	7 6	Streamlands			187	12 7	187	12 7		
4	0 0	Tablelands			55	3 2	55	3 2		
0	1 1	Tahawai								
9	12 2	Taniwha			7	1 6	7	1 6		
18	17 9	Tapapa			66	12 10	66	12 10		
		Tauherenikau			5	7 9	5	7 9		
		Taumata			8	17 0	8	17 0		
17	15 1	Tautari			23	19 11	23	19 11		
3	11 4	Tawaha			4	2 7	4	2 7		
0	8 7	Teanaraki			1	9 8	1	9 8		
0	4 9	Te Arai								
3	11 3	Teasdale			12	9 2	12	9 2		
0	15 9	Te Mata			0	7 0	0	7 0		
1	2 8	Te Matua								
372	7 6	Te Miro			1,483	9 9	1,483	9 9		
1	15 10	Te Puke								
		Teviot			1,247	15 1	1,247	15 1		
		Thompson Settlement (Thompson, P. M.) ..	2,937	11 3			2,937	11 3		
		Tiraunua (Richardson, E. M. and C. T., Howell, R. R., and Powles, Jessie M.) ..			104	9 4	104	9 4		
1,212	16 7	Tokarahi			1	4 0	1	4 0		
1	0 11	Tomoana			0	3 1	0	3 1		
		Tongoio			3	15 0	3	15 0		
1	5 7	Totara								
1	7 10	Tututawa			1	9 5	1	9 5		
7	17 6	Waari			2	4 4	2	4 4		
0	19 3	Waddington			0	1 0	0	1 0		
2	0 1	Waiariki			1	17 3	1	17 3		
0	14 11	Waihou			3	19 7	3	19 7		
4	7 9	Waihora			0	5 6	0	5 6		
		Waimana			14	5 8	14	5 8		
12	7 5	Waimaric								
0	6 10	Waitahuna			1	4 4	1	4 4		
51	10 7	Waitakaruru			3	13 11	3	13 11		
3	12 9	Waldin (Waldin, W. N.) ..	3,780	0 0			3,780	0 0		
		Wangapeka			1	11 3	1	11 3		
0	10 6	Watea								
34	3 8	Westcott			12	16 3	12	16 3		
		Whitehall			28	2 4	28	2 4		
2	11 4	Wilford			0	0 10	0	0 10		
0	0 10	Willows			0	0 9	0	0 9		
0	8 8	Windsor Park No. 1 ..			0	12 2	0	12 2		
0	11 11	Wither Run			4	0 2	4	0 2		
0	16 5									
85,463	11 5	Totals	65,751	2 6	7,154	17 1	72,905	19 7	72,905	19 7
1,175	5 9	Annual Appropriation,— Vote—Land-for-settlement Expenses							1,492	11 5
		Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, Section 63,— Amount transferred to Land for Settlements Account (Opening up Crown Lands for Settlement Account)							20,000	0 0
86,638	17 2	Carried forward							94,398	11 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.
£ s. d. 506,698 7 4	Brought forward	£ s. d. 316,184 14 0
£506,698 7 4	Totals	£316,184 14 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the CONVERSION

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
6,083 6 5	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	6,083 6 5	
1,976 14 4	Advances in the hands of Stock Agents— Cash	1,624 8 5	
8,060 0 9			7,707 14 10
£8,060 0 9	Totals		£7,707 14 10

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the WORKERS'

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
50,232 15 8	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	23,650 4 0	
..	Investment Account	45,000 0 0	
50,232 15 8			68,650 4 0
4,476 16 10	Proceeds of Sale of Workers' Dwellings under Section 16 of the Workers' Dwellings Act, 1910 .. .. .	..	5,488 14 11
£54,709 12 6	Totals .. .. .	..	£74,138 18 11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the MINING

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
6,855 5 5	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	5,798 12 4
21 7 6	Interest on Advances .. .. .	..	..
25 0 0	Repayment of Principal— Buchanan and Party .. .. .	..	..
£6,901 12 11	Totals .. .. .	..	£5,798 12 4

SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively—*continued.*

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
86,638	17 2	Brought forward .. .. .	..	94,398 11 0
..	..	Unauthorized expenditure,— Services not provided for .. .. .	..	6 5 7
146,510	5 0	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	150,350 1 3
105 13 11		Interest under Subsection (8) of Section 191 of the Land Act, 1908 .. .. .	..	9 9 6
0 7 0		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913— Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	..
23,284	9 3	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	69,307 1 3	
158 15 0		Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	2,113 5 5	
250,000	0 0	Investment Account .. .. .	..	71,420 6 8
273,443	4 3			
£506,698	7 4	Totals .. .. .	..	£316,184 14 0

ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
111	8 10	Expenses Account,— Rent and Office Expenses .. .. .	..	..	243	12 7
6,088	6 5	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	5,588	6 5		
1,865	5 6	Advances in the hands of Stock Agents— Cash	1,880	15 10	7,464	2 3
7,948	11 11					
£8,060	0 9	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£7,707	14 10

DWELLINGS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
54,709	12 6	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	29,138	18 11		
..	..	Investment Account	45,000	0 0	74,138	18 11
£54,709	12 6	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£74,138	18 11

ADVANCES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
548	15 0	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	548	15 0
26 6 10		Interest on Advances erroneously credited in previous Year .. .. .	..	..	..	..
6,326	11 1	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	5,249	17 4
£6,901	12 11	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£5,798	12 4

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the WAR

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
267,906	19 11	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account	4,243,183	3 1
		Imprests outstanding—		
		In the hands of Officers of the Government	2,182,891	6 2
1,134,688	2 1	In London	1,910,344	0 7
1,066,772	15 10	Investment Account	4,993,396	17 6
1,773,075	0 0			
4,242,437	17 10			13,329,815 7 4
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908, and Amendment Act, 1915,—		
		War Purposes Loan Act, 1917, and War Purposes Loan Act, 1917 (No. 2)—		
		4½-per-cent. War Bonds issued on account of £28,000,000 Loan	735,000	0 0
3,252,517	10 0	Advance by Imperial Government on security of Memorandum of Security		
1,530,000	0 0		735,000	0 0
		New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917—		
		4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock issued on account of £28,000,000 Loan	2,357,095	0 0
4,057,615	0 0	4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock issued on account of £28,000,000 Loan (Death Duties)	148,182	10 0
608,987	10 0	Finance Act, 1918, Section 13—		
		5-per-cent. Inscribed Stock issued on account of £28,000,000 Loan	38,210	0 0
			2,543,487	10 0
		Finance Act, 1917, Section 68—		
		5-per-cent. War Bonds issued on account of £28,000,000 Loan		
1,000,000	0 0			
10,449,120	0 0			3,278,487 10 0
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		Finance Act, 1918, Section 10—		
		4-per-cent. Debentures issued on account of £20,000,000 Loan	500,000	0 0
		4½-per-cent. War Bonds issued on account £20,000,000 Loan	798,350	0 0
			1,298,350	0 0
		New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917—		
		4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock issued on account of £20,000,000 Loan	87,000	0 0
				1,385,350 0 0
28	2 0	Contributions received towards War Expenses Fund		
				11 2 0
		Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1915 (No. 2), Section 6,—		
		Amount received for Remittances to Soldiers	22,953	17 10
37,756	6 5	Remittances received from Soldiers	4,661	0 2
1,817	3 10			27,614 18 0
39,573	10 3			
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908, and Amendment Act, 1915, and Finance Act, 1916 (Section 37),—		
		Finance Act, 1916 (Section 35)—		
		Amount received on account of £16,000,000 Loan		
75,400	0 0			
		Totals		£18,021,278 17 4
£14,806,554	10 1			

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
5,842	13 7	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account		15,456 18 5
		Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913,—		
		Revenue received under Section 63	6,386	9 1
5,125	11 5	Amount set aside from Land for Settlements Account under section 63..	20,000	0 0
				26,386 9 1
5,125	11 5			
		Totals		£41,843 7 6
£10,968	5 0			

EXPENSES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.					
£	s. d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
2,914,785	9 6	Expenditure under Section 8 of the Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1914 (War Purposes) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	4,432,922 5 7
24,165	7 2	Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1915 (No. 2), Section 6,—						
1,035	6 4	Remittances to Soldiers	26,359	1 1				
		Remittances from Soldiers	4,397	17 5				30,756 18 6
25,200	13 6							
32	8 10	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—						
91	8 6	Charges and Expenses of raising Loans—						
0	16 0	War Purposes Loan Act, 1917, and New Zealand Loans Amendment Act, 1915	6,278	19 6				
		Finance Act, 1916, and New Zealand Loans Amendment Act, 1915 .. .. .	..	..		
		Finance Act, 1916, Section 35 .. .. .	..	..				6,278 19 6
124	13 4							
10,000	0 0	Expenditure under Section 6 of the Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1915 (Relief Purposes).. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
1	0 0	Pay-warrants Account .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..
6,041,821	3 2	Balance at end of Quarter,—						
		Cash in the Public Account	2,460,310	6 7				
1,242,035	16 4	Imprests outstanding—						
2,880,284	3 0	In the hands of Officers of the Government	1,264,911	14 8				
1,692,301	11 3	In London	1,550,830	18 4				
		Investment Account	8,275,267	14 2				13,551,320 13 9
11,856,442	13 9							
£14,806,554	10 1	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	£18,021,278 17 4

ACCOUNT (Opening up Crown Lands for Settlement Account) for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s.	d.	Annual Appropriation,—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
9,973	13	5	Vote—Roads to open up Land for Settlements .. .. .	..	..	..	14,462	10	0
..	..	..	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..	..	3,990	9	8
994	11	7	Balance at end of Quarter,—						
..	..	..	Cash in the Public Account	14,429	13 8				
			Imprests outstanding—						
			In the Dominion	8,960	14 2				23,390 7 10
994	11	7							
£10,968	5	0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	£41,843 7 6

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the HAURAKI

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.
8,468	2 6	Cash in the Public Account	2,665	7 6
2,688	0 0	Imprests outstanding—		
		In the Dominion	6,751	1 10
11,156	2 6			9,416 9 4
..		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		Hauraki Plains Amendment Acts, 1913 and 1914—		
		Debentures issued .. .. .	..	5,000 0 0
		Receipts under Section 5 of the Hauraki Plains Act, 1908,—		
3,971	14 9	Rents	3,866	11 9
2,130	0 0	Sales	2,102	10 0
51	10 3	Miscellaneous	225	2 0
6,153	5 0			6,194 3 9
£17,809	7 6	Totals .. .. .	..	£20,610 13 1

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NEW ZEALAND

£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
106	14 0	Cash in Deposit Account	6	14 0		
475,885	0 0	Investment Account	475,985	0 0		
475,991	14 0					475,991 14 0
£475,991	14 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..		£475,991 14 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the NATIONAL

£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
7,102	9 2	Cash in the Public Account	8,602	19 0		
53	3 4	Imprests outstanding—				
		In the Dominion				8,602 19 0
7,155	12 6					
30,615	7 6	Rents, &c., from National Endowment Lands .. .. .	..	..		27,463 11 11
£37,771	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..		£36,066 10 11

PLAINS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
5,470	16 10	Expenditure under Section 5 of the Hauraki Plains Act, 1908, and Section 93 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1916 .. .. .	..	7,482 2 0
2,218	15 0	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued ..	..	2,288 6 9
7,605	12 6	Balance at end of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account	4,886 15 6	
2,014	3 2	Imprests outstanding—		
		In the Dominion	5,953 8 10	
9,619	15 8			10,840 4 4
£17,309	7 6	Totals .. .. .	..	£20,610 13 1

CONSOLS ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
6	14 0	Balance at end of Quarter,—	6	14 0		
475,985	0 0	Cash in Deposit Account	475,985	0 0		
		Investment Account			475,991	14 0
475,991	14 0					
£475,991	14 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£475,991	14 0

ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
..	..	Expenditure under Section 17 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912 .. .. .	..	..	633	11 11
1,771	1 3	Annual Appropriation,—				
		Vote—Roads to open up National Endowment Lands .. .. .	..	..	..	..
418	9 6	Expenditure under the Land Act, 1908 .. .. .	..	..	..	..
35,581	9 3	Balance at end of Quarter,—				
		Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	..	35,432	19 0
£37,771	0 0	Totals .. .. .	..	..	£36,066	10 11

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RANGITAIKI

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.			
£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
413	5 7	Cash in the Public Account	5,863	10 8		
285	5 8	Imprests outstanding—	3,900	5 5		
		In the Dominion			9,763	16 1
698	11 3					
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—				
		Rangitaiki Land Drainage Amendment Act, 1913, and Finance Act, 1917				
10,000	0 0	(Section 81)—			5,000	0 0
		Debentures issued				
		Rangitaiki Land Drainage Amendment Act, 1913 (Section 6),—			401	14 3
		Rate Account				
2,200	0 0	Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910,—				
		Compensation for land taken (Section 8)				
7,500	0 0	Temporary transfer from the Consolidated Fund in terms of Section 56 of the				
		Public Revenues Act, 1910				
£20,398	11 3	Totals			£15,165	10 4

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the KAURI-

£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
17,214	0 10	Cash in the Public Account	14,928	15 9		
2,384	7 7	Imprests outstanding—	4,000	17 8		
		In the Dominion			18,929	13 5
19,598	8 5					
3,056	4 7	Sale of Kauri-gum			6,488	12 2
£22,654	13 0	Totals			£25,418	5 7

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the FRUIT-PRESERVING

£	s. d.	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
12,651	13 7	Cash in the Public Account			6,625	12 6
		Fruit-preserving Industry Act, 1913, Section 4,—				
		Repayment of Advances—				
160	0 0	Principal	36	0 0		
308	10 0	Interest	44	2 0	80	2 0
468	10 0					
£13,120	3 7	Totals			£6,705	14 6

LAND DRAINAGE ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
388	1 0	Expenditure under Section 7 of the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910 ..	..	6,786 11 1
..	..	Compensation under Section 8 of the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910 ..	..	184 4 5
4,659	17 2	Annual Appropriation,— Vote—Rangitaiki Land Drainage Expenses .. .. .	..	..
0	3 6	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Rangitaiki Land Drainage Amendment Acts, 1913 and 1914— Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	..
22	10 3	Rangitaiki Land Drainage Amendment Act, 1913, Section 6,— Rates collected during previous Quarters now refunded .. .. .	..	..
7,500	0 0	Temporary transfer from the Consolidated Fund in terms of Section 56 of the Public Revenues Act, 1910, now restored .. .. .	..	..
6,815	11 7	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	5,551	8 9
1,012	7 9	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	2,643	6 1
7,827	19 4			8,194 14 10
£20,398	11 3	Totals .. .. .	..	£15,165 10 4

GUM INDUSTRY ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
3,950	11 2	Expenditure under Section 4 of the Kauri-gum Industry Amendment Act, 1914 ..	..	8,420 10 4
..	..	Interest recouping the Consolidated Fund in respect of Debentures issued ..	..	940 0 0
17,265	15 9	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	14,269	16 2
1,438	6 1	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	1,787	19 1
18,704	1 10			16,057 15 3
£22,654	13 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£25,418 5 7

INDUSTRY ADVANCES ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
3,699	15 11	Advances under the Fruit-preserving Industry Acts, 1913 and 1914 .. .. .	..	..
0	7 0	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Fruit-preserving Industry Act, 1913— Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	..
9,420	0 8	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	6,705 14 6
£13,120	3 7	Totals .. .. .	..	£6,705 14 6

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the LOANS REDEMPTION

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
112	16 11	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Cash in the Public Account		99 16 5
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,—		
		New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917—		
		4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock, 1938, issued in conversion of War Bonds as per contra		10,850 0 0
		New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917—		
		4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock, 1938, issued for redemption of Inscribed Stock issued for Death Duties		300 0 0
		Debentures issued for Redemption of Debentures,—		
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—		
		Land for Settlements Act, 1908 (due 1st January, 1918)	200	0 0
1,000	0 0	Government Railways Act, 1908 (Railways Improvement Authorization Acts, 1904 1907), (due 30th June, 1917)		
1,000	0 0			200 0 0
		Debentures issued in Renewal,—		
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—		
		Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Acts, 1903, 1905, 1907, 1910 (due 30th June, 1918, renewed to 30th June, 1923)	5,190	0 0
		Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908 (due 1st June, 1918, renewed to 1st June, 1923)	50,000	0 0
		Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement Act, 1910 (due 1st August, 1918, renewed to 1st August, 1923)	100,000	0 0
25,000	0 0	Defence and other Purposes Loan Act, 1870 (due 1st July, 1917, renewed to 1st July, 1922)		
800,000	0 0	Public Revenues Act, 1910 (Reserve Fund Securities Act, 1907), (due 1st August, 1917, renewed to 1st August, 1922)		
825,000	0 0			155,190 0 0
		Expenses Account—		
		Amount representing stamp duty, &c., on Debentures issued to cover expenses, now refunded—		
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—		
		Land for Settlements Act, 1908		
47	5 0	Naval Defence Act, 1909		
1,203	18 9	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910		
238	15 8	New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909-10—		
		Advances to Settlers Branch		
109	12 6	Advances to Workers Branch		
4	2 6	Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1914, Section 8 (War Expenses)		
1,123	15 0	Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1915, Section 5 (War Expenses)		
290	10 0			
3,017	19 5			
£829,130	16 4	Totals		£166,639 16 5

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the RESERVE

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
800,000	0 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Investment Account		800,000 0 0
£800,000	0 0	Totals		£800,000 0 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the BANK OF NEW ZEALAND

£	s. d.		£	s. d.
875,000	0 0	Balance at beginning of Quarter,—		
		Investment Account		875,000 0 0
£875,000	0 0	Totals		£875,000 0 0

ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.		EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.			
£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
		War Bonds converted into 4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock, 1938, under Section 3 of the New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917,—				
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908, and Amendment Act, 1915, and Finance Act, 1916, Section 37—				
		Finance Act, 1916, Section 35—				
		Due 1st September, 1930	6,850	0	0	
		Due 1st September, 1941	4,000	0	0	
					10,850	0
		Inscribed Stock (Death Duties) redeemed,—				
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—				
		New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917—				
		4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock (Death Duties)—				
		Due 20th June, 1918			300	0
		Debentures redeemed by Renewal,—				
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—				
		Hutt Railway and Road Improvement Acts, 1903, 1905, 1907, 1910 (due 30th June, 1918)	5,190	0	0	
		Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1908 (due 1st June, 1918)	50,000	0	0	
		Waihou and Ohinemuri Rivers Improvement Act, 1910 (due 1st August, 1918)	100,000	0	0	
800,000	0	Public Revenues Act, 1910 (Reserve Fund Securities Act, 1907), (due 1st August, 1917)				
25,000	0	Defence and other Purposes Loan Act, 1870 (due 1st July, 1917)				
825,000	0				155,190	0
		Debentures redeemed,—				
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—				
		Government Railways Act, 1908 (Railways Improvement Authorization Acts, 1904-1907), (due 30th June, 1917)				
1,000	0	Land for Settlements Act, 1903 (due 1st June, 1922)				
47	5	Naval Defence Act, 1909 (due 1st June, 1922)				
1,203	18	Aid to Public Works and Land Settlement Act, 1910 (due 1st June, 1922)				
238	15	New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909-10—				
		Advances to Settlers Branch (due 1st June, 1922)				
109	12	Advances to Workers Branch (due 1st June, 1922)				
4	2	Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1914, Section 8 (War Expenses), (due 1st June, 1922)				
1,123	15	Public Revenues Amendment Act, 1915, Section 5 (War Expenses), (due 1st June, 1922)				
290	10					
4,017	19					
		Expenses Account,—				
		New Zealand Loans Act, 1908—				
		New Zealand State-guaranteed Advances Acts, 1909-10—				
0	3	Land for Settlements Branch				
		Balance at end of Quarter,—				
112	13	Cash in the Public Account			299	16
£829,130	16	Totals			£166,639	16
					5	

FUND ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s. d.	Balance at end of Quarter,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
800,000	0	Investment Account			800,000	0
£800,000	0	Totals			£800,000	0

ACTS 1903 and 1913 ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£	s. d.	Balance at end of Quarter,—	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
875,000	0	Investment Account			875,000	0
£875,000	0	Totals			£875,000	0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the DISCHARGED

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.	RECEIPTS.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£ s. d. 13,973 1 7	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account.. .. .	£ s. d. 25,028 10 3	£ s. d. 80,254 11 11
6,423 6 6	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	55,226 1 8	
20,396 8 1			
..	New Zealand Loans Act, 1903,— Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and Finance Act, 1917, Section 82— Debentures issued .. .. .	..	150,000 0 0
34,000 0 0	Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and Amendment Act, 1916— Debentures issued .. .. .	..	..
1,247 14 11	Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, Section 9,— Repayment of Advances	5,175 18 5	
402 5 0	Interest on Advances	1,282 18 8	
..	Instalments	73 0 0	6,531 17 1
1,649 19 11			
£56,046 8 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£236,786 9 0

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the SWAMP

£ s. d. 5,385 18 11	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account.. .. .	£ s. d. 7,921 14 10	£ s. d. 12,668 5 10
1,923 13 5	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	4,746 11 0	
7,309 12 4			
£7,309 12 4	Totals .. .. .	..	£12,668 5 10

STATEMENT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the COLD-STORAGE

£ s. d. ..	Balance at beginning of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	£ s. d. ..	£ s. d. 14,500 0 0
..	Totals .. .. .	..	£14,500 0 0

SOLDIERS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPT., 1917.	EXPENDITURE.	QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1918.	
£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
32,445 15 9	Advances made under Sections 6 and 9 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915	..	56,944 11 9
Cr. 2,918 7 5	Expenditure under Section 9 of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915 ..	..	7,036 10 4
0 10 6	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and Amendment Act, 1916— Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	..
3,577 13 9	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	9,985 19 2	
22,940 15 5	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	162,819 7 9	172,805 6 11
26,518 9 2			
£56,046 8 0	Totals .. .. .	..	£236,786 9 0

LAND DRAINAGE ACCOUNT for the Quarters ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918 and 1917, respectively.

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1,204 14 4	Expenditure under Section 4 of the Swamp Drainage Act, 1915, and Section 95 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1916	..	4,541 6 4
0 3 6	New Zealand Loans Act, 1908,— Swamp Drainage Act, 1915— Charges and Expenses .. .. .	..	..
4,108 19 10	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account	3,672 8 7	
1,995 14 8	Imprests outstanding— In the Dominion	4,454 10 11	8,126 19 6
6,104 14 6			
£7,309 12 4	Totals .. .. .	..	£12,668 5 10

ADVANCES ACCOUNT for the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918.

£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
..	Balance at end of Quarter,— Cash in the Public Account .. .. .	..	14,500 0 0
..	Totals .. .. .	..	£14,500 0 0

Examined and found correct.

R. J. COLLINS,
Controller and Auditor-General.

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

J. J. ESSON,
Accountant to the Treasury.

SUMMARY of BALANCES on 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918.

		BALANCES.				CASH.	IMPRESTS.	INVESTMENTS.	TOTAL.									
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.									
CONSOLIDATED FUND:—																		
Ordinary Revenue Account ..	10,365,005	7	7			1,551,424	19	5	1,215,950	4	0	7,597,630	4	2	10,365,005	7	7	
State Forests Account ..	5,806	17	3			2,157	11	4	3,649	5	11	..	..	..	5,806	17	3	
State Coal-mines Account ..	111,642	2	10			100,080	9	6	11,611	13	4	..	..	..	111,642	2	10	
Scenery Preservation Account ..	2,506	4	5			2,486	4	5	20	0	0	..	..	..	2,506	4	5	
Accounts of Local Bodies ..	12,528	18	8			12,528	18	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	12,528	18	8	
Deposit Accounts ..	3,718,553	15	9			316,985	9	2	2,189,568	6	7	1,212,000	0	0	3,718,553	15	9	
				14,216,043	6	6												
							1,985,613	12	6	3,420,799	9	10	8,809,630	4	2	14,216,043	6	6
PUBLIC WORKS FUND				446,621	15	3	258,399	13	6	188,222	1	9	..	..	446,621	15	3	
THE RAILWAYS IMPROVEMENT AUTHORIZATION ACT 1914 ACCT. ..				15,184	10	5	15,184	10	5	..	..	..	..	..	15,184	10	5	
THE WAIHOU AND OHINEMURI RIVERS IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT ..				30,208	18	1	9,685	9	1	5,523	9	0	15,000	0	0	30,208	18	1
ELECTRIC SUPPLY ACCOUNT ..				40,234	12	6	33,980	12	1	6,254	0	5	..	..	40,234	12	6	
CHEVIOT ESTATE ACCOUNT ..				124,959	17	4	9,959	17	4	..	..	115,000	0	0	124,959	17	4	
LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT ..				71,420	6	8	69,307	1	3	2,113	5	5	..	..	71,420	6	8	
NATIVE LAND SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT ..				49,456	4	10	14,399	11	11	35,056	12	11	..	..	49,456	4	10	
LAND FOR SETTLEMENTS ACCOUNT (OPENING UP CROWN LANDS FOR SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT) ..				23,390	7	10	14,429	13	8	8,960	14	2	..	..	23,390	7	10	
NATIONAL ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT ..				35,432	19	0	35,432	19	0	..	..	..	..	..	35,432	19	0	
HAURAKI PLAINS SETTLEMENT ACCT. ..				10,840	4	4	4,886	15	6	5,953	8	10	..	..	10,840	4	4	
RANGITAIKI LAND DRAINAGE ACCT. ..				8,194	14	10	5,551	8	9	2,643	6	1	..	..	8,194	14	10	
WORKERS' DWELLINGS ACCOUNT ..				74,138	18	11	29,138	18	11	..	..	45,000	0	0	74,138	18	11	
MINING ADVANCES ACCOUNT ..				5,249	17	4	5,249	17	4	..	..	..	..	5,249	17	4		
CONVERSION ACCOUNT ..				7,464	2	3	5,583	6	5	1,880	15	10	..	..	7,464	2	3	
LOANS REDEMPTION ACCOUNT ..				299	16	5	299	16	5	..	..	..	..	299	16	5		
NEW ZEALAND CONSOLS ACCOUNT ..				475,991	14	0	6	14	0	..	..	475,985	0	0	475,991	14	0	
WAR EXPENSES ACCOUNT ..				13,551,320	13	9	2,460,310	6	7	2,815,742	13	0	8,275,267	14	2	13,551,320	13	9
KAURI-GUM INDUSTRY ACCOUNT ..				16,057	15	3	14,269	16	2	1,787	19	1	..	..	16,057	15	3	
FRUIT-PRESERVING INDUSTRY ADVANCES ACCOUNT ..				6,705	14	6	6,705	14	6	..	..	..	..	6,705	14	6		
DISCHARGED SOLDIERS SETTLEMENT ACCOUNT ..				172,805	6	11	9,985	19	2	162,819	7	9	..	..	172,805	6	11	
COLD-STORAGE ADVANCES ACCOUNT ..				14,500	0	0	14,500	0	0	..	..	..	..	14,500	0	0		
SWAMP LAND DRAINAGE ACCOUNT ..				8,126	19	6	3,672	8	7	4,454	10	11	..	..	8,126	19	6	
RESERVE FUND ACCOUNT ..				800,000	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	800,000	0	0	800,000	0	0	
BANK OF NEW ZEALAND ACTS 1903 AND 1913 ACCOUNT ..				875,000	0	0	..	..	..	..	..	875,000	0	0	875,000	0	0	
SILVER AND BRONZE COIN ACCOUNT ..				Dr. 346	8	7	Cr. 29,911	8	7	29,565	0	0	..	..	Dr. 346	8	7	
SUSPENSE ACCOUNT ..				4,095	2	10	4,095	2	10	..	..	..	..	4,095	2	10		
Totals				£31,083,397	10	8	£4,980,737	17	4	£6,691,776	15	0	£19,410,882	18	4	£31,083,397	10	8

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of MONEY-ORDER AND SAVINGS-BANK TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1918.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Money-order Offices open at end of Quarter.	MONEY-ORDERS.				Savings-bank Offices open at end of Quarter.	SAVINGS-BANKS.							
		Issued.		Paid.			Accounts.		Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		Opened.	Closed.						
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Auckland	241	41,076	210,937 9 0	42,612	240,028 17 11	236	3,990	2,729	59,313	39,480	893,279 7 1	737,345 5 2	155,934 1 11	..
Blenheim	15	2,151	10,833 4 0	1,182	9,876 7 9	15	237	178	3,700	2,064	59,905 17 6	47,018 7 10	12,887 9 8	..
Christchurch	71	13,004	75,247 15 10	16,311	116,710 1 7	68	2,114	1,486	41,983	28,947	639,264 16 1	520,530 7 10	118,734 8 3	..
Dunedin	71	12,913	65,896 4 2	13,725	88,403 9 7	68	1,609	1,172	31,064	17,155	474,879 16 6	370,089 7 7	104,790 8 11	..
Gisborne	22	3,870	25,400 10 9	1,763	10,631 1 3	22	519	413	7,246	5,124	110,024 8 3	93,606 3 0	16,418 5 3	..
Greymouth	18	3,801	18,427 0 5	1,862	10,215 11 11	18	222	172	3,133	1,518	49,190 3 8	37,846 6 5	11,343 17 3	..
Hokitika	8	778	4,101 1 8	687	2,623 7 2	7	48	60	755	332	13,176 13 2	9,420 5 5	3,756 7 9	..
Invercargill	36	6,117	32,746 3 9	4,206	22,936 14 11	35	727	542	11,033	5,827	178,083 8 1	149,220 14 6	28,862 13 7	..
Napier	48	8,492	57,971 13 2	6,162	50,179 12 7	44	1,043	750	14,972	8,380	248,126 2 2	196,992 0 10	51,134 1 4	..
Nelson	27	3,599	19,552 10 7	3,183	17,917 1 9	27	344	254	5,540	3,277	87,142 1 3	75,818 0 1	11,324 1 2	..
New Plymouth	33	6,426	38,543 15 4	3,986	31,342 0 2	31	800	607	11,662	6,021	207,771 13 4	196,183 16 9	11,587 16 7	..
Oamaru	11	2,086	29,643 12 2	1,007	5,777 2 2	11	233	207	3,324	1,832	70,578 14 9	48,884 19 8	21,693 15 1	..
Thames	31	6,959	39,108 7 9	2,913	18,266 12 8	30	551	467	6,490	3,634	94,830 11 5	87,414 0 1	7,416 11 4	..
Timaru	16	3,876	51,380 16 8	2,331	14,769 0 9	16	526	388	7,866	4,668	123,398 5 8	101,797 19 4	26,600 6 4	..
Wanganui	40	8,874	55,429 16 11	5,106	30,296 0 1	41	1,039	901	14,345	9,471	216,579 7 7	194,010 5 2	22,569 2 5	..
Wellington	96	34,556	210,247 15 1	32,252	192,693 16 3	98	4,606	3,142	79,147	47,614	1,130,499 12 0	874,253 10 1	306,246 1 11	..
Westport	19	2,631	13,016 4 8	1,065	5,530 14 1	19	123	107	2,100	1,091	26,744 15 3	21,188 14 2	5,556 1 1	..
Totals 3rd quarter in 1918	803	161,209	958,484 1 11	140,353	868,197 12 7	786	18,731	13,575	303,673	186,425	4,678,475 13 9	3,761,620 3 11	916,855 9 10	..
Totals 3rd quarter in 1917	808	158,132	901,382 4 8	137,088	824,152 4 9	790	20,874	14,429	305,290	192,391	4,183,934 3 2	5,146,247 8 4	..	962,313 5 2

General Post Office, Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

W. R. MORRIS, Secretary.

STATEMENT of TELEGRAPH BUSINESS within the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1918.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Number of Offices open at End of Quarter.	Ordinary Telegrams, including Paid Government Telegrams.			Urgent Ordinary Telegrams.		Press Telegrams.*		Bureau Communications.		Total.	
		Number.	Amount.		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
Auckland	605	315,272	£ 11,854 19 1½	21,074	£ 1,762 7 10	3,747	£ 845 0 1½	294,298	£ 8,454 18 10½	634,391	£ 22,917 5 11½	
Blenheim	97	20,243	818 3 5½	1,213	97 5 7	18	156 19 2	27,185	595 12 0	48,659	1,668 0 2½	
Christchurch	225	141,473	5,798 14 9	12,784	1,034 12 3	4,838	771 18 9	91,965	2,902 11 7	251,060	10,507 17 4	
Dunedin	243	106,205	4,441 19 0	5,749	513 10 10	2,094	378 1 1½	83,167	2,851 3 4	197,215	8,184 14 3½	
Gisborne	40	32,321	1,451 17 5½	1,992	172 1 7	332	250 7 2	46,161	1,790 3 8	81,306	3,664 9 10½	
Greymouth	41	21,619	903 11 4½	1,192	110 0 1½	961	244 2 4½	11,487	303 3 2	35,259	1,560 17 0½	
Hokitika	52	7,399	277 12 5½	285	18 13 6½	107	87 15 6	8,711	200 19 0	16,502	585 0 6	
Invercargill	202	43,862	1,703 19 4	1,287	108 12 5½	263	327 10 0	84,416	2,552 8 2½	129,828	4,692 10 0	
Napier	90	65,875	2,622 8 5	4,090	317 17 7½	515	513 1 0½	145,187	3,990 6 4½	215,657	7,443 13 5½	
Nelson	102	27,325	1,085 1 11	1,656	122 9 2	265	198 16 7	25,120	692 12 8½	54,366	2,099 0 4½	
New Plymouth	108	53,070	2,065 8 7	3,398	246 12 5	646	452 0 4	70,289	1,588 4 5½	127,403	4,352 5 9½	
Oamaru	53	13,008	481 2 6½	445	36 12 0	153	224 3 4½	17,701	720 18 10	31,307	1,462 16 9	
Thames	78	44,786	1,692 10 9½	2,299	169 1 4	198	292 0 0	42,775	1,107 12 4	90,058	3,261 4 5½	
Timaru	73	27,704	1,088 9 7½	1,413	96 14 2½	563	306 4 5	49,812	1,741 5 1	79,492	3,182 13 4½	
Wanganui	104	64,792	2,548 1 10½	3,967	303 10 6½	657	347 13 4	79,459	2,433 5 8	148,875	5,632 11 5	
Wellington	202	358,209	17,922 4 4½	32,709	3,427 15 6	53,124	898 7 6	241,164	7,820 11 7½	685,206	30,068 19 0	
Westport	54	12,693	497 2 3½	862	80 2 6	266	171 8 4	8,243	210 1 0½	22,064	958 14 2	
Totals, 3rd quarter in 1918	2,369	1,356,356	57,203 7 4½	96,405	8,617 19 6	68,747	6,465 9 1½	1,327,140	39,955 17 11½	2,848,648	112,242 13 11½	
Totals, 3rd quarter in 1917	2,390	1,338,636	56,398 7 4	78,971	7,460 12 5	68,470	6,614 18 6½	1,191,801	35,480 2 5	2,677,878	105,954 0 8½	

* The bulk of Press telegrams are forwarded as "Collect" on delivery.

General Post Office, Wellington, 22nd October, 1918.

W. R. MORRIS, Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the Number, Amount, &c., of POSTAL-NOTE TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 30th September, 1918.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Postal-note Offices open at the End of the Quarter.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.										Total Amount of Postal Notes sold, including Commission.		Commis- sion on Postal Notes sold.	
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At 20/0	Total.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Auckland ..	308	14,200	9,303	22,380	25,518	19,974	27,366	16,825	7,022	12,195	154,783	43,193	8 6½	646	7 0½
Blenheim ..	20	692	406	1,148	1,147	965	1,328	933	376	663	7,658	2,244	10 7½	33	1 1½
Christchurch ..	80	3,606	2,037	5,995	6,854	4,679	8,341	5,002	2,255	4,137	42,906	13,093	8 0	187	14 6
Dunedin ..	96	4,463	2,636	7,621	7,800	6,037	9,356	6,014	2,590	4,249	50,766	14,819	3 3	218	3 3
Gisborne ..	25	1,046	623	1,508	1,622	1,298	2,036	1,301	522	1,218	11,174	3,465	10 1½	49	4 7½
Greymouth ..	19	728	769	1,160	1,075	838	1,315	852	355	848	7,940	2,373	0 5	33	17 5
Hokitika ..	13	266	207	315	369	378	477	292	148	291	2,743	842	9 3½	12	1 3½
Invercargill ..	54	2,111	1,489	3,689	3,793	3,243	4,625	3,235	1,316	2,362	25,863	7,782	18 7	113	9 7
Napier ..	62	2,816	1,916	4,787	4,807	4,064	5,787	3,774	1,640	3,066	32,657	9,744	19 8	141	11 2
Nelson ..	35	1,051	727	1,591	1,729	1,493	2,093	1,342	590	914	11,530	3,306	5 7	49	5 7
New Plymouth	48	1,967	1,324	3,764	3,962	2,974	4,532	3,019	1,258	2,228	25,028	7,437	16 8½	108	8 8½
Oamaru ..	15	689	337	1,219	1,267	993	1,400	1,044	533	770	8,222	2,580	2 2	36	18 2
Thames ..	41	2,355	1,693	3,433	3,712	3,207	4,334	2,926	1,203	2,013	24,876	7,100	14 11½	105	18 5½
Timaru ..	17	906	516	1,450	1,793	1,193	2,046	1,374	546	1,054	10,878	3,342	1 5½	47	19 11½
Wanganui ..	50	2,633	1,533	4,428	4,756	3,465	5,717	3,514	1,540	3,158	30,749	9,437	13 9½	134	10 3½
Wellington ..	120	7,209	3,973	12,486	14,749	11,560	16,997	10,233	4,447	9,815	91,519	28,429	4 3½	403	11 3½
Westport ..	23	562	322	740	743	761	891	636	289	578	5,522	1,693	2 3½	24	6 9½
Totals 3rd qr. in 1918	1,026	47,255	29,311	77,714	85,696	67,122	98,641	62,366	26,650	49,559	544,814	160,886	9 9	2,346	9 3
Totals 3rd qr. in 1917	1,020	48,502	30,539	83,100	89,067	67,527	104,541	66,219	26,177	48,593	564,315	164,177	10 3	2,415	6 3

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.											Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.	
	At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 12/6	At 15/0	At 20/0	Total.	£	s. d.
Auckland ..	13,549	9,320	24,318	23,987	17,444	28,725	18,546	..	7,812	13,101	156,802	44,837	9 6
Blenheim ..	279	150	487	425	342	527	422	..	167	300	3,099	946	6 6
Christchurch ..	4,251	2,526	7,330	7,506	6,140	9,944	6,321	..	2,777	5,628	52,423	16,351	10 0
Dunedin ..	5,049	3,333	9,453	9,084	6,935	11,584	7,444	..	3,093	4,852	60,827	17,413	4 6
Gisborne ..	419	259	780	705	536	905	624	..	275	527	5,030	1,558	8 0
Greymouth ..	395	456	579	526	442	740	518	..	256	475	4,387	1,354	18 0
Hokitika ..	82	60	154	130	125	164	139	..	50	86	990	293	0 0
Invercargill ..	1,418	923	2,628	2,258	1,911	3,025	2,151	..	1,031	1,566	16,911	5,142	16 6
Napier ..	1,869	1,243	3,340	3,079	2,317	4,033	2,438	..	1,159	2,033	21,561	6,432	12 0
Nelson ..	685	479	1,193	1,207	938	1,516	981	..	448	759	8,206	2,445	11 0
New Plymouth	1,084	735	2,062	2,151	1,573	2,651	1,817	..	805	1,316	14,194	4,311	7 0
Oamaru ..	340	226	577	601	402	764	467	..	242	317	3,936	1,150	1 6
Thames ..	763	516	1,303	1,279	896	1,645	976	..	522	750	8,650	2,542	3 6
Timaru ..	508	282	1,026	976	644	1,304	906	..	403	645	6,694	2,094	0 0
Wanganui ..	1,507	824	2,639	2,519	1,944	3,778	2,099	..	983	1,700	17,993	5,438	15 6
Wellington ..	13,664	7,852	18,976	27,820	21,790	26,316	15,137	..	6,274	13,658	151,487	42,426	14 0
Westport ..	166	125	305	261	208	437	245	..	102	275	2,124	695	5 0
Totals 3rd qr. in 1918	46,023	29,309	77,150	84,514	64,587	98,058	61,231	..	26,399	48,038	535,314	155,434	2 6
Totals 3rd qr. in 1917	47,735	29,959	82,509	88,618	67,228	104,861	65,960	..	26,351	48,601	561,822	161,605	10 6

Appointment of Law Draftsman.

Crown Law Office,
Wellington, 23rd October, 1918.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES CHRISTIE, Esq., LL.M.,

to be Law Draftsman to the Government of New Zealand.

F. H. D. BELL,
Attorney-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.*Land in Taranaki Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 18th October, 1918.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Section 4, Block XII, Upper Waitara Survey District.

TENURE: O.R.P. Formerly held by D. W. Hamilton.

Reason for forfeiture: Selector's request.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Land in Canterbury Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 14th October, 1918.

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

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Section 5, Blocks I, Southbridge Survey District, and XIII, Leeston Survey District, Leeston Settlement.

TENURE: Renewable lease. Lease No. 662. Formerly held by William Hayes. Reason for forfeiture: Non-payment of rent; section abandoned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 22nd October, 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, Blenheim, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 9th December, 1918.

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

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, on Tuesday, 10th December, 1918, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Marlborough County.—Wakamarina Survey District.

SECTION 8, Block V: Area, 355 acres; capital value, £1,195; instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £59 15s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £26 17s. 9d.

Distant about two miles and a quarter from Flat Creek Post-office and dairy factory. Access is by a good metalled road for about one mile and a half, unformed road three-quarters of a mile. Section is well watered. Altitude varies from 200 ft. on the front to about 1,800 ft. at the back. Section contains about 75 acres of good flat and undulating country, mostly ploughable, and partly cleared and grassed. The balance is in mixed bush consisting of tawa, rimu, birch,

and pinu, from which the milling-timber has been removed. Section contains good homestead-site.

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

H. D. McKELLAR,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Pastoral Run in Canterbury Land District for Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 22nd October, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run is open for license by discharged soldiers under Part VI of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915. Applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 3rd December, 1918.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board, for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, on Thursday, the 5th December, 1918, at 11 a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—THIRD-CLASS LAND.

Waipara County.—Katrine and Noble Survey Districts.

RUN 142B: Area, 18,077 acres; half-yearly rent, £325; term, fourteen years.

All pastoral country, ranging from 1,800 ft. to 4,900 ft. above sea-level. About 1,000 acres flat; remainder steep hillsides, carrying good tussock and large patches of inferior birch bush; well watered. Access is from Hawarden Railway-station—by good road ten miles, and by pack-track twelve miles.

Plans and full particulars may be obtained at this office.

W. H. SKINNER,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserve in Taranaki Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 8th October, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for lease of the undermentioned reserve will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 12th November, 1918, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendments.

Possession will be given on the date of acceptance of the tender.

SCHEDULE.

SECTION 57, Otakeho Village: Area, 1 acre; upset annual rent, £2 10s.; term, three years. Comprises level land in grass.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 1s. lease fee, must accompany each tender.
2. The lease shall be for the term stated, and shall be subject to termination by twelve months' notice in the event of the land being required by the Government.
3. No declaration is required. Residence is not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, or on account of the aforesaid possible resumption.
4. The lessee shall pay all rates, taxes, and assessments that may become due and payable.
5. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
6. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
7. The land shall not be cropped nor broken up except with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
8. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease, and he shall with reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
10. The lease will be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within twenty-one days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

Tenders should be addressed "The Commissioner of Crown Lands, New Plymouth," and marked on the outside "Tender for Reserve."

Full particulars may be ascertained at this office.
The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. H. BULLARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Normanby.

Registrar's Office, Aotea District, Wanganui, 21st October, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Normanby on the 12th day of November, 1918, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1918-31.]

C. P. NEWTON, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 3 OF THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES AMENDMENT ACT, 1915.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
120	Te Para Ruakere (Roy and Nicholson)	Section 42, Block IV, Cape Survey District (Ruakere 3).

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 8 OF THE WEST COAST SETTLEMENT RESERVES AMENDMENT ACT, 1915.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
121	Te Para Ruakere (Roy and Nicholson)	Cape Survey District, Section 33, Block IX.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
122	Tuhikaka Rupe Tuihu Tahuri	Ngatihawe 9. Rimutauteka 1E.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1912.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
123	Tiemi Eruini (Currie and Jack)	Applying that he be declared a European.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kaiapoi.

Registrar's Office, South Island District, Wellington, 24th October, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Kaiapoi on the 19th day of November, 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.

[Waipounamu, 1918-11.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Boundaries.
134	Hana Pohio	Pukaati 907 .. .. .	.. .. .

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
135	Hone Wetere Reiroa (H. W. Uru)	Port Levy 874/3.
136	Mohi Tangata Hara (H. W. Uru)	" 874/4B.

APPLICATION FOR DEFINITION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
137	Hana Pohio	Pukaati 907.

APPLICATION FOR ROAD.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
138	Hikama Piki (Papprill and Conlan)	Kaiapoi 873/165	Applying to the Court to lay off a road over Kaiapoi 873/96 to give access to the said land.

APPLICATION FOR ORDER OF EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
189	Teera Tahui Meri Titahi Ropata	Mangamaunu 2/7. 2A.

Notice of Order of Adoption of certain Child.

Native Land Court Office, Rotorua, 16th October, 1918.
It is hereby notified that an order of adoption, particulars of which are set out in the Schedule hereunder, has been made by the Native Land Court, under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909.

H. S. KING,
Registrar

SCHEDULE.

Name of Adopting Parent.	Name of Adopted Child.
Atiraira Taro Robb	Eileen Hakaraia (child of Mara Pelham and Hope Hakaraia).

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Ikaroa District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 23rd October, 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 Tuesday, the 12th day of November, 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	1915/272	Lease	14 July, 1915	Himatangi 3A No. 3F	Manahi Apiata and others to Agnes Henrietta Phoebe Barber (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
2	1916/281	"	27 October, 1916	" 3A No. 3F	Hihitūtere Ropata and others to Agnes Henrietta Barber (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
3	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).
4	1918/50	Transfer	27 August, 1917	Wainuiomata, Section 22, Sub. 4 (part)	George Enoko, Wini Enoko, Kūihi Enoka, Ruakura Enoka, Tami Enoka, Arapeta Karaheko Tanerau, Teoti Tanerau, Tureti Tanerau, and Arawhata Tanerau to John William Burdan (O. and R. Beere).
5	1918/51	Lease	23 February, 1918	Horowhenua XI B 35B	Riria Peene, Hori Wirihana, Rewi Wirihana, Wirihana Wirihana, Kingi Kingi Wirihana, and Ngakina Kingi Wirihana to Grey Filmer Phillips (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
6	1918/119	Sale of leasehold	3 December, 1917	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4D 1, Subs. 1 and 2	Tamihana Wereta and Parakipane Kingi to Henry Fielding (Chapman, Skerrett, Tripp, and Blair).
7	1918/171	Lease	20 July, 1918	Himatangi 2A 2	Tini Pitihira to James Davey (C. H. Treadwell).
8	1918/183	Transfer	20 " 1918	Horowhenua XI B 30	Ngapera Taueki to Grey Filmer Phillips (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
9	1918/184	"	8 April, 1918	Ngarara West A 28	Amopiria Tuku to Isabel Hughes Field (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
10	1918/185	"	18 July, 1918	Horowhenua XI B 36 3F No. 1	Teoti te Hau to Gertrude Winifred Wilson Newman (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
11	1918/196	"	5 September, 1918	Parangarehu 2A and 2B	Hohua Warena and Hoani Warena to G. E. C. Hansen (E. P. Bunny).
12	1918/228	Lease	9 " 1918	Turanganui 65B	Rina Ihakara to Grace Gillies (Menteath and Ward).
13	1918/229	"	3 " 1918	" 1B	Rina Ihakara to George Busch (Menteath and Ward).
14	1918/243	Transfer	30 " 1918	Hutt, Section 2A, Sub. 2J	Mere te Puni, Ema te Puni, and Horiana te Puni to John Laird Morrison (O. and R. Beere).
15	1918/244	"	2 October, 1918	Hutt, Section 2, Subs. I J No. 1A	Ivor te Puni to John Laird Morrison (O. and R. Beere).
16	1918/246	"	30 August, 1918	Rangitikei-Manawatu B 4	Manawaroa te Aweawe to Hare Rakena te Aweawe (C. H. Treadwell).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
17	1918/248	Transfer	16 October, 1918	Manawatu-Kukutaauaki 7D 1, Sub. 6	Te Wera Hirama to J. G. and R. A. Spiers (Webb and Van Staveren).
18	1918/249	"	13 September, 1918	Ngarara West A 28 and 29	Wi Pukere to Isabel H. Field (Field, Luckie, and Sladden).
19	1918/250	Mortgage	18 October, 1918	Muhinoa 3A 1E 1, Section 207	Aperaha Rerei Roera to Frederick Easton (G. H. Harper).
WAIRARAPA APPLICATIONS.					
20	1916/301	Transfer	6 July, 1916	Pukengaki No. 18	Taare Turi to William Marshall Jury (Gawith and Logan).
21	1918/11	Lease	14 December, 1917	Waikekeno 4B	Martha Matupuku, or Martha Asher, to Henry Peterson Harrison (Tate and Thompson).
22	1918/140	"	20 May, 1918	Taratahi B No. 1D No. 1	Manuera Ngatuere to John and Emily Udy (S. J. Moran).
23	1918/144	"	28 " 1918	Turanganui No. 2J	Rakai Tamihana to Matiu Ahipene (Gawith and Logan).
24	1918/172	Transfer	9 March, 1918	Pahaoa 2B 2	Mouru te Kahu and Nikorinia Piripi to George Frederick Pearce and Mary Cameron (Tate and Thompson).
25	1918/180	"	31 July, 1918	Tahoraite 2A, Section 32E	Aperata Takana to William Murray (R. H. Robertshawe).
26	1918/192	Lease	23 March, 1918	Waiotututa 7B	Hikihiki Haeretuterangi to Whana Himona (Tate and Thompson).
27	1918/193	"	28 " 1918	Whakatomotomo 5B	Te Rautangata Otene to Sinclair Thomas Thompson (Tate and Thompson).
28	1918/194	"	6 May, 1918	Paehua 6B 2	Tangi Weti to W. R. and H. W. F. York (Tate and Thompson).
29	1918/200	"	11 July, 1918	Akura 2A 2	Pane Ihaka Rapana, Hera Taare, and Tuangi Ihaka to Martin Kerins (Bunny and Burrige).
30	1918/214	Transfer	18 September, 1918	Mairirikapua, Lot E	Manuera Ngatuera to Allen Alexander Cameron (S. J. Moran).
31	1918/215	"	18 May, 1918	Whakataki 4B, Section 3	Reta Paora to Arthur Brightwell (S. J. Moran).
32	1918/216	"	"	Te Ununu 2E	Maika Matiana, Kahutia-i-te-Rangi, Huia Himiona, Rino Iraia, Iraia Tamati, Aperahama Anaru, and Te Paea Rongomai-aia to Allen Cameron (S. J. Moran).
33	1918/217	Lease	18 August, 1918	Te Maipi 7c 7c 7c 6 and Ngapuketuru 6c	Maraea Iraia (Toatoa) to William John Montgomery (S. J. Moran).
34	1918/231	Transfer	"	Akura 3c 1D	Tore Ratima Karaitiana, Turuki Wahoterangi, Otene Kuku Karaitiana, Retima Arawhita Karaitiana, Te Noho Himona, and Maata Matiu, or Pirau, to William Taylor (S. J. Moran).
35	1918/232	"	"	" 3c 1A 4	Tamati Kingi, Wiremu Kingi, Tamawhiti Te Peeti Kingi, Miki Kingi, Mane Kingi, Hineturangi Kingi, Tiria Tamihana, and Rewi Tamihana to William Taylor (S. J. Moran).
36	1918/233	"	"	" 3c 1B	Paranibia Kingi, Tamawhiti Kingi, Tamati Kingi, Mane Kingi, Mihi Kingi, Hineturangi Kingi, and Te Peeti Kingi to William Taylor (S. J. Moran).
37	1918/234	"	"	" 3c 1A No. 2	Tore Karaitiana and Komihana Karaitiana to William Taylor (S. J. Moran).
38	1918/235	"	29 September, 1918	" 3c 1A No. 1	Kuku Karaitiana to William Taylor (S. J. Moran).
39	1918/236	"	2 October, 1918	Whakataki 4B 1	Tuhua Karanama te Huki to Arthur Brightwell (S. J. Moran).
40	1918/242	"	9 " 1918	Oringiwaiaaruhe 1B 1A 1	Hiria Heta to Annie May McNicol (P. W. Dorrington).
41	1918/247	Mortgage	14 " 1918	Weraawhaitiri, Blocks 4B, 5, and 2A (part)	Maata Mahupuku to John Strang (Tate and Thompson).

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Resolution.
42	1918/48	Ngatamatea Block No. 114N	Sale to V. E. Donald.

Meeting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 15th October, 1918.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board will be held at Te Kuiti on Monday, the 11th day of November, 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.

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.					
1	9053	Sale	3 July, 1917	Kawhia P No. 2B	Taui Wetere and another to Arthur E. Langley.
2	9071	"	25 April, 1917	Ohura South N 2E	Puhi Marumaru and others to Mary O'Connor.
3	9304	Transfer	9 May, 1917	" G 4L 4	Rangataroia te Marae and others to Annie B. Smith.
4	9305	"	12 " 1917	" G 4L 3	Miha te Porou and others to Annie B. Smith.
5	9432	"	"	Kinohaku East 1F 18	Paku Wera and others to James Tatham.
6	9370	Lease	"	Rangitoto-Tuhua 79C 1	Te Mahuri Tawhana and another to Albert E. Litchwark.
7	9433	Gift	7 February, 1918	Taharoa A 6D 2	Puru Rupene to Purua Puru.
8	9447	Transfer	15 " 1918	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29B 2	Parehina Tawhana and others to William H. Follett.
9	9452	Lease	3 October, 1917	Ohura South N 2E 1 (part)	Kimihia Marumaru and others to John O'Connor.
10	9456	Transfer	1 September, 1917	" G 4L 1A	Moetu Taitua and others to Hugh Richards.
11	9466	"	18 " 1917	" G 4F	Te Huia Pikikotuku and others to C. J. Somerville.
12	9471	Lease	12 December, 1917	Kaipia No. 7	Mihi Pepene Tana to J. W. Turner.
13	9478	Transfer	20 February, 1918	Puketarata 4G 2B 2A	Rangitahi Putangaroa to D. C. Broadfoot.
14	9523	Sale	29 September, 1917	Ohura South C 2 3E 3	Te Rongorito Matakita and others to Robert J. Smith.
15	9535	"	11 April, 1918	Rangitoto-Tuhua 34B 3	Maria Hoponi to Robert Burns.
16	9585	"	7 May, 1918	" 67B 2	Hinerangi te Huaki and others to John T. Tuck.
17	9586	Lease	"	Kinohaku East 2 28B 2C	Manihera Hone and others to Gerald A. MacRae.
18	9603	Sale	"	Mangawhero 2C 2B 2	Wiri te Tarete and others to Albert Symes and another.
19	9609	"	7 May, 1918	Kinohaku East 1B 4B 5B	Te Amoroa Hone and others to James N. Boddie.
20	9662	Lease	29 June, 1918	Kaipia 6B	Pura Tana to Mary F. Berry.
21	9664	Sale	16 July, 1918	Kinohaku East 5E 2B 3	Patupatu Keepa and others to William MacLeod.
22	9668	"	18 " 1918	" 3A 2B 1A	Te Riri Moerna and others to Waewae Toki.
23	9671	"	1 November, 1917	Wharereina No. 5	Taiamai to Ra and others to Amy May Phillips.
24	9679	Lease	17 May, 1918	Ohura South M 2D 2B	Tapaka te Waihana and another to Ellen May Harris.
25	9680	"	10 " 1918	Section 4B, Block 11, Rangitoto Survey District	Te Mahuri Rauroha to Christopher James Somerville.
26	9685	Sale	19 March, 1918	Ohura South N 2E 3F	Manahi Patito and others to James McDonald.
27	9686	"	"	Whaanga No. 1A	Manukapua Paekau and others to Oliver Robert Farrer.
28	9687	Lease	"	Umuakaimata 3B 1	Matete Ateara to Peter Hegglin.
29	9688	Sale	"	Puketiti No. 4B	Manawa Hinewai and others to Emily Mary Good.
30	9689	"	"	Mahoenui 3B 5B 2	Te Wairua to Rore and others to George Petrie.
31	9693	"	4 July, 1918	Rangitoto-Tuhua 67C	Manawaiti Taohua and others to Lily A. C. Deverill.
32	9695	"	20 " 1918	Puketarata 4G 2B 2A	Rangitahi Putangaroa to Caroline G. Thomson.
33	9696	Lease	15 March, 1918	Hauturu East 1E 4B 2A	Huri te Taha and others to Effie Lamb.
34	9698	Sale	19 " 1918	Mangaawakino 8B 2B 2	Te Ketetahi Ngapaki to Leslie Gordon Purdie.
35	9700	Sale of timber	30 May, 1918	Kinohaku East 1F 27B	Rangitahi Putangaroa to Joseph Hankin.
36	9702	Lease	6 March, 1918	Rangitoto-Tuhua 68M 1 and 68G 2	Raupi Waikohika to James Watson Lawson.
37	9705	Sale of timber	1 April, 1918	Ohura South G 4L 2B 3A and 3B	Para Hikaia and others to Hugh Richards.
38	9706	Lease	16 March, 1918	Ohura South N 2E 3G 2C	Manahi Patito to John O'Connor.
39	9709	Sale of timber	19 " 1918	Kinohaku East 1A 1B	Whare Hotu and another to John Eudean.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>					
40	9710	Sale of timber	25 March, 1918 ..	Kinohaku East 1A 3B ..	Pango Hone and others to John Endean.
41	9711	"	19 " 1918 ..	" 1F 2B ..	Rangirumakino and others to John Endean.
42	9712	"	19 " 1918 ..	" 1F 2D ..	Niko Mauritu and others to John Endean.
43	9713	"	19 " 1918 ..	" 1F 9B ..	Hori Hapukena and others to John Endean.
44	9714	"	25 " 1918 ..	" 1F 10 ..	Pango Hone and others to John Endean.
45	9715	"	21 " 1918 ..	" 1F 18 ..	Katu Tohiariki and others to John Endean.
46	9716	"	21 " 1918 ..	" 1F 19C 2	Mere Turoa and others to John Endean.
47	9717	"	21 " 1918 ..	" 1F 27B ..	Katu Tohiariki and others to John Endean.
48	9718	"	13 April, 1918 ..	" 1F 28B ..	Atutahi Porokoru and others to John Endean.
49	9719	"	19 March, 1918 ..	" 1F 29C ..	Rangirumakino and others to John Endean.
50	9720	"	13 April, 1918 ..	" 1F 29D ..	Atutahi Porokoru and others to John Endean.
51	9721	"	26 March, 1918 ..	" 1F 29F ..	Puku Tukee and others to John Endean.
52	9722	"	26 " 1918 ..	" 1F 29I ..	Katu Tohiariki and others to John Endean.
53	9723	"	21 " 1918 ..	" 2 24E ..	Kereama Tame and others to John Endean.
54	9724	"	21 " 1918 ..	Tapuiwahine 1B ..	Harori Titi and others to John Endean.
55	9725	"	19 " 1918 ..	" 1c 1 ..	Tata Wahanui and others to John Endean.
56	9727	Sale ..	24 July, 1918 ..	Tahaia B 2C 2C (part) ..	Te Wao Maika to Stuart Gordon McKenzie.
57	9729	" ..	24 " 1918 ..	Kaingapipi No. 11A ..	Ngaro Ngairo to James Wall.
58	9731	" ..	25 " 1918 ..	Taumatotara No. 6B ..	Tukahui te Iringhau and others to Aupori Josephs.

NEW APPLICATIONS.

59	9766	Sale ..	23 July, 1918 ..	Rangitoto A 57B 2 ..	Te Mapi Mata and another to William Jones Smith and another.
60	9769	" ..	23 " 1918 ..	" A 57B 1 ..	Ditto.
61	9785	" ..	4 April, 1918 ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua 61F 1B	Te Waka Ururoa and another to Charles Bruce Morrison.
62	9825	" ..	11 September, 1918	Pirongia West 3B 2C (part)	Haunui Tawhaio to Ani Ngaiwi Keeti.
63	9826	Lease ..	" ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua 64C 1	Tuheka Hone to Harold George Vause and another.
64	9827	Sale ..	21 September, 1918	Kinohaku East 2, Section 26	Te Rahui Atutahi to George Smart.
65	9831	Mortgage ..	" ..	Lot 4, Block XXX, Te Kuiti	Ruita te Mihinga to Colin George Rigby.
66	9832	Sale ..	" ..	Mangawhero 2C 2B 1 ..	Tutaki Ringitanga and others to Albert Symes and another.
67	9836	" ..	30 September, 1918	Piha 1B 3A 1 ..	Whakataha Atutahi and others to Walter Alexander Lee.
68	9837	" ..	" ..	Section 7, Block I, Te Kuiti 2B 1N	Ngaraima Ngatai Ruihi to Gabriel Elliott.
69	9839	" ..	30 September, 1918	Kinohaku East 4G 2 ..	Wero Atutahi to Ellen Jackson.
70	9841	Lease ..	" ..	Mahoenui 2, Section 9 ..	Rangiauriki te Huia to Joseph Faulds.
71	9842	" ..	" ..	" 2, " 7 ..	Te Rema Kerei and others to Charles Stanley Roberts.
72	9843	Sale ..	5 October, 1918 ..	Kinohaku East 2 28B 3 ..	Ngahau Whariki and others to Arthur Byrt Jordan.
73	9844	Lease ..	10 August, 1918 ..	Ohura South M 3A 2A 2	Te Hori Ngahangi and others to William Jones.
74	9845	" ..	14 September, 1918	" M 3A 2A 1	Heheawai Whakapaki and others to William Jones.
75	9847	" ..	21 August, 1918 ..	Kinohaku East 2, Section 19	Niko Mauritu and others to George Panton Finlay.
76	9848	Sale ..	26 September, 1918	Hauturu East 1E 5C 2B 6C (part)	Noke Tuara to Jessie Jeffcoat Lee.
77	9849	Lease ..	10 October, 1918 ..	Maraetaua 9B ..	Whakataerangi Paterangi to Walter James Broadfoot.
78	9850	Sale ..	1 August, 1918 ..	Kaingapipi No. 7 ..	Tuwakaririka Pairama to Lionel Le Grand Jacob.
79	9851	" ..	3 " 1918 ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua 64E 1 ..	Maraea te Amohanga to Tawhi te Puaha.
80	9852	" ..	30 " 1918 ..	Ohura South G 3C 6 ..	Tapaka te Waihanae to Thomas J. Pendray.
81	9856	Sale of timber	" ..	Pehitawa 2B 4A ..	Kumeroa Tutawa to Effie Lamb.
82	9857	Sale ..	" ..	Ouruwhero 3E 1 ..	Paraihe Mira to Richard Giles Blennerhassett.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
NEW APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>					
83	9858	Sale of timber	10 October, 1918 ..	Te Kumi 7D 2D 2 ..	Waimapuna te Moerua to George Justin Browne.
84	9859	"	10 " 1918 ..	Hauturu East 1E 4B 2C 2	Te Moerua te Rira Natanahira to Effie Lamb.
85	9860	"	10 " 1918 ..	Pehitawa 2B 5G	Ditto.
86	9861	"	10 " 1918 ..	Kinohaku East 1A 3E 2B 1	Rangihapainga Hohepa to George Justin Browne.
87	9862	Sale ..	2 " 1918 ..	Rangitoto A 47	Aohau Ngawiki to Edward Brock.
88	9863	" ..	29 July, 1918 ..	Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4D 2D5B	Kaea te Ahurewa to Thomas Were.
89	9864	" ..	3 August, 1918 ..	Mangarapa 4 2B 3B ..	Tawha te Puaha to Thomas Were.
90	9870	" ..	3 September, 1918	Puketarata 18B 2C ..	Taumata te Oro to Andrew John McGovern.
91	9871	" ..	3 October, 1918 ..	Otorohanga 2B 2B (part)	Hera te Wana and others to Edward Martin Edkins.
92	9872	" ..	8 September, 1918	Orahiri 1 25B ..	Titia Wiremu to Robert Francis Watkins.
93	9873	" ..	30 July, 1918 ..	Waiwhakaata 1B 2 ..	Katipa Reihana and others to John Charles Potts.
94	9874	Lease ..	16 September, 1918	Mangawhero 2A 3B 4B ..	Toa te Weunui and another to Albert Symes and another.
95	9876	Sale ..	17 " 1918	" 2A 3B 5 (part)	Ahiwaka te Taniwha and others to Frederick O. R. Phillips.
96	9879	" ..	10 July, 1918 ..	Ohura South C 2 3D 5 ..	Katahi Tiraha and another to Robert James Smith.
97	9880	" ..	17 September, 1918	Kinohaku East 1B 1B ..	Mita Mihinga to Norman Ernest Archer.
98	9883	Lease ..	" ..	Rangitoto A 12B 1 ..	Waimapuna te Moerua and another to W. G. Kay.
99	9884	" ..	" ..	" A 46B 3 ..	Rahia Tohaia and others to E. G. Symes.
100	9885	Sale ..	" ..	Kinohaku West E 1D 2B 2B	Te One Motu and others to Parehounuku O'Brien and others.

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.			
101	9441	Lot 57B 2, Whangape ..	Lease to Hone Reo and another for a term of twenty-one years, at an annual rental of 5 per cent. on the present Government valuation, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years at a rental of 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value.
102	9479	Te Akau D 4B 3B ..	(1.) Sale to John E. Richardson for the amount of the Government valuation. (2.) Lease to John E. Richardson for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 5 per cent. on the present Government valuation during the first twenty-one years, and 5 per cent. on the then unimproved value during the remaining twenty-one years.
103	9726	Tapuiwahine 1c 2 ..	Sale of all millable timber to John Endean for the amount of the Government valuation.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
104	9187	Rapaura 2A, Section 1 ..	(1.) Sale to Alfred William Jones for the sum of £3 per acre. (2.) Lease to Alfred William Jones for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 10s. per acre during the first twenty-one years and 5 per cent. of the Government valuation during the remaining twenty-one years.
105	9828	Horokawau ..	Sale to Charles Swan for the amount of the Government valuation.
106	9854	Rangitoto-Tuhua 2F 3 ..	Sale to Te Hikaka Takirau for the sum of £130.
107	9875	Kinohaku East 1A 1B ..	Sale of all timber to George Justin Browne for the sum of £30.
108	9877	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29C 2A 3 ..	Sale to I. L. McLuckie for the sum of £5 6s. per acre.
109	9878	Puketarata 4c 2A ..	Sale to George Richmond for the sum of £6 per acre.
110	9881	Tamahere, Lot 126 ..	Sale to Parepumi te Whetuiti for the sum of £9 per acre.
111	9882	Opuatia 16c 2B 1 ..	Sale to John Muir for the sum of £1,250.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
112	9271	Manuaitu 1B 2 ..	That the land be sold to James H. Phillips for the sum of £3 10s. per acre.
113	9385	Rangitoto-Tuhua 52A ..	That the land be sold to Hugh Joseph Cameron for the sum of £3 15s. per acre.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Block.	Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS— <i>continued.</i>			
114	9386	Ohura South A No. 1	That the land be sold to Hugh Joseph Cameron for the sum of £4 3s. per acre.
115	9426	Rangitoto-Tuhua 34B No. 2	That the land be sold to Robert Burns for the sum of £4 per acre.
116	9468	Terengohengohe A	That the land be leased to Henry George Briggs for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of £1 per acre during the first twenty-one years, and £2 per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.
117	8519	Ohura South N 2B	That portion of the land, containing 366 acres, be leased to Alexander Bell for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 2s. per acre during the first twenty-one years, and 4s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.
NEW APPLICATIONS.			
118	9435	Wharekawa 1c No. 2	That the land be sold to F. E. Douglas for the amount of the Government valuation.
119	9627	Waitakaruru 1c 3C	That the land be sold to John Buchanan for the amount of the Government valuation.
120	9659	„ 1c 3D	Ditto.
121	9761	„ 1c 3A 7	That the land be sold to H. F. Purnell for the amount of the Government valuation.
122	9762	„ 1c 3B	That the land be sold to Balfour M. Irvine for the amount of the Government valuation.
123	9763	„ 1c 3E	Ditto.

APPLICATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 230 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909, FOR THE CONSENT OF THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL TO MORTGAGE.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
124	9886	Lot 4, Block XXX, Te Kuiti Township	Ruita te Mihinga to Colin George Ricby.

Meeting of the South Island District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 23rd October, 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 Kaiapoi on Wednesday, the 20th day of November, 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	1918/54	Transfer ..	17 June, 1918 ..	Kaiapoi, Section 154 ..	Pene Tahui to Maata Tau Piki or Ruru (Papprill and Conlan).
2	1918/60	„ ..	12 August, 1918 ..	Moeraki, Section 23 ..	Hoani te Mamaru to Mary E. Le Fevre (Papprill and Conlan).
3	1918/74	„ ..	23 April and subsequent dates, 1918	Oamaru 2A 2 ..	Whare Puni Pirere to Karira, junior (K. Watson).
4	1918/75	Lease ..	10 May, 1918 ..	Okarito Native Reserve 19	Teone Ekaiaha Ropata, William A. Retara, and Flocy Russell to Norman Edmund Friend (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers).
5	1918/77	Transfer ..	14 October, 1918 ..	Kaiapoi, Section 134G, Section 1	Henare Matene and Teoti Matene to Robert McQuillan (Papprill and Conlan).
6	1918/78	„ ..	4 „ 1918 ..	Waikouaiti XII, Section 86	Kahureremoia H. P. Parata, Charles R. W. A. Parata, and David H. R. M. Parata to N. E. Douglas (McGregor and Ramsay).
7	1918/79	„ ..	12 „ 1918 ..	Mangamunu 2, Sub. 7 ..	Mere Tahati Ropata to Henry W. G. Beauchamp (Gibson and Proudfoot).
8	1918/80	„ ..	12 „ 1918 ..	„ 1A, Section 5	Kerehoma to Keepa to Margaret E. Boyd (Gibson and Proudfoot).
9	1918/81	„ ..	12 „ 1918 ..	„ 2A, „ 9	Kerehoma te Keepa to Margaret E. Boyd (Gibson and Proudfoot).
10	1918/82	„ ..	25 September, 1918	Wairewa 2059, Sub. 3 ..	Rupapera te Uki to Thomas Thompson (Meares and Williams).
11	1918/83	Lease ..	21 June, 1918 ..	Onuku 886, Sections 1, 2, 4, 6, 7	Mitarina Rini, Riria Rangimakerē, Hoani Pitini Morere, Kiri Rehu, Mere C. K. H. Kirini, Rewi te Iritoka, te Hua Kirini, and Kehaia Taupoki to Felix Brocherie (Meares and Williams).

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—continued.

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
12	1918/84	Transfer ..	20 July, 1918 ..	Hitaua F 2B..	Amirea Arthur, Kiti Keenan, Roera Keenan, Riwai Keenan, and Te Iwhora Love to Eva J. C. Derbyshire (Conolly, Burden, and Churchward).
13	1918/85	..	17 October, 1918 ..	Rangitoto No. 6 ..	Rene Karepa, Kahui Aperahama, and Takoto Matiwai Aperahama to N. J. and L. A. Brown and Myott Wiggins (E. P. Bunny).
14	1918/86	..	27 July, 1918 ..	Kaiapoi 873, Section 95..	Mohi Rakuraku, Hana Pohio, Thomas Goldsmith, Irai Tikau Pohio, Reita Pohio, Henare Pohio, Hira Pohio, Hamiora Pohio, and Horamona Pohio to Gladys C. M. Uru (H. W. Uru).

APPLICATION TO PAY RENT-MONEYS FROM BOARD.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
15	1916/23	Torotoroa Native Reserve 895 and 2557	Application to pay rent-moneys in the hands of the Board to the Tuahiwi Runanga Fund (W. D. Barrett).

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Name of Land.	Proposed Resolution for Consideration.
16	1918/76	Transfer ..	Otonga No. 1E No. 10 ..	That the said land be sold to Henry Hough, of Chatham Islands, for the amount of the Government valuation of the land (C. R. Stead).

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Resolution.
17	1918/55	Korotuaheka Native Reserve, Sections 12, 13, and 14	Lease to Alfred James Keith (Papprill and Conlan).
18	1918/56	Waikouaiti Block, Section 69 ..	Sale to Nellie Elizabeth Douglas (Papprill and Conlan).
19	1918/64	Waipuna, Section 25635 ..	Sale to Mabel Jane Coop (H. W. Uru).
20	1918/62	" " 25633 ..	" "
21	1918/63	" " 25634 ..	" "

Meeting of the South Island District Maori Land Board.

Wellington, 23rd October, 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 Wellington on Wednesday, the 13th day of November, 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	1917/107	Lease ..	26 May, 1917 ..	Mangamaunu No. 2, Sub. 10	Makara te Whaiti to J. W. McInnes (C. R. Parata).
2	1918/18	Transfer ..	..	Wairau Native Reserve, part Section 26	Tahua Watson to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).
3	1918/19	..	..	Wairau Native Reserve, Common D	Hoani Makitanara and Hapareta Rore (trustees) to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).
4	1918/20	..	..	Wairau Native Reserve, Section 27	Tapata Wiremu to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).
5	1918/21	..	..	Wairau Native Reserve, part Section 25	Tuiti Makitanara to Lower Wairau River Board (McCallum, Mills, and Spence).

Meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be considered at a meeting of the Aotea District Maori Land Board to be held at Wanganui on Tuesday, the 29th day of October, 1918, at 10.30 a.m.

Wanganui, 21st October, 1918.

JAS. W. BROWNE, President.

SCHEDULE.

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

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
1	18/384	Mortgage ..	..	Ngatirahiri 7H ..	Erina te Aumamate Taiake to J. W. Foreman (Treadwell, Gordon, and Brodie).
2	18/385	Lease ..	17 October, 1918, and other dates	Araukuku 10B Section 2 ..	Ngarangi Pakeke and others to William James Laurent (Treadwell, Gordon, and Brodie).

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
3	18/384A	Ngatirahiri 7H ..	Erina Teaumamate Taiake to John White Foreman (Treadwell, Gordon, and Brodie).

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Orahiri 7C No. 2 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—
 "That the land be sold to John Ormsby for the sum of £4 5s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of October, 1918.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Rangitoto-Tuhua 34B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Robert Burns for the sum of £2 per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of October, 1918.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Lot 15, Block XXV, Township of Otorohanga, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to John Willis for the sum of £120."

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of October, 1918.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Kakepuku 9B 5, Section 1, will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Otorohanga on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1918, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to Arthur Mold for the sum of £386."

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of October, 1918.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Te Kuiti 2B No. 1N (roads) will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1918, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be transferred to the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Te Kuiti to the end and interest that the said piece of land shall be for ever used as a public road or street."

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of October, 1918.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Waiwhakaata 1B No. 1 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Te Kuiti on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1918, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"(1.) That the land be leased to John Charles Potts for a term of forty-two years, at an annual rental of 2s. 6d. per

acre during the first ten years, 3s. per acre during the next eleven years, and 6s. per acre during the remaining twenty-one years.

"(2.) That the land be sold to John Charles Potts for the sum of £2 5s. per acre."

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of October, 1918.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Waikato-Maniapoto Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Taumarunui Township will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Taumarunui on Thursday, the 14th day of November, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolutions:—

"(1.) That Lots 7 and 9, Block IX, Lot 10, Block IV, and Lots 15 and 16, Block VIII, be sold to William Crawford MacKnight for the sum of £2,000.

"(2.) That Lot 13, Block VIII, and Sub. 2 of Lot 11, Block VIII, be sold to Messrs. House and Daking (Limited) for the sum of £2,000.

"(3.) That Lot 7, Block VIII, and Sub. 1 of Lot 8, Block VIII, be sold to William Thomas for the sum of £2,000.

"(4.) That Lot 1, Block IX, be sold to Messrs. Abraham and Williams (Limited) for the sum of £1,000.

"(5.) That Lot 6, Block VIII, be sold to the Bank of Australasia for the sum of £250.

"(6.) That Lot 11, Block IV, be sold to the Bank of New Zealand for the sum of £250.

"(7.) That Lot 2, Block XIVA, be sold to Frank Smith for the sum of £300.

"(8.) That Lot 3, Block XIVA, be sold to Gustav Ludwig Winger for the sum of £300."

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of October, 1918.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES MUNRO, of Opotiki, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 1st day of November, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock.

21st October, 1918.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD GEORGE HALLY, of Morrinsville, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Morrinsville, on Wednesday, the 30th day of October, 1918, at 2 o'clock p.m.

16th October, 1918.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ELIZABETH GIBBS, of Paeroa, Wife of Thomas Ashtor Gibbs, of Paeroa, Dairy-farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Paeroa, on Thursday, the 31st day of October, 1918, at 11 o'clock a.m.

16th October, 1918.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of TUE TE UAWIRI, of Kai Iwi, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with a composition with the creditors, confirmed by the Supreme Court on 18th September, 1918, a first and final dividend of 10s. in the pound on all accepted proved claims is now payable at my office, 3 Victoria Avenue, Wanganui.

19th October, 1918.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that statements of accounts and balance-sheets in respect of the undermentioned estates, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, have been duly filed in the above Court; and I hereby further

give notice that at the sitting of the said Court to be holden on Monday, the 11th day of November, 1918, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1918.

G. O. A. Olsen, Builder, Palmerston North.
Sylvia Snow, Nurse, Foxton.
Grant and Ross, Provision-merchants, Palmerston North.
John Gheyne, Storekeeper, Utuawai.
M. McKenzie, Farmer, Bull's.
John Richardson, Stablekeeper, Feilding.
M. B. Just, Gardener, Palmerston North.
A. J. Cobb, Builder, Palmerston North.
W. P. G. Smith, Farmer, Palmerston North.
A. Johnston, Farmer, Shannon.
W. B. Everitt, Farmer, Pokeno.
John Robertson, Journalist, Palmerston North.

17th October, 1918.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

In the estate of THOMAS NEWLAND, of Masterton, Fruiterer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 2s. 0½d. in the pound is now payable at my office, Church Street, Masterton, on all proved and accepted claims.

19th October, 1918.

ARTHUR D. LOW,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of CHARLES HENRY BARRINGTON, of Wellington, Motor-car Driver, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 7s. 9½d. in the pound is now payable at my office, 190 Lambton Quay, on all proved and accepted claims.

21st October, 1918.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES WILLIAM BATES, formerly of Waikawa, Flax-miller, but now of Longbush, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 25th day of October, 1918, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

14th October, 1918.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels 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 25th November, 1918.

6353. JAMES WALLEN.—Allotments 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29 of Section 10 of Small Lots near Howick, containing together 32 acres 1 rood 16 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 2389A.

5946. EDGAR JAMES McFARLAND.—Lots 26, 27, 30, 31, 32, and 33 of Allotment 149, and Lots 17 to 21 inclusive of Allotment 158, Parish of Takapuna, containing together 24 acres 1 rood 29 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 9511.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 21st day of October, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

WHEREAS a dealing has been presented for registration affecting Lease No. 6339, from CECILIA ELIZABETH CLARK to JOSEPH WILLIAM AMESBURY MANNING, of Lot 151 of Allotment 18 of Section 8 of the Suburbs of Auckland, contained in Vol. 15, folio 32, of the register-book:

Now, notice is hereby given of my intention to register such dealing at the expiration of fourteen days from the 24th day of October, 1918, without requiring the production of the duplicate lease.

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.

Application 4852 (deposited plan 4097). COMBINED BUYERS (LIMITED).—19.8 perches, part Section 216 (Lot 18, Te Aro Pah Reserve), City of Wellington. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of October, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

G. G. BRIDGES,
District Land Registrar.

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

12446. ARTHUR JOSEPH HAMMOND.—28.4 perches, part of Town Sections 75 and 76, Borough of Akaroa. Unoccupied.

12447. HELEN MARY LEETE.—12.7 perches, part of Town Sections 75 and 76, Borough of Akaroa. Unoccupied.

12462. MARY SHAW.—2 roods 2 perches, part of Rural Section 587, Block IX, Teviotdale District, corner main North Road and Dover Street. Occupied by Joseph Parker.

12463. JOSEPH PARKER.—3 roods 20 perches, part of Rural Section 587, Block IX, Teviotdale District, frontage to Dover Street. Occupied by applicant.

12465. ROBERT BRUCE BAKER WILLIS.—2 acres 2 roods 5 perches, part of Rural Section 5861, having a frontage to Jollies Road, Town District of Southbridge. Occupied by applicant.

12469. AUGUST ULLRICH.—2 roods, part of Rural Section 307, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District, having a frontage to Inghire Street. Occupied by applicant.

12470. HORACE NORMAN TALBOT.—1 rood 24 perches, part of Rural Section 163, Blocks X and XI, Christchurch Survey District, having a frontage to Weka Road. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Christchurch.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 147, folio 227, for Lot 36, deposit plan 681, part Rural Section 238, City of Christchurch, whereof SUSAN JANE TAYLOR, Wife of ISAAC TAYLOR, of Christchurch, Labourer, 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 22nd day of October, 1918.

W. WYINKS,
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 within one month from the publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

5283. THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—1 rood, Section 16, Block IX, Town of Oamaru. Occupied by John Moore.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 19th day of October, 1918, at the Lands Registry Office, Dunedin.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

APPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in favour of GEORGE POOLE, of Invercargill, Builder, for part of Section 10, Block XLVII, Town of Invercargill, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 78, folio 256, 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 publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 21st day of October, 1918.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
District Land Registrar.

APPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in favour of WILLIAM YOUNG, of Wyndham, Labourer, for Lots 17, 19 to 30, 43 to 51, and part of Lots 40, 41, 42, plan 144A, part of Section 64, Block VI, District of Oteramika, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 68, folio 158, 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 publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Lands Registry Office, Invercargill, the 21st day of October, 1918.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266, subsection (4), of the above Act, that the under-mentioned company has been struck off the Register for the District of Otago:—

Roiall and Son (Limited). 1915/30.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Dunedin this 18th day of October, 1918.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (3).

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, the names of the under-mentioned companies will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies will be dissolved:—

Windles (Limited).

Keebles Reward Sluicing and Gold-mining Company (Limited).

Dated at Wellington this 21st day of October, 1918.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

SECTION 266, SUBSECTION (3).

IT having been reported to me that the undermentioned companies have ceased to carry on business, I hereby give notice that at the expiration of three months from date hereof the name of such companies will, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies will be dissolved:—

- 1908/2. Wairio Coal Company (Limited).
- 1909/8. Mokoreta Co-operative Dairy Factory Company (Limited).
- 1910/1. Wairio Coal Company (Limited).
- 1910/12. New Zealand Beech Company (Limited).
- 1913/15. Massey's Pictures (Limited).
- 1917/2. Avent and Co. (Limited).

Dated at Invercargill this 22nd day of October, 1918.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

NOTICE is hereby given that the situation and locality of the office or place of business where the MOUNT TORLESSE COLLIERIES (BROKEN RIVER, N.Z.), (LIMITED), a company incorporated in England and carrying on business in the Dominion of Zealand, is West End Chambers, Hereford Street, Christchurch.

Dated this 12th day of October, 1918.

WILLIAM WOOD,
FRANCIS REDPATH,
ALBERT KAYE,
MATTHEW STODDART BROWN,

584 Attorneys for the said Company.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business in New Zealand of the EAGLE STAR AND BRITISH DOMINIONS INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED), formerly the British Dominions General Insurance Company (Limited), has been removed from Wellington to Auckland, and is now situate at No. 26 Shortland Street, Auckland.

H. H. McCULLOUGH,
Manager for New Zealand.

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NOTICE is hereby given that BEN AND JOHN FULLER (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated and registered in the State of New South Wales, will on and after 1st November, 1918, commence and carry on business in New Zealand as Theatrical Proprietors. The registered office of the company will be at Lower Cuba Street, Wellington.

JOHN FULLER AND WALTER FULLER,
Attorneys for Ben and John Fuller (Limited).

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NOTICE is hereby given that FULLERS' THEATRES AND VAUDEVILLE (LIMITED), a company incorporated in the State of New South Wales and carrying on business in New Zealand, will after the expiration of three months from the first publication hereof cease to carry on business in New Zealand.

JOHN FULLER AND WALTER FULLER,
Attorneys for Fullers' Theatres and Vaudeville (Limited).

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WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE, MADE ON 11TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 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 £600, authorized to be raised by the Waikohu County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for erecting a bridge over the Koranga River, the said Waikohu County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 3/8ths of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Koranga Bridge Special Rating Area, comprising Sections 3, 4, and 5, Tahora 2 No. 2c 3; Lot 2, Tahora 2 No. 2c 3; Section 2, Block I, Ngatapa; S.G.R. 91 (half only). 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.
V. SEAMONS, Acting Clerk.

I, Violet Seamons, 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.

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V. SEAMONS, Acting Clerk.

KAITIEKE COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE AT AN ORDINARY MEETING HELD ON THE 7TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1918.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,500, authorized to be raised by the Kaitieke County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of reforming and metalling portion of the main road, Raurimu Township, the said Kaitieke County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of fourpence in the pound upon the rateable value (being the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Raurimu Township Special Rating Area, comprising, *inter alia*, the Township of Raurimu, and being the rateable properties within the following boundaries:—

Commencing at the junction of the Arline Stream with the Piopotea Stream, and following the Arline Stream to the North Island Main Trunk Railway line; thence by such railway-line in a north-easterly direction, and crossing same by a right angle to the northern corner of Section 15, Block X, said township, and to the eastern side of the main service road; thence south-easterly by such road to the north-eastern corner of Section 14, Block XI, said township; thence by the eastern boundary of Block XI aforesaid to the said main service road; thence by such road in an easterly direction for approximately a distance of twelve chains; thence by a straight line at right angles to such road to the said Arline Stream; thence by such stream in a westerly direction to the main road, Raurimu Township; thence by such road in a south-westerly direction to the said railway-line; thence by such railway-line in a southerly direction to a point produced by a straight line from the southern boundary of Lot 2, part Railway Reserve (occupied by one B. L. Knight); thence by such produced line to and along the said southern boundary of said Lot 2 to the said Piopotea Stream; thence following such stream generally in a northerly direction to its junction with the said Arline Stream, being the point of commencement.

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 October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until such loan is fully paid off.

I, Leonard Stanley Ford, Chairman of the Kaitieke County Council, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution passed by the Kaitieke County Council on the 7th day of September, 1918.

L. S. FORD, Chairman.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Kaitieke was affixed hereto this 7th day of September, 1918, in the presence of—

L. S. FORD, Chairman.
E. T. BEAVEN, County Clerk.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between JAMES ROBSON and JAMES McNEIL CRAWFORD, under the style or firm of "Robson and Crawford," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the late firm to be paid to the said JAMES McNEIL CRAWFORD to his agent Mr. ALFRED ANDERSON, Accountant, High Street, Dunedin, whose receipt shall be final.

Dated this 16th day of October, 1918.

JAMES ROBSON.
JAMES McNEIL CRAWFORD.

Witness to signatures of James Robson and James McNeil Crawford—D. Cooke, Solicitor, Dunedin.

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FRANKLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS AT A MEETING HELD ON THE 10TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1918.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of twenty-seven thousand pounds (£27,000), authorized to be raised by the Franklin County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of construction of main roads within the Waiau-Karaka Special Rating Area (including the payment of compensation for land required to be taken for any deviation or deviations found to be necessary on such roads, the purchase or hire of any horses, plant, and machinery required to carry out such work, and such other costs, charges, and expenses as the Franklin County Council may determine to have been actually incurred in connection with such loan) as follows,—

- (a.) Patumahoe to Waiau Road, from the north-eastern corner of Section 16, Waiau Parish, to the Waiau Pa Wharf;
- (b.) Waiau to Papakura Road, from the Patumahoe to Waiau Road at the south-eastern corner of Section 70, Waiau Parish, to the Hingaia Bridge;
- (c.) Waiau to Drury Road, from the Mauku Bridge at the southernmost corner of Section 20, Waiau Parish, to the Karaka No. 2 School opposite the easternmost corner of Section 233, Karaka Parish;
- (d.) Karaka to Waiau Road, from Waiuku-Drury Road at Karaka No. 2 School corner to the Te Hihii School corner at Section 30, Karaka Parish, on Waiau to Papakura Road;
- (e.) Karaka to Papakura Road, from the Karaka to Waiau Road at Black Bridge corner to Waiau to Papakura Road at Costar's and Smale's corner—

the said Franklin County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and one-seventh of a penny in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property of the Waiau-Karaka Special Rating Area, comprising all that area in the Auckland Land District bounded towards the north-west generally by the Manukau Harbour from the westernmost point of Section 35, Parish of Waiau, to the Karaka Point at north-eastern corner of Section 390, Parish of Karaka; thence towards the north-east, north-west, and east generally by the Pahurehure and Hingaia Estuaries and by the Whangapouri Creek to the north-eastern corner of Lot 1 on D.P. 7692, Karaka Estate (Homestead Block), owned by Henry Bull; thence towards the east by Lots 7 and 2, Karaka Estate (Homestead Block), to the public road (known as Waiuku-Drury Road) at south-eastern corner of said Lot 1, D.P. 7692, Karaka Estate (Homestead Block); thence towards the south-east by the said Waiuku-Drury Road to the north-eastern corner of Section 171, Parish of Karaka; thence again towards the north-east by Sections 170, 174, and 208 of Parish of Karaka to the south-eastern corner of Section 175, Parish of Karaka; thence towards the south-east generally by Sections 62, 63, and part of Section 70 to the south-eastern corner of part of Section 58, Parish of Karaka, owned by Daniel Jamieson, containing 109 acres 1 rood 24 perches; thence towards the south by the other part of said Section 58, Parish of Karaka, to the creek forming the eastern boundary of Lot 16 of the Helvetia Ostrich Farm Estate; thence again towards the east by the said Section 58, Parish of Karaka, to the south-eastern corner of said Lot 16, Helvetia Ostrich Farm Estate; thence again towards the south by Lots 18, 17, 11, and 10 of the said Helvetia Ostrich Farm Estate to the road at the south-western corner of Lot 9 of the said Helvetia Ostrich Farm Estate; thence by the said road to the south-eastern corner of Lot 4 of the said Helvetia Ostrich Farm Estate; thence again towards the south, south-east, and east generally by Lots 5, 6, and 7 of said Helvetia Ostrich Farm Estate, Lots 9 and 16 of Section 11, Parish of Waiau, Lots 2 and 3 of Section 14, Parish of Waiau, and Lots 38 and 37 of Section 2, Patumahoe Settlement, to the public road known as Patumahoe-Waiiau Road; thence across the said road to the north-eastern corner of Section 16, Parish of Waiau; thence again towards the south-east by Lots 1 and 2 of Section 2, Patumahoe Settlement, to a point on the south-eastern boundary of Section 16, Parish of Waiau, 3377 links from the north-eastern corner of said section; thence by a line running in a north-westerly direction through the said Section 16 to a point on the south-eastern boundary-line of Section 17, Parish of Waiau, 2700 links from the easternmost corner of Section 17; thence towards the south-east by part of the said Section 16, Parish of Waiau, to the Mauku Stream at the south-eastern corner of Section 17, Parish of Waiau; thence towards the south-west generally by the said Mauku Stream

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to the easternmost corner of Section 101, Parish of Waiuku East; thence again towards the south-east by Section 100, Parish of Waiuku East, to the public road at southernmost corner of Section 101, Parish of Waiuku East; thence towards the south-west by a public road and by Sections 92, 91, and 90 to the public road known as Waiuku-Drury Road; thence again towards the west by the said Waiuku-Drury Road and by the creek forming the eastern boundaries of Sections 107 and 106 of the Parish of Waiuku East to the southern bank of Taihiki River; thence by the southern and northern bank of the said Taihiki River to the point of commencement, being the westernmost point of Section 35, Parish of Waiau.

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 July 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.

The common seal of the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Franklin was hereto affixed at the office of and pursuant to a resolution of the Franklin County Council, in the presence of—

W. CLAUD MOTION, Chairman.
ALAN P. DAY, Clerk.

We hereby certify that the above is a true copy of and a correct extract from the minutes of proceedings of the Franklin County Council at the meeting above mentioned.

W. CLAUD MOTION, Chairman.
ALAN P. DAY, Clerk.

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NEW KING SOLOMON GOLD-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

THAT it has been proved to the satisfaction of the shareholders 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; and that Mr. E. DOWELL, of Auckland, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

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H. W. HOPKINS, Chairman of Directors.

BAY OF PLENTY FREEZING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

I HEREBY convene a general meeting of the above company to be held at 7.30 p.m. on Tuesday, the 5th day of November, 1918, at the Alhambra Theatre, Church Street, Opatiki, for the purpose of laying before the meeting an account showing the manner in which the winding-up of the company has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of offering any explanation I may wish to give.

C. C. COURTENAY, Liquidator.

Opatiki, 15th October, 1918.

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WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Wellington City Milk-supply Act, 1910, the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and their respective amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Wellington proposes, under the provisions of the above-named Acts, and all other Acts and powers enabling it in that behalf, to execute a certain public work—namely, the milk-supply of the City of Wellington; 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 in the public office of the Town Clerk to the said Council in the Town Hall, Cuba Street, in the said city, and is there open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours, and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or the taking of such lands should, if they have well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Wellington City Council, addressed to the Town Clerk at his said office.

SCHEDULE.

A. R. P.

0 0 24, being part of Section 174; coloured on plan red.

0 0 23.4, being part of Sections 174 and 173; coloured on plan blue.

Situate in City of Wellington.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 10th day of October, 1918.
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JNO. R. PALMER, Town Clerk.

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