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New County of Matakaoa divided into Ridings, &c.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Counties Act, 1908, and the Matakaoa County Act, 1919, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby divide the new County of Matakaoa, as constituted by the said Acts, into four ridings, to be called the Horoera Riding, the Awatere Riding, the Wharekahika Riding, and the Whangaparaoa Riding, and declare that the boundaries thereof shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto.

And I do hereby declare that one member shall be elected for the Horoera Riding, three members for the Awatere Riding, two members for the Wharekahika Riding, and three members for the Whangaparaoa Riding. And I do further declare that Saturday, the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, shall be the day upon which the election of the Council of the said County of Matakaoa shall take place; and Saturday, the twenty-second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, at twelve o'clock noon, shall be the time, and the Matakaoa County Council's office, Hovell's Hall, at Te Araroa, shall be the place, at which the first meeting of the said Council shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

HOROERA RIDING.

ALL that area in the Matakaoa County, in the Land District of Hawke's Bay, bounded towards the north-east by the sea from the mouth of the Awatere River to Te Horo-o-Kapuarangi; towards the south by the county boundary to the Te Araroa-Tikitiki Road; and towards the west by the centre of the said road to the right bank of the Awatere River, and by the said right bank of the Awatere River to its mouth, the point of commencement.

AWATERE RIDING.

All that area in the Matakaoa County, in the Land District of Hawke's Bay, bounded by a line commencing at the

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southernmost corner of Wharekahika No. 10A Block, and proceeding thence along the eastern boundary of that block and along the southern boundaries of Wharekahika Nos. 10B, 18G, 18H, 8D, 8A, 8C, 8B, 7, 6C, 6B 2, and 6B 1 Blocks to the sea; thence south-easterly along the sea-coast to the western boundary of the Horoera Riding hereinbefore described; thence south-easterly along that boundary and westerly along the county boundary to the southernmost corner of Ahomatariki No. 3B; thence northerly along the land district boundary to the point of commencement.

WHAREKAHIKA RIDING.

All that area in the Matakaoa County, in the Land District of Hawke's Bay, bounded towards the north and east by the sea, towards the south by the Awatere Riding hereinbefore described, and towards the west by the Auckland Land District.

WHANGAPARAOA RIDING.

All that area in the Matakaoa County, in the Land District of Auckland, bounded towards the north by the sea, towards the east by the Wharekahika and the Awatere Ridings, towards the south by the county boundary, and towards the west by the county boundary and the sea.

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 Justice 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 third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Wendon Survey District,
Southland Land District.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, with the consent of the Southland County Council, being the local authority in whose district the land described in the Schedule hereto is situated, proclaim as a road the land described in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 3 acres 2 roods 19 perches.

Portion of education reserve, Section 11, Block XIV, Wendon Survey District.

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/738, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclaiming a Road-line laid out through Subdivisions of the
Taraketi Block to be a Public Road.*

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

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was, by orders of the Native Land Court made on the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and the twentieth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, duly laid off as a road-line, in pursuance of section forty-nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913:

And whereas the said Court is of the opinion that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road, and a notification to that effect has been forwarded to the Minister of Lands, in terms of section fifty-one of the said Act:

And whereas one month's notice in writing of the intention to proclaim the said road-line as a public road has been given by the Surveyor-General to the local authority of the district concerned, in terms of section fifteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914:

And whereas it is now expedient that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road:

Now, therefore, I, Arthur William de Brito Savile, Earl of Liverpool, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty-nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, do hereby proclaim as a public road the road-line described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of each of the parcels of land required to be taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
2	0	10	Taraketi 1c Block; coloured burnt sienna.
2	0	27.6	2o "
0	3	15.1	2N "
1	0	30	2J "
0	3	11.4	2K "
1	2	36.2	2L "
3	3	4.8	2F No. 2 Block "

Situated in Block IX, Ongo Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/98, 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 Justice 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 third day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Revoking the Setting-apart of Land for Selection by Discharged
Soldiers, under Special Tenures, in the Otago Land
District.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by 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 revoke the Proclamation made on the twenty-second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-fourth day of August then instant, setting apart Crown land for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, in so far as it relates to the land in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 11, Block VII, Catlins Survey District: Area, 194 acres 2 roods 20 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 Justice 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 thirtieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

Council may, upon such certificate, add any office to the Administrative Division or abolish any office therein :

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

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

Appointing Members of Assessment Court under the Valuation of Land Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the Valuation of Land Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint the persons mentioned in the Schedule hereto to be members of the Assessment Court for the districts set opposite their names.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	District.
James Henry Roche	Ohura County.
James Ferrier Walker	Ohura Town District.
Walter M. Wilson	Waipukurau Borough.
	Waikouaiti County.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Authorizing the Laying-off of a Street in the City of Auckland of a Width less than 66 ft. but not less than 40 ft.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and seventy-eight of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, it is, *inter alia*, provided that where the configuration of any borough is such as that within any particular area or areas thereof it is difficult or inexpedient to construct streets of a width of sixty-six feet, as required by the said Act, the Governor-General may, by Order in Council defining the limits of such particular area or areas, authorize the Council to permit within such area or areas the construction of streets and private streets of a width less than sixty-six feet but not less than forty feet :

And whereas the configuration of part of the City of Auckland is such that within the area described in the Schedule hereto it is inexpedient to construct a street of sixty-six feet in width :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Municipal Corporations 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 authorize the Auckland City Council to permit the laying-off of a street of a width less than sixty-six feet, but not less than forty feet, within the area described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the City of Auckland, being part 13, Section 7, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 8 acres 2 roods 29 perches. As the said area is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48533, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered green.

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty, subsection one, of the Finance Act, 1919, it is provided that, notwithstanding any Act to the contrary, it shall not be lawful or competent for any local authority or for any Harbour Board to borrow or contract to borrow any money (otherwise than by way of bank overdraft within the limit of its powers, if any, in that behalf), whether from the State Advances Office or from any other source whatever, and whether in pursuance of a special Act or under any other authority whatever, without the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council :

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

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the raising of the loans hereinafter mentioned by the several local authorities set out in the Schedule hereto, provided that the rate of interest at which the loans or any of them are to be raised shall in no case produce to the lender a return exceeding five and one-quarter pounds per centum per annum; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Finance Act, 1919, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor-General in Council to the raising of the loans hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

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New Plymouth Borough Council	57,000
New Plymouth Harbour Board	50,000
Matamata Town Board	30,000
Christchurch City Council	30,000
Te Puke Town Board	16,000
Tauranga County Council	9,000
Waikouaiti County Council	5,000
Waikouaiti County Council	3,000
Waikouaiti County Council	1,000
Uawa County Council	7,000
Awakino County Council	4,500
Thames Valley Electric Power Board	200,000
Blenheim Borough Council	10,000

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

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in the Village of Taneatua, Auckland Land District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was reserved for pound purposes, being a purpose within Class I of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 :

And whereas it is expedient that such land shall be appropriated for a site for buildings of the Whakatane County Council, being a purpose within the said Class I :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that the said land shall, from and after the date hereof, be appropriated for a site for buildings of the Whakatane County Council under Class I of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Sections 28 and 29 of the Village of Taneatua, and containing by

admeasurement 2 acres 0 roods 7 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north-east by Section 8 of Block IX, Whakatane Survey District, 461 links; towards the south-east by a public road, 444 links; towards the south-west by Section 30 of the Village of Taneatua, 458 links; and towards the north-west by Sections 26 and 27 of the Village of Taneatua aforesaid, 444 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked S.G. 50468, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Declaring Portion of the Kururau Road, in the Ohura County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Kururau Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Ohura County, commencing at the junction of the existing road in the north-eastern corner of Section 7, Block I, Piopotea West Survey District, and proceeding generally in a south-westerly direction along the northern boundary of the said Section 7 to a point about ten chains east of the boundary between the said Section 7 and Section 6, Block I, Piopotea West Survey District; being a distance of 1 mile 37 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48444, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Licensing William Fuller to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Awatoto, Napier, as a Site for a Shed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, William Fuller, of Napier (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at Awatoto, Napier, as a site for a shed, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 5128, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington:

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan 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 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 conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby 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 on which the said shed is to be erected, as shown on plan marked M.D. 5128 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structure thereon, 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 occupied by the said shed as shown on the plan marked M.D. 5128.

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 of this Order in Council, the first of such annual payments to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. 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 shed without payment.

5. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned shed in good order and repair.

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said shed 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 shed, requiring him within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

7. 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 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.

8. 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 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 written consent of the Minister first obtained.

9. 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. Any 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.

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

11. 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 shed 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 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.

12. The erection of the said shed shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing Messrs. Mason Bros. to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark of Onekaka River, Nelson, as a Site for a Wharf.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

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"), John Mason and David Mason, trading under the style or title of "Mason 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 of the Onekaka River, Nelson, in order to erect and maintain a wharf thereon, and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, have deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, marked M.D. 5143, 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 wharf :

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 plan has, 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 licensees under the said Act, for the purpose 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 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 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. 5143.

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 10s. 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, on being required to do so by the Minister, shall 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 rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be 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 licensees shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

10. 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.

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 in Council without any notice to the licensees or other proceedings 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.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revoking an Order in Council declaring Portion of Mangateka Road, in the Ohura County, to be a County Road.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of the powers conferred by subsection three of section one hundred and three of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers 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, did, by Order in Council dated the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 5, pages 211 and 212, of the twenty-third day of the same month, order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule thereto should, on and after the date of the said Order in Council, become a county road :

And whereas it has been found expedient to revoke the said Order in Council :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the said Dominion, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by subsection five of section one hundred and three of the Public Works Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council.

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

License authorizing the Hydro-electric Engineering Company (Limited) to use Water from the Waikohu River for the Purpose of generating Electricity, and to erect Electric Lines within the Waikohu, Uawa, and Portion of the Cook County.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, it is enacted that the Governor-General may from time to time by Order in Council grant to any person or body corporate a license to use water from any fall, river, stream, or other source for the purpose of generating electricity for electric light, mechanical power, or other uses, and to exercise in respect of that license any of the powers and authorities specified in that behalf in the said section : And whereas it is further provided by the said section that any such license may confer upon the licensee a right at any time or times during the continuance of the license (but subject to such conditions and restrictions as are expressed in the license) to enter upon any road, railway, or other land, whether vested in or occupied by the Crown or any other person or body corporate, and there to construct, erect, lay down, maintain, renew, or repair all such cables, wires, and other things as are required for the transmission of electricity between the fall, river, stream, or other source aforesaid and any place to which the licensee is authorized to transmit electricity in pursuance of the license :

And whereas the Hydro-electric Engineering Company (Limited) (hereinafter, with its successors and assigns, referred to as "the licensee"), has applied for a license under the said section to take and use water from the Waikohu River, in the Land District of Hawke's Bay (hereinafter referred to as "the said river"), for the purpose of generating electricity as aforesaid, and it is expedient to issue such license accordingly :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him as aforesaid, and of the powers conferred by section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and of all other powers 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 grant to the licensee (subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto) a license to take and use from the Waikohu River aforesaid, for the purposes hereinafter set forth, a stream of water (hereinafter referred to as "the said water") not exceeding one hundred and sixty cubic feet per second at any one time ; and also to erect and maintain electric lines for power, lighting, heating, or other uses within the area of supply hereinafter described ; and subject also to the regulations dated the twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated the twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or substitution therefor (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the regulations"), and which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein ; but nothing herein shall be held to guarantee that the Waikohu River contains sufficient water to supply one hundred and sixty cubic feet per second hereinbefore mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

1. PLANS.

The licensee shall, before the works hereby authorized are commenced, forward for the approval of the Minister of Public Works (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister")—

- (a.) Full detailed drawings and specifications of the diverting weir and dam.
- (b.) Drawings showing how and in what manner the water diverted is to be returned to the said river.
- (c.) Contour-plan showing difference in level of water due to the construction of the headworks.

2. UTILIZATION OF THE WATER.

The said water shall be used solely for the purpose of generating electricity, and shall be returned to the said river at or near the power-house.

3. LOCATION OF HEADWORKS.

The said water shall be taken from the said river at the headworks, situated in Sections 1 and 3, Block XV, Motu

Survey District ; as shown on the plan marked P.W.D. 46338, deposited in the office of the Minister at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

4. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF WORKS.

The licensee is hereby authorized to construct, maintain, and use the following works for the purposes of this license, the position of the said works being indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 46338 hereinbefore referred to.

- (a.) Headworks consisting of a dam and necessary intake.
- (b.) Tunnel and pipe-line leading from such dam to the power-house hereinafter referred to.
- (c.) A power-house with all necessary equipment, including water-turbines, generators, transformers, lightning-arresters, switchboards, switches, exciters, and other appliances for generating electricity.
- (d.) Transmission and other lines over the routes shown by means of green and blue lines on the said plan.
- (e.) Such further transmission and other lines within the area of supply as may from time to time be required within such area of supply, and after compliance with the provisions of clause 48 of the regulations.

5. INSPECTION OF WORKS.

The Inspecting Engineer, both during and after the construction of the works, shall have free access to and liberty at any time to inspect the same so as to ensure that the provisions of this license are given due effect to.

6. MAINTENANCE OF WORKS.

After the said works have been completed, the licensee shall maintain the same in proper working-order during the continuance of this license.

7. RIGHT TO ENTER LANDS, ETC.

The licensee shall have the right at any time or times during the continuance of this license, with the consent of the Minister, to enter upon any road or other land, whether vested in or occupied by the Crown or any other person or body corporate, and there to construct, erect, lay down, maintain, renew, or repair all such transmission-lines, poles, or other things as are required for the transmission of electricity between the generating-stations and any of the substations to which this license applies.

8. POWER TO TAKE LAND.

The licensee is hereby empowered to take, under the Public Works Act, 1908, as for a public work such land as may, in the opinion of the Governor-General, be necessary to enable the licensee to construct and maintain the various works authorized by this license.

9. DURATION OF LICENSE.

This license shall, unless sooner determined in accordance with the provisions hereinafter expressed, continue in force for a period of forty-two years from the date hereof. Upon the expiry of the said term, or upon the sooner determination of this license by revocation or otherwise, but subject to clause 16 hereof all rights hereby granted to the licensee shall thereupon cease and determine ; but such expiration or determination shall not relieve the licensee of any liability theretofore incurred under this license.

10. RENTAL.

The licensee shall, in respect of this license, pay to the Public Works Engineer for the district, or otherwise as the Minister may from time to time require, a rental at the rate of 4s. per annum per kilowatt of maximum output, as recorded by the wattmeter to be installed by the licensee at the power-house mentioned in clause 4 (c) hereof, payment to be made yearly for the period ending on the 31st day of March in each year, commencing from the day electrical power is first supplied. "Maximum output" means twice the number of units generated in the half-hour during which the number of units generated is a maximum for the year. For this purpose the units generated shall be recorded at the end of each half-hour commencing from noon of each day.

11. CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC ENERGY.

The charge for electrical energy shall not exceed 6d. per unit for lighting purposes, and 3d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes ; provided that "lighting purposes" shall include the operation of motor generators for lighting purposes. In the case of wholesale supply the charge shall not exceed £12 per horse-power per annum. "Wholesale supply" for this purpose shall be held to be a supply in respect to which the consumer shall guarantee to pay not less than £75 per annum.

Provided further that, in the event of a number not less than twenty-five per centum of the consumers at any time

representing to the Minister that the licensee is charging for the supply of electrical energy a rate which is returning an excessive profit, after allowing for the creation of a reasonable reserve fund, the Minister shall have power to cause such inquiry and investigation of the licensee's books and accounts as he may deem necessary; and if, after such inquiry and investigation, he is of opinion that unreasonably high profits are being made, having regard to all surrounding circumstances and conditions and to the nature of the undertaking, the Governor-General may, on the recommendation of the Minister, from time to time reduce or otherwise amend the rates permitted to be charged to consumers under this license.

12. AREA OF SUPPLY.

The area of supply comprises the counties of Waikohu, Uawa, and Cook, except the area comprised in the Mangapapa Town District and the Borough of Gisborne, but including all other town districts in such counties; the said area of supply being indicated by a distinctive border coloured yellow on the plan marked P.W.D. 46338, deposited in the office of the Minister at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

13. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraph (e) of clause 3 of the regulations.

The generating voltage shall be approximately 11,000 volts between the terminals.

14. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

For the purposes of calculating stresses as provided in clause 15 of the regulations, the datum temperature shall be taken as 22 degrees Fahrenheit.

15. EXPIRY OF LICENSE.—CROWN MAY TAKE OVER WORKS OR ALLOW LICENSEE TO REMOVE BUILDINGS, ETC.

Upon the expiration of the term of the license hereby granted, the following provisions shall apply:—

(a.) His Majesty the King may take over and use the whole of the works hereby authorized, including all structures, buildings, equipment, machinery, plant, and land, hereinafter in this clause called the "works," on payment by him to the licensee of the then value of the works. The price to be paid under this clause shall be fixed in the same manner as the price in clause 16 of this license; or

(b.) The Governor-General may, at his option, by Order in Council, grant to the licensee a new license for a further period of forty-two years, subject to such terms, conditions, and payment of rental as may then be imposed by him; or

(c.) If His Majesty the King does not elect to take over the works under subclause (a), or the Governor-General declines to issue a further Order in Council under subclause (b) hereof, the licensee may, within such time and subject to such conditions as the Minister may then impose, remove all structures, buildings, equipment, machinery, and plant erected or installed by the licensee under the powers conferred by this license. If the licensee fails or neglects to effect such removal within the time or subject to the conditions imposed by the Minister, such structures, buildings, equipment, machinery, and plant shall, without payment of any compensation, vest in and become the property of His Majesty the King.

16. CROWN'S PRIOR RIGHT TO PURCHASE WORKS.

Notwithstanding anything hereinafter contained, the right is hereby reserved to His Majesty the King to purchase, at his option, at such price and on such conditions as may be mutually agreed upon (or, failing such mutual agreement, then by arbitration in the manner prescribed by the Arbitration Act, 1908), this license, together with the whole or any part of the business and undertaking of the licensee, so far as the same relates to or is connected with the exercise of this license, and together with all real and personal property and all rights acquired by the licensee under this license and used or enjoyed in connection therewith. The said right may be exercised by His Majesty the King at any time during the currency of this license, but the said price shall not exceed the original cost of the works (including reasonable preliminary and engineering expenses), less a deduction for depreciation at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the original cost on all assets other than land calculated for the period that such assets have been in service, and also a deduction in consequence of any burdensome provisions respecting the use of the electric works or any easements, rights, or privileges in connection therewith, and shall not include any sum in respect of the value of the goodwill of the licensee's business or undertaking, or in respect of the value of the license for the unexpired period thereof, or in respect of the

value of any Crown land held or occupied by the licensee in connection with the undertaking. In addition to the sum to be paid to the licensee under this clause, there shall also be paid by His Majesty the King interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the actual cost of construction during each of the first four years respectively, commencing from the date when the deposit of £500 referred to in clause 22 hereof has been returned to the licensee. On the completion of the purchase His Majesty the King shall be deemed to be the assignee of this license, and all the rights vested in the licensee by the license shall thereupon vest in His Majesty the King.

17. COMPENSATION PAYABLE FOR LAND INJURIOUSLY AFFECTED, ETC.

In respect of all land injuriously affected, and in respect of all damages done by the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon the licensee by this license, the licensee shall from time to time, as and when any such injury or damage accrues or happens, pay compensation in accordance with the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, in the same manner (subject to all necessary modifications) as if such licensee were a local authority and the claim was one for injury or damage arising out of the construction of a public work.

18. CROWN NOT LIABLE TO PAY COMPENSATION.

Nothing in this license shall be held to cast upon or imply any liability upon His Majesty the King or upon the Government of New Zealand to pay compensation to any person, corporate body, or local authority by reason of the exercise by the licensee of the authority hereby granted; but the licensee shall be liable for any loss or damage which any person, corporate body, or local authority may sustain as the result of the exercise by the licensee of any of the powers granted by this license.

19. CONSUMERS ENTITLED TO SUPPLY.

The licensee shall supply and sell to any person, company, or corporate body within the area of supply requiring the same, for any purpose within that area, electricity to the extent to which it may be available; provided that such person, company, or corporate body pays the cost of connecting his or its premises with the transmission-line erected by the licensee in pursuance of this license.

20. INTERCHANGE OF SUPPLY OF ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

(a.) In the event of the Minister establishing a hydro-electric power scheme outside the area of supply of a frequency of 50 cycles per second on the three-phase alternating-current system, he may require the licensee to connect that system with the licensee's electrical system in such a manner that an interchange of electrical energy between the two systems may be made from time to time and when required by either the licensee or the Minister, up to at least one-half of the total capacity of the plant installed at the licensee's power-house.

(b.) The licensee shall erect and maintain in good order, at the expense of the licensee, the necessary transmission-lines between the licensee's power-house and a point on the boundary of the area of supply to be determined by the Minister.

(c.) The Minister shall erect and maintain in good order, at the expense of the Minister, the necessary transmission-lines outside the area of supply for the purpose of connecting the two systems at the point last mentioned in subclause (b) hereof.

(d.) The licensee and the Minister respectively shall, on demand, and from time to time as and when required, supply to each other so much of the surplus electrical energy as is then required and is available, but not in excess of one-half of the capacity of the plant installed in the licensee's power-house.

(e.) The price to be paid by the licensee or the Minister shall not exceed the following rates:—

Between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily: 1d. per unit.

Between the hours of 8 p.m. and 8 a.m. daily: $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per unit.

To be measured in each case at the point last mentioned in subclause (b) hereof.

(f.) For the purpose of this clause either the licensee or the Minister may have the unit measured in kilo-volt-ampere hours instead of kilowatt hours.

21. DEPOSIT.

The deposit of £500 which the licensee has lodged with the Public Trustee as a guarantee of good faith shall be retained as security for the due fulfilment by the licensee of the terms and conditions contained in this license to be performed by him: Provided, however, that when and so soon as the licensee shall have submitted the drawings and

specifications required by clause 1 hereof, and those drawings and specifications have been duly approved, and the licensee shall have constructed permanent works in connection with headworks, dam, pipe-lines, and generating-station mentioned in the said clause to the satisfaction of the Minister, to the value of £1,000 at the least, then the Minister shall require the Public Trustee to return the said deposit to the licensee; but if this license is determined, cancelled, or revoked under the powers herein contained before such works to such value have been constructed, then and in any such case the said sum of £500 shall be forfeited to the Crown as ascertained and liquidated damages.

22. BED OF RIVER NOT LEASED.

Nothing herein shall be held to constitute a lease from the Crown of the bed of the said river, nor shall the provisions of Part IX of the Property Law Act, 1908, apply to this license.

23. CONTRACT BETWEEN LICENSEE AND CROWN.

This license shall be deemed to constitute a contract as between the licensee and His Majesty the King, and may be enforced as a contract by and against His said Majesty or the licensee accordingly.

24. TIME FOR SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF WORKS.

The licensee shall substantially complete the works hereby authorized within a period of three years from the date of this license, or within such further time as the Minister may allow in the event of the work being delayed by strikes, lock-outs, breakdowns, or other unavoidable causes not due to any neglect by the licensee.

25. GRANTING OF OTHER WATER-RIGHTS.

Nothing herein shall prevent the Governor-General in Council from granting to any person or body corporate other than the licensee a license to take water from any portion of the said river, except at the place where the licensee is by this license empowered to take it; provided that no such license shall so operate as to reduce the natural fall between the head works and tail-water, or the volume of the water which the licensee is by this license authorized to take from the said river.

26. DEFAULT.

If the licensee fails or neglects to observe any of the conditions or obligations imposed by this license, then and in any such case the provisions of clauses 50 and 51 of the regulations shall apply to the breach of any such condition or obligation.

27. VARIATION IN CONDITIONS OF LICENSE.

The terms and conditions of this license may at any time or from time to time, if found necessary and if duly agreed upon between the licensee and the Governor-General in Council, be altered by the Governor-General by Order in Council, in which case particulars of such alteration or modification shall be endorsed upon this license and signed by the licensee and the Governor-General, whereupon all the terms and conditions in this license contained (save and except as they may have been so altered or modified by such alterations) shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to such alterations as if the latter had formed part of this license as originally issued.

28. SURRENDER OF LICENSE.

The licensee may at any time, with the consent of the Minister, surrender this license, and shall thereupon, if so required by the Minister, remove from the ground all removable equipment, machinery, buildings, poles, transmission-lines, and other plant herein authorized to be installed or provided. If the licensee fails or neglects so to remove the said plant within twelve months after being required so to do, such equipment, machinery, buildings, poles, lines, and other plant shall, without payment of any compensation, vest in and become the property of the Crown.

29. REQUIREMENTS OF THE COOK, UAWA, AND WAIKOHU COUNTY COUNCILS.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the licensee shall not be entitled to erect, maintain, or use any electric lines within the counties of Cook, Uawa, or Waikohu except subject to such conditions, not inconsistent with the provisions of this license and the regulations relating thereto, or any variation of this license or the regulations, or new regulations which may take the place of these regulations, as may from time to time be agreed upon between the licensee and the local authority of the district affected.

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

Member of Wellington (Wairarapa) Local Land Purchase Board appointed.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section three of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, as amended by section five of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1919, 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 appoint—

ALEXANDER McDONALD, Esq., of Masterton, to be a member of the Wellington (Wairarapa) Local Land Purchase Board constituted under the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1919, for the period ending the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

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

Prohibiting Trawling in a Portion of Hawke's Bay.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 70, of the fourth day of the following month, regulations were made prohibiting the taking of fish by trawling and the use of trawl-nets in a portion of Hawke's Bay :

And whereas it is desirable to revoke the said regulations and to make others 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 five of the Fisheries Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the herebefore-recited regulations of the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and doth hereby make the following regulations in lieu thereof, for the purposes of the said Act.

REGULATIONS.

1. No person shall haul or use a trawl-net for the purpose of taking fish in that portion of Hawke's Bay inside the following lines—viz., a straight line drawn from the eastern bank at the mouth of the Tukituki River to the eastern extreme of Ahuriri Bluff, and from the trig. on the north-western part of Scinde Island to the trig. on Tongoio Bluff; such lines being shown in red on plan marked M.D. 5172, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in the Provincial District of Wellington.

2. Any person committing a breach of the above regulation is liable to a penalty of not less than £1 and not exceeding £20.

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

The North-western Side of Portion of Ryle Street, in the City of Auckland, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

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 Auckland City Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto, hereinafter referred to as the said portion of street, has passed the following resolution—viz., "That the Auckland City Council doth hereby declare that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of Ryle Street in the City of Auckland fronting Lot 43 of a subdivision of Allotments 18, 19, and 20 of Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, provided that no dwelling be hereafter erected closer than twenty-five feet to the centre-line of the street" :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the north-western side of the said portion of street, subject to the condition hereinafter mentioned :

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, subject to the condition that no building, or part of a building, shall be erected at any time on the north-western side of the said portion of street within a distance of twenty-five feet of the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Ryle Street, in the City of Auckland, fronting Lot 43 of Allotment 20, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48290, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Portion of the North-eastern Side of Regina Street, Grey Lynn, in the City of Auckland, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

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 Auckland City Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said portion of street"), has passed the following resolution—viz., "That the Auckland City Council hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the portions of Regina and Livingstone Streets fronting Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of the

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subdivision of Section 3 of Allotments 1 and 2 of Section 9, Suburbs of Auckland, subject to the condition that no building shall be hereafter erected on the said lots within ten feet of the existing street alignment in both of the said streets" :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the north-eastern side of the said portion of Regina Street, subject to the condition hereinafter mentioned :

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, subject to the condition that no building, or part of a building, shall be erected at any time on the north-eastern side of the said portion of street within a distance of twenty-six feet six inches of the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Regina Street, Grey Lynn, in the City of Auckland, fronting Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Subdivision 3 of Allotments 1 and 2 of Section 9, Suburbs of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48264, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Portion of the North-western Side of Livingstone Street, Grey Lynn, in the City of Auckland, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

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 Auckland City Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said portion of street"), has passed the following resolution—viz., "That the Auckland City Council hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the portions of Regina and Livingstone Streets fronting Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of the subdivision of Section 3 of Allotments 1 and 2 of Section 9, Suburbs of Auckland, subject to the condition that no building shall be hereafter erected on the said lots within ten feet of the existing street alignment in both of the said streets" :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the north-western side of the said portion of Livingstone Street, subject to the condition hereinafter mentioned :

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, subject to the condition that no building, or part of a building, shall be erected at any time on the north-western side of the said portion of street within a distance of twenty-six feet six inches of the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Livingstone Street, Grey Lynn, in the City of Auckland, fronting Lot 1 of Subdivision 3 of Allotments 1 and 2 of Section 9, Suburbs of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48264, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Lincoln Street, Brooklyn, City of Wellington, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the street described in the Schedule hereto, has passed the following resolution—viz., “The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to Lincoln Street in the said city” :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street in the City of Wellington known as Lincoln Street, Brooklyn, running in a south-easterly direction from its junction with Taft Street, Brooklyn, in the said city. As the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48259, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Everton Terrace, in the City of Wellington, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

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

And whereas the Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the street described in the Schedule hereto, has passed the following resolution—viz., “The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to Everton Terrace in the said city” :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street in the City of Wellington known as Everton Terrace, extending from Clermont Terrace to Wellington Terrace in the said city. As the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48039, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Portion of the South Side of Weka Street, in the City of Nelson, 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 fifth day of May, 1920.

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 Nelson City Council, the local authority having control of the portion of street described in the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as “the said portion of street”), has passed the following resolution—viz., “That the portion of the south side of Weka Street between Tasman and Collingwood Streets be exempted from the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908” :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the south side of the said portion of 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.

ALL that portion of Weka Street, in the City of Nelson, extending from Tasman Street to Collingwood Street in the said city. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 40699, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Eastern Side of Emerson 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 fifth day of May, 1920.

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 street described in the Schedule hereto, hereinafter referred to as the said street, has passed the following resolution—viz., "The Christchurch City Council, being the local authority having control of Emerson Street, Sydenham Ward, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the east side of Emerson Street" :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that such resolution should be approved in so far as it refers to the eastern 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 eastern side of all that street in the City of Christchurch known as Emerson Street, situated between Poulson Street and Collins Street, in the said city. As the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48372, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Dublin 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 fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

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

And whereas the Christchurch City Council, being the local authority having control of the street described in the Schedule hereto, has passed the following resolution—viz., "The Christchurch City Council, being the local authority having control of Dublin 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 said street" :

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street in the City of Christchurch known as Dublin Street, situated between Bealey Avenue and Dorset Street, in the said city. As the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48373, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Transfer of the Waitahuna Patriotic Committee Wounded Soldiers Fund to the Otago Patriotic and General Welfare Association (Incorporated), under the War Funds Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirteen of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that any person, society, or trustees (whether such society or trustees are incorporated or not) having control of any war fund may, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council, transfer such fund to any other society or trustees incorporated pursuant to section twelve of the said Act, to be applied by such last-mentioned society or trustees for the purposes for which such last-mentioned society or trustees were incorporated, notwithstanding that such purposes may not be identical with the purposes for which the fund to be transferred was established ; provided that consent shall not be given to any application under this section unless the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that the fund to be transferred can be administered by the incorporated society or trustees for substantially the same purposes as those for which the fund was established :

And whereas an application has been made by the trustees having control of the war fund known as the Waitahuna Patriotic Committee Wounded Soldiers Fund to transfer the fund held by such trustees, entitled "The Waitahuna Patriotic Committee Wounded Soldiers Fund," to the Otago Patriotic and General Welfare Association (Incorporated) :

And whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that such fund can be administered by the Otago Patriotic and General Welfare Association (Incorporated) for substantially the same purposes as those for which that fund was established :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the transfer of the fund held by the said trustees, entitled "The Waitahuna Patriotic Committee Wounded Soldiers Fund," to the Otago Patriotic and General Welfare Association (Incorporated).

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

Transfer of the Auckland Women's Provincial Patriotic League Fund to the Auckland Provincial Patriotic and War Relief Association (Incorporated), under the War Funds Act, 1915.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirteen of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that any person, society, or trustees (whether

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

And whereas an application has been made by the trustees having control of the war fund known as the Auckland Women's Provincial Patriotic League Fund to transfer the Fund held by such trustees, entitled "The Auckland Women's Provincial Patriotic League Fund," to the Auckland Provincial Patriotic and War Relief Association (Incorporated):

And whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that such fund can be administered by the Auckland Provincial Patriotic and War Relief Association (Incorporated) for substantially the same purposes as those for which that fund was established:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the transfer of the fund held by the said trustees, entitled "The Auckland Women's Provincial Patriotic League Fund," to the Auckland Provincial Patriotic and War Relief Association (Incorporated).

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with the Raising of a Loan of £700 by the Board of the Moa Road District.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Moa Road Board lately proposed to raise a loan of seven hundred pounds, under the provisions of section 16 (e) of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of erecting two bridges over the Waiongonaiti and the Waiongonai-nui Streams, and approaches thereto:

And whereas public notification of the deposit of the special roll of ratepayers was not given in the manner prescribed in section three of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the regulations thereunder, inasmuch that it was omitted to state that such special roll would be open for inspection for a period of seven days from the date of the deposit thereof:

And whereas the public notification of the special order authorizing the raising of the loan does not comply with the provisions of section seventy-two of the Road Boards Act, 1908, and the amendments thereto, inasmuch as public notification of the time and place fixed for the meeting for the confirmation of the special order was not given once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the date of the said meeting:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the proceedings taken to raise the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though public notification of the deposit of the special roll of ratepayers and of the special order had been given in the proper manner, and that the proceedings shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularities or defects aforesaid.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with the Raising of a Loan of £25,000 by the Council of the Borough of Whakatane.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Whakatane Borough Council lately proposed to raise a loan of twenty-five thousand pounds, under the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for the installation of a high-pressure water-supply system for the borough:

And whereas section ten of the said Act provides that the poll of ratepayers shall be taken not less than one nor more than three weeks after the day of the last publication of the notice of intention to raise the loan:

And whereas the poll of ratepayers was taken within one week after the day of the last publication of the notice of intention to raise the loan, inasmuch as the last publication of the said notice appeared in the issue of the *Whakatane Press* dated the eighth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and the poll of ratepayers was held on the thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen:

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

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

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £1,600 proposed to be raised by the Whangarei County Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Whangarei Council Council, acting under and in pursuance of paragraph (e) of section sixteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, lately proposed to raise a loan of one thousand six hundred pounds for the purpose of forming and metalling the Hikurangi Bridge to Riponui Road, within the Hikurangi-Riponui Special Rating Area:

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

And whereas the special order raising the said loan is irregular, in so far that the public notification of the time and place fixed for the confirmation of the said special order authorizing the raising of the loan was given four times, but such notifications did not comply with the provisions of section ninety-seven of the Counties Act, 1908, which provides that notification shall be given once in each of the four weeks immediately preceding the day on which the subsequent meeting was held, the last of such notices not appearing within the week immediately preceding the seventeenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the ratepayers' consent to the raising of the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the

same had been properly witnessed, and that the said special order shall be valid as if public notification thereof had been properly given, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularities or defects aforesaid.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Rangataua Town Board.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a site for a mechanics' institute and library: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Rangataua Town Board:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section four of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Rangataua Town Board, in trust, for a site for a mechanics' institute and library.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood, more or less, being Section No. 19, Block III, Town of Rangataua. Bounded towards the north-west by Section No. 21, Block III, Town of Rangataua; towards the north-east by Nei Street; towards the south-east by Section No. 17 of said Block III; and towards the south-west by Section No. 18 of Block III aforesaid. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. 5222/3, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Vesting a Cemetery Reserve in the Corporation of the Borough of Lyttelton.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a public cemetery: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Lyttelton:

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

advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section four of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Lyttelton, in trust, for a public cemetery.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 0 roods 30 perches, more or less, and being Reserve No. 26 situated in the Borough of Lyttelton. Bounded towards the north by Town Section 35 and by a public street, 808 links; towards the east by Oxford Street, 394.5 links; towards the south by Town Sections 151 to 158, 808 links; and towards the west by Canterbury Street, 394.5 links. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 2/163, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Vesting the Control of a Landing Reserve in the Ellesmere County Council.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for landing purposes: And whereas it is expedient that the control of the said reserve should be vested in the Ellesmere County Council:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section two of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1914, doth hereby vest the control of the said reserve in the Ellesmere County Council.

The said County Council may make special by-laws for the granting of licenses to persons to occupy sites for huts within the limits of the said reserve, and such by-laws shall come into operation upon being approved by the Minister of Marine.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres, more or less, and being part of Reserve 806, situated in Block VII, Southbridge Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east by a public road, 371.1 links; towards the east and south-east by Lake Ellesmere; and towards the west and north-west by other part of the said Reserve 806, 412.8 and 972.7 links respectively. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/9/16, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Regulation under the Education Act, 1914, and its Amendments, and Section 22 of the Appropriation Act, 1919.—Incidental Expenses of School Committees.

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this fifth day of May, 1920.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Education Act, 1914, by the Education Amendment Act, 1919, and by section twenty-two of the Appropriation Act, 1919, and of all other powers 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 make the regulation hereunder for additional grants to Education Boards for incidental expenses of School Committees; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall be deemed to have been in force on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

REGULATION.

SUPPLEMENTARY GRANTS FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEES' INCIDENTAL EXPENSES.

IN addition to the amounts calculated in accordance with the First Schedule to the Education Amendment Act, 1919, and payable to an Education Board under the provisions of paragraph (c) (iii) of subsection (1) of section 6 of the Education Act, 1914, for grants to School Committees for incidental expenses, there shall be paid annually such further sum as is necessary to increase the amount so payable to the amount calculated in accordance with the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Scale of Allowances for Incidental Expenses of School Committees as increased by Supplementary Grants.

Yearly Average Attendance.	Amount of Grant.	Yearly Average Attendance.	Amount of Grant.
1- 8 ..	14s. for each pupil	401-440 ..	£127
9- 20 ..	£14	441-480 ..	£136
21- 35 ..	£21	481-520 ..	£145
36- 80 ..	£33	521-560 ..	£154
81-120 ..	£45	561-600 ..	£163
121-160 ..	£56	601-640 ..	£172
161-200 ..	£67	641-680 ..	£181
201-240 ..	£78	681-720 ..	£189
241-280 ..	£88	721-760 ..	£197
281-320 ..	£98	761-800 ..	£205
321-360 ..	£108	801-840 ..	£213
361-400 ..	£118		with an additional £8 for each 40 or part of 40 in average attendance.

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

Amendment of the Regulations under the Public Service Act, 1912.

IN pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred on him by the Public Service Act, 1912 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Commissioner, with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, doth hereby, in respect of the special regulations affecting H.M. prisons and the officers employed therein, together with exemptions from the regulations made by the Public Service Commissioner on the twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, make the amendment shown in the Schedule hereto. Such amendment shall have effect from and after publication in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATION No. 27 is hereby amended by deleting the last paragraph and substituting in lieu thereof the following paragraphs:—

"Prison officers of all ranks shall be allowed first-class fares by steamer when travelling on the service of the Department, except when escorting prisoners, when they must travel second-class, unless otherwise directed by the Controller-General.

"All officers holding rank above that of warder, and female officers of all ranks, shall be allowed first-class fares by train when travelling on the service of the Department, except when escorting prisoners, when they must travel second-class, unless otherwise directed by the Controller-General. Warder instructors, warders, and all male officers of lower rank will be allowed second-class fares when travelling by train."

As witness my hand this twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

D. ROBERTSON,
Public Service Commissioner.

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

LIVERPOOL, Governor-General.

Approved in Council this fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

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

Kimihia Drainage Board Trustee appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1920.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, in terms of section 10 of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, to appoint

FREDERIC HARRIS, Esq.,

to be a trustee of the Kimihia Drainage Board.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Ranger under the Animals Protection Act appointed for Auckland District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 4th May, 1920.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT HENRY WALKER

a Ranger under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, for the Auckland Acclimatization District.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

AARON TATE

to be an Officer for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Ranger under the Animals Protection Act appointed for Buller District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

AARON TATE

a Ranger under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, for the Buller Acclimatization District.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Uawa Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

RUPERT HENRY GILES

to be a member of the Uawa Domain Board, in the place of William Edward Holder, deceased.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Runanga Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

JAMES JOSEPH MOORE,
WILLIAM PARSONAGE, and
GEORGE ROBERT HUNTER

to be members of the Runanga Domain Board, in the place of John Southward, deceased, and William Warburton and James Neilson, resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Domett Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

ALEXANDER McARTHUR HYDE

to be a member of the Domett Domain Board, in the place of Patrick Murphy, who has left the district.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Moeraki Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

ALEXANDER MOWET CORMACK

to be a member of the Moeraki Domain Board, in the place of George Munro, who has left the district.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Members of Scotsburn Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

WILLIAM CHAPMAN and
FREDERICK WILLIAM MORGAN

to be members of the Scotsburn Domain Board, in the place of Andrew Sim, resigned, and John Eland, deceased.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Ohinewai Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

PATRICK HENRY

to be a member of the Ohinewai Domain Board, in the place of William Birss, deceased.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Member of Pipiroa Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

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

VINCENT BOWER

to be a member of the Pipiroa Domain Board, in the place of George Frederick Wallace, deceased.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister of Lands.

Bailiff appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1920.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Sergeant HORTON CHARLES DAVID WADE

to be Bailiff of the Magistrate's Court at Wairoa, on and from the 8th day of April, 1920, vice Sergeant W. J. Quinn, transferred.

E. P. LEE,
Minister of Justice.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th May 1920.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

FREDERICK WILLIAM SCHRAMM

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the district of Nelson, *vice* H. Morgan; and

JOHN LODIEWYK CROWTHER

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the district of Waimarino, *vice* D. C. E. Webster.

E. P. LEE,
Minister of Justice.

Clerks and Bailiffs appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable JAMES EDWARD MCQUITTY

to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrate's Court at Milton, on and from the 16th day of April, 1920, *vice* Constable J. Fox, transferred; and

Constable ALFRED ADOLPHUS MITCHELL

to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts at Havelock, on and from the 13th day of April, 1920, *vice* Constable G. N. Douglas, transferred.

E. P. LEE,
Minister of Justice.

Coroner appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th May, 1920.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ROBERT FELLOWES WEBSTER, Esq., J.P.,

of Pukekohe, to be a Coroner within the Dominion of New Zealand.

E. P. LEE,
Minister of Justice.

Registrars of Births, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 11th May, 1920.

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

WILLIAM THOMAS COAD

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Vaccination Inspector, for the district of Buller, as from the 13th March, 1920.

NOTE.—Amending notice appearing on page 951 of the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 25th March, 1920.

JOHN GORDON

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Vaccination Inspector, for the district of West Taieri, as from the 15th March, 1920.

NOTE.—Amending notice appearing on page 1017 of *New Zealand Gazette* of 1st April, 1920.

(Mrs.) GEORGINA GALBRAITH CAMPBELL

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths, and Vaccination Inspector, for the district of Christchurch, at Linwood, as from the 30th January, 1920.

NOTE.—Amending notice appearing on page 1017 of *New Zealand Gazette* of 1st April, 1920.

PERCY EDWARD ISLIP

to be Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages, and Vaccination Inspector, for the District of Hyde, as from the 8th March, 1920.

NOTE.—Amending notice appearing on page 951 of *New Zealand Gazette* of 25th March, 1920.

A. C. TURNBULL,
Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th May, 1920.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Regis-

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trars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the districts set respectively opposite their names, viz.:—

Name.	District.
(Miss) JESSIE MCKAY	Denniston.*
HAROLD JOSEPH GRAY	Awakino.
JOHN RAMSAY	Drury.
ALMA ALBERT QUAYLE	Nokomai and Switzers.
JOHN FRANCIS BARRETT	Piopio.
ROBERT ARCHIE MORGAN	Whangamomona.
ROBERT JOHN THOMPSON	Akaroa.

* Births and Deaths only.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

The Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, Section 2.—License to construct and use Electric Lines.

Office of the Minister of Public Works,
Wellington, 4th May, 1920.

THE Minister of Public Works hereby notifies, for public information, that the following are the requirements and provisions subject to which he will be prepared to advise His Excellency the Governor-General in Council to entertain applications for licenses under section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911.

(1.) Every application for a license to construct and use electric lines for lighting and other purposes under section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, must be made in writing to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, and be accompanied by a plan (in triplicate) showing by means of a distinctive coloured border thereon the proposed area of supply, the position of the power-house and substations, and the route or routes of the electric lines proposed in the initial installation, indicating in each case where the lines cross telegraph and telephone lines, railways, and tramways, and full particulars as regards—

(a.) System of supply, voltage of generation, transmission, and distribution; manner in which the electricity is generated—*i.e.*, whether by water power, steam or oil engine, &c., if the power is to be purchased in bulk, the source and nature of such bulk supply; the rated kilowatt output of the generators to be installed. In the case of a water-power development the static head in feet to be stated, also the number of cubic feet of water per second proposed to be utilized.

(b.) In cases where the applicant is a private individual, the full name, occupation, and address must be supplied.

(2.) In cases where the applicant is not a local authority, or if a local authority desires to operate beyond its own boundaries, the consent of the local authority concerned must be obtained and forwarded with the application.

(3.) No work shall be commenced until the license has been issued, and no portion of the initial installation shall be used until a formal permit in writing has been received from the Minister.

(4.) Applications for bare-wire permits must be accompanied by a suitable plan (in triplicate) showing the routes of such wires, the electrical pressure, the number of wires on each pole, the height of pole, and the covering and electrical pressure of other wires (if any) on the same poles. If any lines are deemed to be "infected" in accordance with the regulations, clause 25 (v) under section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 116, of the 25th day of September, 1919, by being erected on other portions of their route on poles carrying bare high-tension lines, this shall be indicated on such plan.

(5.) Application for an inspection under clauses 46 and 48 of the regulations hereinbefore referred to shall be accompanied by a plan of the lines to be inspected, setting out the details required in the preceding clauses.

(6.) Plans shall be preferably in black and white, with the following colours used for the purpose indicated:—

Extra high pressure	Red.
High pressure	Yellow.
Low pressure	Green.

Plans should be prepared to the largest scale reasonably consistent with keeping such within the limits of foolscap size where possible, or, if necessary to exceed this size, not greater than 22 in. by 30 in. The scale in any case should be not less than one inch per mile.

(7.) In order to standardize the conditions as far as possible throughout the Dominion, it is suggested that when convenient the three-phase four-wire system be adopted for distribution at a frequency of 50 cycles per second, and a voltage of 230 between each phase and a neutral for lighting purposes and small motors, and 400 volts between phases for supply to large motors.

J. G. COATES,
Minister of Public Works.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 10th May, 1920.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Finance.

NEWCASTLE ROAD BOARD.

Proposed Loan of £22,000 for metalling Roads.

I HEREBY give notice that the poll taken on 16th April, 1920, resulted as follows: For the proposal, 146 votes; against the proposal, 195 votes.

I declare the said proposal to be rejected.

W. D. LAXON,
Chairman, Newcastle Road Board.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 10th May, 1920.

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

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Finance.

NAPIER HARBOUR BOARD.

In the matter of the Napier Harbour Board Empowering and Loan Act, 1914 (hereinafter called "the 1914 Act"), as modified by the Napier Harbour Board Empowering and Vesting Act, 1917, and as amended by section 12 of the last-named Act; and in the matter of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

We, Albert Edward Jull and John Patrick Kenny, Chairman and Returning Officer respectively for the Napier Harbour Board, hereby give notice that on the 16th day of April, 1920, a poll of the ratepayers of the Napier Harbour Rating District was duly held and taken on the proposal of the said Board to raise a special loan of £250,000 for the purposes enumerated in the Napier Harbour Board Empowering and Loan Act, 1914, as modified by the Napier Harbour Board Empowering and Vesting Act, 1917, and as amended by section 12 of the last-named Act, and that at such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows:—

For the proposal	..	..	..	3,013
Against the proposal	..	..	..	636
Majority for the proposal	..	..	..	2,377
Informal	..	..	..	28

Wherefore we declare the said proposal to be carried.
Dated this 30th day of April, 1920.

A. E. JULL, Chairman.
JNO. P. KENNY, Returning Officer.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 10th May, 1920.

THE following notices, received from the Mayor of the Council of the Borough of Dargaville, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF DARGAVILLE.

Results of Polls on Proposals to raise Loans.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Dargaville taken on the 18th day of June, 1919, on the proposal of the Dargaville Borough Council to borrow the sum of £1,000 (one thousand pounds) to extend the gas-main to Duck Creek, the votes were as follows: For the proposal, 53; against the proposal, 26.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Dargaville taken on the 18th day of June, 1919, on the proposal of the Dargaville Borough Council to borrow the sum of £1,300 (one thousand three hundred pounds) to

extend the water-main to Duck Creek, the votes were as follows: For the proposal, 51; against the proposal, 27; informal vote, 1.

I therefore declare that the proposals were carried.
Dated this 19th day of June, 1919.

R. E. HORNBLow, Mayor.

Empire Day to be observed as a Holiday on King's Birthday.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th May, 1920.

EMPIRE Day will be celebrated on Thursday, the 3rd June, 1920, the anniversary of the birthday of His Majesty the King, and that day will be observed as a public holiday in the Government offices throughout the Dominion.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Post Officers appointed to take Declarations of Telegraph Officers.

Post and Telegraph Department,
General Post Office,
Wellington, 30th April, 1920.

IN pursuance of the powers delegated to me under paragraph (d) of section 8 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, I, Joseph Gordon Coates, Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, under the authority conferred by subsection (1) of section 21 of the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1919, do hereby authorize the following Post officers to take declarations of Telegraph officers for the purposes of the said section 21:—

BARRETT, JOHN FRANCIS.
CHURCH, GEORGE FREDERICK.
DELANY, VINCENT JOSEPH.
McFARLANE, BRUCE.
NEWMAN, CHARLES ALBERT.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Postmaster-General.

Notice to make Returns of Income under the Land and Income Tax Act, 1916.

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 13th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above Act and the regulations made thereunder, every person and company having derived income within the meaning of the said Act during the year ending 31st March, 1920, from any source or by any means which is made the subject of taxation under the said Act, is hereby required to make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such income on or before the 1st day of June, 1920.

And, further, notice is hereby given that such returns shall in all cases be delivered at or forwarded to the office of the Commissioner of Taxes, in the Government Buildings at Wellington.

D. G. CLARK,
Commissioner of Taxes.

NOTE.—Forms of return may be obtained at any postal money-order office; they will not be sent to taxpayers from the office of the Commissioner of Taxes unless written application is made for them.

Returns of income are required to be furnished by all persons in business (including farmers). They are also required from all persons in receipt of income from salary, wages, interest, rent, annuity or other annual payment, where such income exceeds £250 per annum. The returns are required annually from such persons notwithstanding that by reason of the special exemptions allowable by law they may not be liable to pay tax.

SPECIAL NOTE.—Any person failing to furnish a return at the prescribed time is liable to a penalty up to £100.

Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.

I, ROBERT EDWARD HAYES, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Hikurangi Brass Band (Incorporated) Society is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 5th day of May, 1920.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Notice of the Taking and Laying-off of a Road in Blocks IV, Otake, and XVI, Orahiri Survey Districts.

NOTICE is hereby given, by direction of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, under the authority of section 93 of the Public Works Act, 1908, that the road described in the Schedule hereto was taken and laid off through the land specified in the said Schedule, under the authority of the Governor of the said Dominion, by Warrant dated the 22nd day of July, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Road taken and laid off.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Shown on Plan	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 6 1 9	Te Kuiti 2B 8 ..	IV*	P.W.D. 48123	Red.
1 1 13.2	" 2B 11 ..	"	"	Yellow.
2 1 6	" 2B 3 ..	"	"	Blue.
1 0 24.4	" 2B 12A ..	"	"	Purple.
0 2 36.3	" 2B 12B ..	"	"	"
1 0 24.4	" 2B 6 ..	"	"	Yellow.
0 0 5	" 2B 2 ..	"	"	Red.
0 0 24	" 2B 2 ..	"	"	"
0 2 10	" 2B 2 ..	"	"	"
0 3 9	" 2B 2 ..	"	"	"
0 1 18.4	" 2B 2 ..	"	"	"
6 0 13.7	(S.O. 20868)	"	"	"
13 1 8	Rangitoto-Tuhua 64 (S.O. 20866)	IV* XVI†	48122	Purple.

* Otake Survey District. † Orahiri Survey District.

All in the Auckland Land District; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1920.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

Notice respecting Proposed Borough of Morrinsville.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th May, 1920.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1913, it is hereby notified that a petition, in accordance with regulations, signed by not less than one-fifth of the electors of the area described in the Schedule hereto, being the Morrinsville Town District, has been presented to His Excellency the Governor-General, praying that the said area may be constituted a borough under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908. All persons affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to or petitions against the proposed constitution within one month from the first publication of this notice. Such objections or petitions are to be addressed and forwarded to the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

PROPOSED BOROUGH OF MORRINSVILLE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District bounded by a line commencing at the southernmost corner of Subdivision 4 of Motumaoho No. 2 Block; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of the said Subdivision 4 about 37 chains to the northernmost corner of part of Subdivision 19 of the said Motumaoho No. 2 Block, and south-easterly along the north-eastern boundary of the said part of Subdivision 19 to the westernmost corner of Allotment 39 on plan No. 7150, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland; thence along the north-western boundary of that allotment, across David Street, along the north-western boundaries of Allotments 40 and 41, across Bank Street, along the north-western boundaries of Allotments 42 and 43, across George Street, and along the north-western and north-eastern boundaries of Allotment 44 on plan No. 7150 aforesaid; along the north-western boundaries of Allotments 45 and 47 on plan No. 7445, deposited as aforesaid, and along the north-eastern boundary of the last-mentioned allotment to and across Coronation Street, and along its south-eastern side to Allotment 48; along the north-eastern and south-eastern boundaries of that allotment and the south-eastern boundary of Allotment 46 on plan No. 7445 aforesaid, and along the north-eastern boundaries of Allotments 7 and 6 on

plan No. 7150 aforesaid to the easternmost corner of the last-mentioned allotment; thence along the north-eastern boundary of part of Subdivision 19 of Motumaoho No. 2 Block to the westernmost corner of Subdivision 23; thence along the north-western boundaries of Subdivisions 23 and 22 to the northernmost corner of Subdivision 22, along the south-western boundary of Subdivision 21, and along the north-western side of the road forming the south-eastern boundary of that subdivision to a point in line with the south-western boundary of Subdivision 24, Motumaoho No. 2 Block, across the road, and along the south-western boundary of the said Subdivision 24, across the railway reserve, and along the south-eastern side of that reserve to the Piako River; thence south-westerly along the left bank of that river and the Topelahae and Waitakaruru Streams to the road forming the south-western boundary of Subdivision 28, Motumaoho No. 2 Block, along the north-eastern side of that road, across the railway, and along the continuation of the said road and the road forming the south-western boundary of Subdivision 10 to Subdivision 7 of the said Motumaoho No. 2 Block; along the south-eastern boundary of the last-mentioned subdivision to its easternmost corner, and along the north-eastern boundary of that subdivision to the southernmost corner of Subdivision 4, the place of commencement.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 22 of 1920.

DREDGING OPERATIONS.—AUCKLAND HARBOUR.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Auckland Harbour Board's dredger "Hapai" has finished dredging off the Queen's Wharf, and is now engaged in dredging off Freeman's Bay Reclamation in connection with the new coal and oil wharf (Western Wharf), and has six moorings laid out to the eastward of the western tide-deflector in north, south, east, and west directions.

Notice to Mariners No. 10 of 1920 is hereby cancelled. *Charles, &c., affected.*—Admiralty Chart No. 1970; "New Zealand Pilot, 1908," Chapter ii, page 39; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1920, page 257.

ROBERT DUNCAN,
Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 23 of 1920.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th May, 1920.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Department of Navigation, Sydney, and the Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, are published for general information.

ROBERT DUNCAN,
Secretary.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

UNCHARTED ROCK NEAR MONTAGU ISLAND.

MASTERS of vessels are hereby notified that a pinnacle rock, carrying 19 ft. low-water springs, has been discovered in the following position:—

1. Montagu Lighthouse, bearing N. 9° E., correct magnetic.
 2. Glasshouse Rocks, bearing N. 62½° W., correct magnetic.
- Care should be taken by masters of vessels when navigating westward of Montagu Island.

TASMANIA.

SOUTH COAST.—DERWENT LIGHT ("IRON POT").—INTENDED ALTERATION IN CHARACTERISTICS.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that the fixed white light on Iron Pot Island, Derwent River entrance, will be replaced by a group flashing white light (U) on or about 31st July, 1920.

Position.—Lat. 43° 4' S., long. 147° 26' E., on Chart No. 960.
Details.—The fixed white light will be replaced by a new light having the undermentioned characteristics:—

Character.—Group flashing white light showing three flashes in quick succession every nine seconds, thus—flash ½ sec., eclipse 1 sec.; flash ½ sec., eclipse 1 sec.; flash ½ sec., eclipse 6 secs.

Visibility.—11 miles.
Power.—1,500 candles.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched. The lightkeepers will be withdrawn. The other details of the light will remain unchanged.

Note.—No further notice will be given.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 31st March, 1920, and for the corresponding period, 1919:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.				GISBORNE SECTION—continued.			
		1920.	1919.			1920.	1919.
PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.	Goods—continued.		Tons.	Tons.
1st Class	..	2,660	2,224	Timber	..	1,428	1,224
2nd Class	..	16,106	13,135	Minerals	..	1,111	2,153
Total	..	18,766	15,359	Other Goods	..	1,731	1,714
Season Tickets	..	250	127	Total	..	4,270	5,091
Goods,—		No.	No.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cattle	..	653	393	Passengers	..	1,110 3 11	930 12 3
Calves	..	4	1	Parcels	..	153 13 7	209 8 1
Sheep	..	4,623	4,808	Goods	..	2,181 1 7	2,073 14 6
Pigs	..	69	50	Miscellaneous	..	5 14 8	31 13 0
Total	..	5,349	5,252	Rents and Commission	..	115 3 10	130 17 4
		Tons.	Tons.	Total	..	£3,554 8 3	£3,376 5 2
Timber	..	3,364	2,658	NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
Minerals	..	9,194	7,113	PASSENGERS,—		1920.	1919.
Other Goods	..	3,370	2,699			No.	No.
Total	..	15,928	12,470	1st Class	..	109,562	74,191
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	2nd Class	..	636,481	503,790
Passengers	..	1,683 19 6	1,487 9 2	Total	..	746,043	577,981
Parcels	..	238 11 11	184 14 0	Season Tickets	..	28,521	21,106
Goods	..	3,514 6 6	3,033 3 7	Goods,—		No.	No.
Miscellaneous	..	361 11 4	237 1 9	Cattle	..	30,233	22,773
Rents and Commission	..	89 15 9	63 15 6	Calves	..	4,606	2,467
Total	..	£5,888 5 0	£5,006 4 0	Sheep	..	595,153	570,105
				Pigs	..	11,417	13,239
				Total	..	641,414	608,584
KAIHU SECTION.				REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
PASSENGERS,—		1920.	1919.	Passengers	..	143,894 15 11	117,372 7 3
		No.	No.	Parcels	..	16,179 5 10	13,416 17 7
1st Class	..	149	188	Goods	..	177,090 2 0	135,484 7 6
2nd Class	..	2,362	1,819	Miscellaneous	..	5,509 19 4	3,171 5 5
Total	..	2,511	2,007	Rents and Commission	..	5,281 8 1	3,869 5 4
Season Tickets	..	5	..	Total	..	£347,955 11 2	£273,314 3 1
Goods,—		No.	No.	SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
Cattle	..	2	..	PASSENGERS,—		1920.	1919.
Calves	..	..	..			No.	No.
Sheep	..	..	17	1st Class	..	79,702	56,675
Pigs	..	15	..	2nd Class	..	377,455	287,630
Total	..	17	17	Total	..	457,157	344,305
		Tons.	Tons.	Season Tickets	..	14,194	10,058
Timber	..	1,203	1,298	Goods,—		No.	No.
Minerals	..	..	54	Cattle	..	10,782	6,974
Other Goods	..	309	415	Calves	..	1,321	816
Total	..	1,512	1,767	Sheep	..	776,541	614,341
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Pigs	..	2,778	2,431
Passengers	..	225 17 9	165 4 3	Total	..	791,422	624,562
Parcels	..	58 3 9	52 19 11	PASSENGERS,—		1920.	1919.
Goods	..	474 14 1	353 6 8			No.	No.
Miscellaneous	..	40 0 2	11 4 4	1st Class	..	14,674	9,944
Rents and Commission	..	47 1 9	8 0 0	Minerals	..	72,196	57,085
Total	..	£845 17 6	£590 15 2	Other Goods	..	140,435	135,664
				Total	..	227,305	202,693
GISBORNE SECTION.				REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
PASSENGERS,—		1920.	1919.	Passengers	..	76,172 17 5	62,675 10 8
		No.	No.	Parcels	..	11,504 16 7	8,980 7 10
1st Class	..	1,294	1,169	Goods	..	127,840 3 11	101,103 4 11
2nd Class	..	8,329	7,583	Miscellaneous	..	4,183 14 2	4,072 6 8
Total	..	9,623	8,752	Rents and Commission	..	2,677 9 11	1,685 9 8
Season Tickets	..	23	5	Total	..	£222,379 2 0	£178,516 19 9
Goods,—		No.	No.				
Cattle	..	181	54				
Calves	..	1	1				
Sheep	..	35,008	33,225				
Pigs	..	3	..				
Total	..	35,193	33,280				

WESTLAND SECTION.

		1920.	1919.
		No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class		3,517	2,717
2nd Class		22,317	22,837
Total		25,834	25,554
Season Tickets		777	936
GOODS,—			
		No.	No.
Cattle		772	606
Calves		58	8
Sheep		10,605	8,123
Pigs .. ..		..	..
Total		11,435	8,737
		Tons.	Tons.
Timber		12,132	9,048
Minerals		16,452	27,615
Other Goods		3,459	2,480
Total		32,043	39,143
REVENUE,—			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers		3,065 16 7	2,697 10 9
Parcels		565 16 2	499 8 5
Goods		9,638 1 3	9,095 3 10
Miscellaneous		692 11 9	347 5 8
Rents and Commission		272 17 7	176 8 3
Total		£14,235 3 4	£12,815 16 11

WESTPORT SECTION.

		1920.	1919.
		No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class		135	165
2nd Class		7,041	7,330
Total		7,176	7,495
Season Tickets		96	69
GOODS,—			
		No.	No.
Cattle		10	13
Calves		1	..
Sheep		117	122
Pigs .. ..		..	..
Total		128	135
		Tons.	Tons.
Timber		271	506
Minerals		37,369	43,049
Other Goods		1,054	973
Total		38,694	44,528
REVENUE,—			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers		625 8 0	667 1 4
Parcels		114 12 9	85 12 7
Goods		6,534 19 5	7,171 6 10
Miscellaneous		305 11 8	363 4 9
Rents and Commission		74 7 7	35 19 11
Total		£7,654 19 5	£8,323 5 5

NELSON SECTION.

		1920.	1919.
		No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class		1,774	1,108
2nd Class		13,089	10,909
Total		14,863	12,017
Season Tickets		58	35
GOODS,—			
		No.	No.
Cattle		121	29
Calves		11	..
Sheep		4,867	2,771
Pigs .. ..		..	1
Total		4,999	2,801

NELSON SECTION—continued.

		1920.	1919.
		Tons.	Tons.
GOODS—continued.			
Timber		311	519
Minerals		649	477
Other Goods		2,628	1,972
Total		3,588	2,968
REVENUE,—			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers		1,340 1 0	1,079 1 11
Parcels		163 1 9	165 3 6
Goods		1,212 19 3	1,865 17 11
Miscellaneous		1,080 2 7	261 11 4
Rents and Commission		73 8 10	39 1 7
Total		£3,874 13 5	£3,410 16 3

PICTON SECTION.

		1920.	1919.
		No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class		1,980	1,466
2nd Class		8,124	7,236
Total		10,104	8,702
Season Tickets		3	3
GOODS,—			
		No.	No.
Cattle		54	52
Calves		54	15
Sheep		13,647	20,713
Pigs		4	..
Total		13,759	20,780
		Tons.	Tons.
Timber		76	94
Minerals		275	260
Other Goods		5,818	5,153
Total		6,169	5,507
REVENUE,—			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers		912 3 3	781 9 8
Parcels		223 5 5	140 17 10
Goods		2,252 7 11	1,978 3 1
Miscellaneous		265 0 4	206 14 0
Rents and Commission		66 19 5	68 8 9
Total		£3,719 16 4	£3,175 13 4

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.

		1920.	1919.
		No.	No.
PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class		1,252	1,219
2nd Class		1,250	1,332
Total		2,502	2,551
Season Tickets .. ..		..	2
GOODS,—			
		No.	No.
Cattle		56	22
Calves		1	2
Sheep		1,258	640
Pigs .. ..		..	3
Total		1,315	667
		Tons.	Tons.
Timber		7	34
Minerals		68	114
Other Goods		263	227
Total		338	375
REVENUE,—			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers		590 8 7	607 19 2
Parcels		95 13 4	96 5 1
Goods		220 2 2	195 7 2
Miscellaneous		27 1 9	Cr. 2 5 1
Rents and Commission		5 11 0	5 11 0
Total		£938 16 10	£902 17 4

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1919-20.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1919, to 31st March, 1920.

All Sections.			First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
			S.	R.	S.	R.		
1920	..	..	853,888	1,138,272	3,930,274	6,838,380	12,760,814	400,621
1919	..	..	723,281	785,666	3,850,702	6,014,872	11,374,521	351,124
Increase	..	..	130,607	352,606	79,572	823,508	1,386,293	49,497
Decrease	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

All Sections.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Figs.	Total.	Timber.	Minerals.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1920	326,425	31,551	7,209,246	107,310	7,674,532	611,171	2,300,760	2,685,301	5,597,232
1919	311,592	34,952	6,568,032	123,728	7,038,304	437,729	2,444,007	2,306,721	5,238,457
Increase	14,833	..	641,214	..	636,228	123,442	..	378,580	358,775
Decrease	..	3,401	..	16,418	..	..	143,247	..	..

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 31st March, 1920.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.			
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	
NORTH ISLAND,—									
Whangarei	74	£ 5,888	s. d. 5 0	£ 60,858	s. d. 1 10	£ 4,875	s. d. 9 10	£ 52,373	s. d. 13 10
Kaihu	20	845	17 6	6,487	14 10	955	9 10	9,957	16 1
Gisborne	49	3,554	8 3	39,236	15 1	3,251	4 4	31,813	5 9
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,126	347,955	11 2	3,259,747	9 6	248,000	2 7	2,174,341	6 7
Total	1,269	358,244	1 11	3,366,330	1 3	257,082	6 7	2,268,486	2 3
SOUTH ISLAND,—									
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,417	222,379	2 0	2,054,204	9 5	177,573	14 8	1,551,928	16 11
Westland	157	14,235	3 4	159,322	16 6	10,080	7 8	139,458	0 0
Westport	36	7,654	19 5	90,138	10 9	4,757	5 0	63,689	2 5
Nelson	61	3,874	13 5	36,733	11 8	3,705	5 0	38,333	3 1
Pictou	56	3,719	16 4	37,879	18 4	3,442	4 5	35,158	5 10
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	938	16 10	7,878	0 8	630	0 8	7,963	10 11
Total	1,727	252,802	11 4	2,386,157	7 4	200,188	17 5	1,836,580	19 2
Grand total	2,996	611,046	13 3	5,752,487	8 7	457,271	4 0	4,105,067	1 5

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.		Expenditure per Mile of Railway.	
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.		Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.		
NORTH ISLAND,—										
Whangarei	74	£ 5,006	s. d. 4 0	£ 54,886	s. d. 15 5	£ 4,269	s. d. 13 2	£ 44,398	s. d. 7 10	80.89
Kaihu	20	590	15 2	6,100	17 7	1,117	6 2	8,496	2 5	139.26
Gisborne	49	3,376	5 2	30,431	9 6	3,136	6 10	31,164	8 3	102.41
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,126	273,314	3 1	2,848,826	14 4	167,873	13 2	1,728,709	10 11	60.68
Total	1,269	282,287	7 5	2,940,245	16 10	176,396	19 4	1,812,768	9 5	61.65
SOUTH ISLAND,—										
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,404	178,516	19 9	1,721,100	10 7	122,512	3 0	1,251,529	16 8	72.72
Westland	157	12,815	16 11	151,969	13 11	9,495	0 10	114,787	19 7	75.53
Westport	36	8,323	5 5	103,634	6 11	4,366	12 4	58,434	4 6	56.39
Nelson	61	3,410	16 3	34,635	15 11	3,074	8 1	33,442	7 10	96.55
Pictou	56	3,175	13 4	30,363	14 5	3,284	3 11	30,626	13 1	100.87
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	902	17 4	6,682	8 0	657	19 7	6,984	19 4	104.53
Total	1,714	207,145	9 0	2,048,386	9 9	143,390	7 9	1,495,806	1 0	73.02
Grand total	2,983	489,432	16 5	4,988,632	6 7	319,787	7 1	3,308,574	10 5	66.32

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1919, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Whangarei	767,510	0 0	324,852	0 0
Kaihu	99,962	0 0	18,065	0 0
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	398,376	0 0
Gisborne	682,157	0 0	193,510	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	16,006,227	0 0	959,507	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	14,616,816	0 0	222,340	0 0
Westland	2,099,420	0 0	725,766	0 0
Westport	606,425	0 0	96,071	0 0
Nelson	542,534	0 0	36,736	0 0
Picton	683,683	0 0	19,117	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service	43,708	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—				
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	35,900	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,752	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	46,872	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. Stores	19,439	0 0	..	..
Totals	£36,167,681	0 0	£3,093,201	0 0

Railways Department, 10th May, 1920. H. WILLIAMS,
Chief Accountant, New Zealand Railways.

Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1903, 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.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Office administering.
1	Adolph, Victor Emiel ..	Kaipara Flats ..	Farm hand ..	31/3/18	3/5/20	Testate	Auckland.
2	Begg, Moncrieff Nairn ..	Ashburton ..	Slaughterman ..	24/2/20	4/5/20	Intestate	Christchurch.
3	Condron, Robert ..	Te Puke ..	Labourer ..	10/12/19	5/5/20	..	Hamilton.
4	Cook, Janet ..	Makarewa ..	Widow ..	17/9/08	10/5/20	Testate	Invercargill.
5	Corbett, Thomas ..	Invercargill ..	Labourer ..	10/3/20	4/5/20	..	..
6	Cotton, Horace Stanley ..	Napier ..	Clerk ..	24/9/19	5/5/20	Intestate	Napier.
7	Gray, James ..	Christchurch ..	Labourer ..	1/3/20	3/5/20	Testate	Christchurch.
8	Harrison, James Herbert ..	Hawera ..	Cheesemaker ..	14/9/18	5/5/20	..	Wellington.
9	Hayward, Harry ..	Blenheim ..	Farm hand ..	8/10/18	5/5/20	..	..
10	Heard, James Henry ..	Christchurch ..	Grain expert ..	10/2/20	5/5/20	Intestate	..
11	Hounslow, William ..	Merton ..	Gardener ..	16/3/20	5/5/20	..	Dunedin.
12	Hunt, Phoebe Charlotte ..	Masterton ..	Married woman ..	24/1/20	5/5/20	..	Wellington.
13	Kerry, Ernest Victor ..	Te Awamutu ..	Bank clerk ..	25/8/19	4/5/20	Testate	Hamilton.
14	Lean, James Merryfield ..	Norsewood ..	Blacksmith ..	7/12/18	5/5/20	Intestate	Napier.
15	Lee, Thomas William ..	Onehunga ..	Draper ..	26/11/17	5/5/20	Testate	Auckland.
16	Lines, William Arthur ..	Taumata Island, Carterton ..	Farmer ..	1/9/18	5/5/20	..	Wellington.
17	Love, David ..	Feilding ..	..	2/4/18	5/5/20	..	Palmerston N
18	McDougall, Donald ..	Watson's Bay, Sydney ..	Soldier ..	18/3/19	5/5/20	..	Wellington.
19	Quinn, John ..	Wellington ..	Telephone lineman ..	6/11/18	10/5/20	..	..
20	Steel, George ..	Maungakarama ..	Butcher ..	20/2/18	4/5/20	Intestate	Auckland.
21	Tearle, William George ..	Opotiki ..	Bushman ..	9/11/19	3/5/20	..	Hamilton.
22	Watson, John William Barr ..	Christchurch ..	Hairdresser ..	8/12/18	5/5/20	..	Christchurch.]
23	Youngson, Alexander ..	Balclutha ..	Railway fireman ..	28/11/18	5/5/20	..	Dunedin.

Wellington, 10th May, 1920. ROBERT TRIGGS, Public Trustee.

Letters of Naturalization granted or endorsed.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 12th May, 1920.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that letters of naturalization or endorsements of letters of naturalization, in accordance with the provisions of the Aliens Act, 1908, have been granted to the persons named and described hereunder.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Name.	Nationality.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Naturalization.
Azzato, Anthony Joseph ..	Italian ..	Wanganui ..	Tailor ..	4/5/20.
Druwe, Jerome ..	Belgian ..	Te Uku ..	Farmer ..	..
Lindblom, Carl Elias ..	Finnish ..	Auckland ..	Labourer ..	..
Steckel, Stillman Sylus ..	American (U.S.) ..	Midhurst ..	Farmer ..	..
Uttinger, Albert ..	Swiss ..	Kaponga ..	..	..
Uttinger, Alois ..	..	Okaiawa ..	..	..

Letters of Naturalization granted or endorsed.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 28th April, 1920.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that letters of naturalization or endorsements of letters of naturalization, in accordance with the provisions of the Aliens Act, 1908, have been granted to the persons named and described hereunder.

F. H. D. BELL,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Name.	Nationality.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Naturalization
Beeler, Alois	Swiss	Manasia	Farmer	7/4/20.
Christensen, Laurie	Danish	Whakatane	Motor-driver	7/4/20.
Holst, Elizabeth	"	Lyttelton	Domestic duties	7/4/20.
Jansson, Richard Wilhelm	Swedish	Wellington	Telephone lineman	10/4/20.
Merila, Charles	Finnish	"	Nightwatchman	13/4/20.
Nilson, Carl Oscar	Swedish	Dannevirke	Farm labourer	7/4/20.
Nilsson, Axel Richard	"	"	Shearer	17/4/20.
Paino, Antonino	Italian	Wellington	Fisherman	7/4/20.
Raley, William Henry	American (U.S.A.)	Ohaupo	Farmer	17/4/20.
Weiner, Robert	Russian	Dunedin	Hawker	17/4/20.
Widmer, Ernst	Swiss	Stratford	Farmer	7/4/20.

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of APRIL, 1920, showing the Countries from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS FROM AND DEPARTURES TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.

Countries.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	317	446	84	81	928	113	144	31	23	311
Australian Commonwealth	968	660	121	133	1,882	1,254	1,242	153	139	2,788
Cook Islands	3	4	1	..	8	3	7	..	..	10
Niue Island .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	2	1	10
Fiji	100	27	12	5	144	23	29	4	1	57
Norfolk Island .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	5	13	..	2	20
Canada	87	77	20	17	201	85	62	6	3	156
United States and Canal Zone	59	33	5	3	100	81	53	2	2	138
Hawaii	2	8	..	..	10	2	1	..	..	3
Samoa	16	6	1	1	24	16	16	..	1	33
Friendly Islands	5	5	1	4	15	11	11	1	2	25
Foreign Pacific Islands (undefined)	9	2	2	1	14	2	..	..	..	2
Totals, April, 1920	1,566	1,268	247	245	3,326	1,598	1,582	199	174	3,553
Totals, April, 1919	418	526	83	85	1,112	799	712	130	102	1,743

The departures during the month of April, 1920, exceeded the arrivals by 227. In the corresponding month of 1919 there was an excess of departures over arrivals of 631.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland	1,309	230	835	704	1,539	1,441	184	849	776	1,625
Wellington	1,525	262	978	809	1,787	1,612	153	868	897	1,765
Lyttelton .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	2
Invercargill .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	125	36	78	83	161
Totals, April, 1920	2,834	492	1,813	1,513	3,326	3,180	373	1,797	1,756	3,553
Totals, April, 1919	944	168	501	611	1,112	1,511	232	929	814	1,743

CHINESE (included above).

	Arrivals.				Departures.				
			Males.	Females.			Males.	Females.	
At Auckland	97	8	From Auckland .. .. .	..	..	4	..
" Wellington	50	3	" Wellington .. .. .	..	..	5	..
			147	11				9	..

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

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

Census and Statistics Office,
Wellington, 10th May, 1920.

J. W. BUTCHER,
Acting Government Statistician.

Exports.—Weekly.

RETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Two Weeks ended Tuesday, 11th May, 1920.

NOTE.—These figures are subject to alteration. They represent the entries from the ports received at Head Office, Wellington, up to 5 p.m. on Tuesday. * Goods exported are credited as far as possible to each district of production (as per list appended to return for week ended 31st August, 1915, *New Zealand Gazette* No. 103, page 3117), whether exported through the port for such district or not.

Districts.*	Butter.	Cheese.	Frozen Meats.			Gold.
			Lamb.	Mutton.	Other.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	63	4	..	..	123	..
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	..	22,816	..	..	..
New Plymouth ..	127,924	38,334	2,497	26,073	3,436	..
Waitara .. ..	..	..	1,270	10,524	31,274	..
Patea	121,017	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui	4,068	37,026	32,106	61,019	3,512	..
Wellington .. ..	..	..	62,500	10,509	1,237	..
Napier	534	15,378	22,753	10,978	..	..
Wairau (including Picton) ..	..	717	..	..	..	..
Nelson	955	4,060	..	2,604	2,139	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth	6,697	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. ..	..	2,704	97,265	7,840	907	..
Timaru	8,995	7,267	32,313	25,605	6,162	..
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill .. ..	..	..	15,350	18,843	192	..
Totals	270,253	105,490	288,870	173,995	48,982	..

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	32	24,786	11,072	24,565	14,288	19,699	..
Kaipara .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne .. ..	..	27,022	..	..	..	..	..
New Plymouth ..	..	4,625	..	..	6,381	..	9,673
Waitara .. ..	..	13,955	..	..	4,727	..	4,951
Patea .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wanganui .. ..	..	35,733	..	..	10,351	..	32,027
Wellington .. ..	..	21,714	..	23,485	17,282	..	252,176
Napier .. ..	..	5,619	..	1,405	2,099	..	123,626
Wairau (including Picton) ..	513	367	..	114	470	..	37,031
Nelson .. ..	..	2,170	..	..	..	..	..
Westport .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth .. ..	..	801	..	..	..	4,320	..
Hokitika .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton .. ..	..	9,091	..	..	6,984	149	378,386
Timaru	139	..	..	..	1,416	..	35,468
Oamaru .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin .. ..	..	4,795	..	..	..	69	..
Invercargill .. ..	..	6,806	..	7,332	2,692	..	45,198
Totals	684	157,484	11,072	56,901	66,690	24,237	918,536

Customs Department,
Wellington, 12th May, 1920.

W. B. MONTGOMERY,
Comptroller of Customs.

Officiating Ministers for 1920.—Notice No. 15.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th May, 1920.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

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

The Reverend Archibald Howard McCausland Acheson.
" David Sydney Evans.
" Allen James Farnell.

Congregational Independents.

The Reverend Stephen James Campbell.

W. W. COOK,
Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Pastoral Runs classified in Otago Land District.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners appointed to classify and report upon runs in the Otago Land District have classified the pastoral runs in the Schedule hereto as therein noted, and the classification has been approved by His Excellency the Governor-General, under section 225 of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Class A.—Pastoral Land.

Being Lands suitable exclusively for Pasturage and not capable of being used with Profit in Areas of a Carrying-capacity of less than 5,000 Sheep.

RUNS 254, 254A, and 260, Taieri and Maniototo Counties (national endowment): Area, 74,810 acres.

Run 254D, Maniototo County (national endowment): Area, 6,487 acres.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Lands.

Pastoral Run in Hawke's Bay Land District liable to Forfeiture.

Department of Lands and Survey,
District Office, Napier, 8th May, 1920.

PURSUANT to section 251 of the Land Act, 1908, notice is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral license is liable to forfeiture, and that if the rent overdue thereon, together with the amount of the penalty, be not paid within three months from date hereof the license will be declared forfeited.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

LICENSE No. 39, Run No. 11. Licensee: William John McInnes. District: Kaweka and Pohui.

W. F. MARSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Reserves in Canterbury Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 10th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Monday, the 28th June, 1920, under the provisions of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—RANGIORA COUNTY.—MAIRAKI SURVEY DISTRICT.

RESERVE 1737, Block VII: Area, 50 acres 3 roods 4 perches; upset annual rental, £25 10s.

Practically all hill; fair clay soil, in grass; considerably overgrown with gorse; watered by a small creek. About three miles and a half from Cust Railway-station by good road.

Reserve 1738, Block VII: Area, 50 acres 3 roods 35 perches; upset annual rental, £35 14s.

Undulating to hilly land; fair clay soil, in grass; watered by a creek, which may not be permanent. About four miles from Cust Railway-station by good road.

Reserves 1739 and 1740, Blocks III, IV, VII, and VIII: Area, 102 acres 3 roods 37 perches; upset annual rental, £72 2s.

Practically all hill; fair clay soil, in grass. About six miles from Cust Railway-station by good road.

The blocks are all ring-fenced, and these boundary fences go with the land, but any subdivisional fences belong to the outgoing tenant, who may either remove them or sell them to the incoming tenant.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The purchaser of the lease shall, immediately upon the fall of the hammer, deposit an amount equal to six months' rent at the rate offered, together with £1 ls. lease fee.

2. The lease shall be for ten years, without right of renewal.

3. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the whole or any portion of the land comprised in the lease, except only with the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.

4. The lessee shall destroy all rabbits on the land, and he shall prevent their increase or spread to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

5. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease; and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

6. The rent shall be payable half-yearly in advance, free from all deductions whatsoever.

7. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

8. Possession will be given on the date of the sale.

H. D. M. HASZARD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Timber in North Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Tender.

North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 12th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Land Act, 1908, and the Timber Regulations thereunder, that written tenders are invited and will be received at the North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, 16th June, 1920, for the purchase of certain milling-timber on the undermentioned Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 6, 7, 13, 14, Block IV, Punakitere Survey District, Bay of Islands County. 189 green and dry kauri trees, containing about 319,545 sup. ft.; 69 rimu trees, containing about 38,864 sup. ft.; and 34 kahikatea trees, containing about 49,963 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brands: V and X.

Upset price: £1,160.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

All totara trees branded V or X or unbranded, together with the undersized, defective, and isolated trees branded F.R., are excluded from the sale, and must not be felled or removed.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relating to their tenders.

2. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of Crown Lands to withdraw the above lot of timber.

3. The aforementioned quantity, quality, and kind as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purpose of this sale, and no contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if the said quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated herein.

4. All timber, whether standing, felled, or in logs, shall remain the property of the Crown until the instalments are paid.

5. Should any dispute arise as to the boundaries, the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final.

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

7. Tenders must be accompanied by a deposit of 5 per cent. on the amount of tender in cash, marked cheque, or post-office order; the balance to be paid, if tender accepted, in terms as stated hereunder.

8. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

TERMS.

One-third of amount of tender to be paid in cash within seven days after acceptance of tender, together with £1 ls. license fee; one-third in eight months and one-third in sixteen months thereafter. All instalment payments shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum as from the date of acceptance of tender, and with the interest added shall be secured by "On demand" promissory notes endorsed by two approved sureties, and such bills are to be completed and lodged with the Commissioner of Crown Lands within fourteen days after notifying the purchaser to complete.

Tenders to be addressed "Commissioner of Crown Lands, North Auckland Land District, P.O. Box 10, Auckland," and envelopes to be marked "Tender for Timber."

Plan and conditions of sale may be seen at the Kaikohe and Otira Post-offices, or at the North Auckland Lands and Survey Office, Auckland.

R. P. GREVILLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in North Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 11th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, 25th June, 1920, for leases of the undermentioned education reserves, in accordance with the provisions of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, and the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 94, Tauraroa Parish, Whangarei County; Area, 163 acres; minimum annual rental, £14 5s.

Weighted with £503, valuation for improvements consisting of 150 acres felling and grassing and 158 chains fencing.

Situated on Tauraroa Range Road to Omana; will be one mile and three-quarters from new railway-station; 2 acres flat, balance hilly to broken; well watered.

Section 143, Tauraroa Parish, Whangarei County: Area, 235½ acres; minimum annual rental, £19.

Weighted with £507, valuation for improvements consisting of 210 acres felled and grassed (100 acres fern also) and 140 chains fencing.

Situated on Tauraroa Creek; railway-station will be on the property; about 20 acres flat, 100 acres undulating, balance hilly to broken; well watered.

In both the above cases, the valuation for improvements must be paid in cash immediately on acceptance of tender.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, valuation for improvements, and £2 2s. lease fee and cost of registration must be deposited with tender.

2. Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further similar terms at rentals based on fresh valuations under the provisions of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

3. Rent payable half-yearly in advance.

4. Lessee to maintain in good substantial repair all buildings, drains, and fences; to keep clear all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses; to trim all live hedges; and yield up all improvements in good order and condition at the expiration of his lease.

5. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or subdivide without the consent of the Land Board.

6. Lessee to keep the land free from noxious weeds, rabbits, and vermin.

7. Lessee not to use or remove any gravel without the consent of the Land Board.

8. Lessee not to carry on any noxious, noisome, or offensive trade upon the land.

9. Lessee not to make improvements without the consent of the Land Board.]

10. Lessee not entitled to any compensation for improvements; but if the lease is not renewed upon expiration, the new lease offered for disposal by public competition will be subject to payment by the incoming tenant of valuation for buildings and improvements effected by the original lessee with the consent of the Board; failing disposal, the land and buildings to revert to the Crown without compensation.

11. Lease liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

12. Lessee to keep buildings insured.

13. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.

Education reserves are included in the classes of land on which, with the approval of the Advances Board, money may be advanced by the State-guaranteed Advances Office.

The reserves are described for the general information of intending tenderers, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Department is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

Form of lease may be perused and full particulars obtained at this office.

R. P. GREVILLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Milling-timber in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Tender.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 26th April, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Land Act, 1908, and Timber Regulations thereunder, that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 p.m. on Monday, 28th June, 1920, subject to the terms and conditions as stated hereon.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tauranga County.

Lot 1.

SECTION 1, Block X, Otanewainuku Survey District (national endowment): 104 rimu trees, containing about 348,109 sup. ft.; 15 mangao trees, containing about 10,115 sup. ft.; 1 kahikatea tree, containing about 4,134 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brand: X.

Upset price: £300.

Terms of payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

Lot 2.

Section 2, Block XI, Otanewainuku Survey District: 344 rimu trees, containing about 876,884 sup. ft.; 49 mangao trees, containing about 26,880 sup. ft.; 45 miro trees, containing about 39,393 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brands: I, II.

Upset price: £770.

Terms of payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

Lot 3.

Section 18, Block XV, Otanewainuku Survey District (national endowment): 181 rimu trees, containing about 509,612 sup. ft.; 17 miro trees, containing about 18,360 sup. ft.; 23 mangao trees, containing about 12,670 sup. ft.; 2 kahikatea trees, containing about 8,839 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brand: I.

Upset price: £540.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

Lot 4.

Sections 28, 29, and 30, Block VIII, Otanewainuku Survey District (Ohauti Settlement): 2,514 rimu trees, containing about 4,524,325 sup. ft.; 419 tanekaha trees, containing about 225,564 sup. ft.; 388 miro trees, containing about 233,576 sup. ft.; 170 kahikatea trees, containing about 203,599 sup. ft.; 237 mangao trees, containing about 129,087 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brands: H, I, K, II, T, III, X, V.

Upset price, £5,000.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Three years.

Matamata County.

Lot 5.

Nos. 1 and 4, Gorges, Block V, Patetere North-east Survey District (Selwyn Settlement): 2,272 rimu trees, containing about 3,657,211 sup. ft.; 208 kahikatea trees, containing about 483,726 sup. ft.; 173 matai trees, containing about 151,744 sup. ft.; 64 miro trees, containing about 39,357 sup. ft.; 16 totara trees, containing about 16,582 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brands: V, II, X.

Upset price: £3,200.

Terms of payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Three years.

West Taupo County.

Lot 6.

Part Block XIV, Tuhua Survey District, Lot "V" (national endowment): 3,623 totara trees, containing about 3,096,215 sup. ft.; 959 rimu trees, containing about 662,344 sup. ft.; 921 kahikatea trees, containing about 867,528 sup. ft.; 1,628 matai trees, containing about 545,118 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brands: V or FR.

Upset price: £6,000.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Three years.

Lot 7.

Part Block XIV, Tuhua Survey District, and Block II, Piopotea Survey District, Lot "K" (national endowment): 2,035 totara trees, containing about 1,509,321 sup. ft.; 192 rimu trees, containing about 164,445 sup. ft.; 807 kahikatea trees, containing about 662,763 sup. ft.; 638 matai trees, containing about 241,228 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brands: II or FR.

Upset price: £2,800.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Two years.

Rotorua County.

Lot 8.

Section 8, Block X, Rotorua Survey District (education reserve): 421 rimu trees, containing about 622,291 sup. ft.; 133 miro trees, containing about 62,342 sup. ft.; 12 totara trees, containing about 11,399 sup. ft.; 1 kahikatea tree, containing about 4,200 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brand: I.

Upset price: £650.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

Piako County.

Lot 9.

Part Sections 25, 19, 71, and 72, Te Miro Settlement: 1,300 rimu trees, estimated to contain 1,950,000 sup. ft.; 103 mangeo trees, estimated to contain 51,500 sup. ft.; 58 miro trees, estimated to contain 44,800 sup. ft.

Upset price: £1,050.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Two years.

Thames County.

Lot 10.

Crown land, part of Block XIII, Tairua Survey District: 274 green and dry kauri trees, containing approximately 478,017 sup. ft. (standing measurement); 5 totara trees, containing approximately 4,958 sup. ft.; 8 rimu trees, containing approximately 8,256 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brand: II.

Seventeen faulty and undersized trees branded FR not included in this sale.

Upset price: £1,200.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

Lot 11.

Crown land, part of Block I, Ohinemuri Survey District: 2,483 green and dry kauri trees, containing approximately 3,511,993 sup. ft. (standing measurement); 23 totara trees, containing approximately 17,672 sup. ft.; 55 rimu trees, containing approximately 64,465 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brands: II or V.

140 faulty and undersized kauri trees branded FR, and kauri trees above falls (unbranded), not included in this sale.

Upset price: £8,810.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: Three years.

West Taupo County.

Lot 12.

Sections 1 and 2, Block III, Piopotea Survey District (national endowment): 435 kahikatea trees, containing about 578,917 sup. ft.; 275 totara trees, containing about 280,067 sup. ft.; 247 matai trees, containing about 135,835 sup. ft.; 2 rimu trees, containing about 3,281 sup. ft.

Distinguishing brand: A.

Upset price: £920.

Terms for payment: As below.

Time for removal of timber: One year.

TERMS OF PAYMENT.

● Lots 1, 2, 3, 8, 10, and 12.—One-half to be deposited with tender, together with timber-cutting license fee (21s.), and half in six months thereafter.

Lots 4, 5, 6, and 11.—One-fifth to be deposited with tender, together with timber-cutting license fee (21s.), one-fifth in seven months, one-fifth in fourteen months, one-fifth in twenty-one months, and one-fifth in twenty-eight months thereafter.

Lots 7 and 9.—One-third to be deposited with tender, together with timber-cutting license fee (21s.), one-third in eight months, and one-third in sixteen months thereafter.

All instalment payments shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum as from the date of sale, and, with the interest added, shall be secured by "On demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

CONDITIONS.

1. Intending purchasers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relating to the sale.

2. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of Crown Lands to withdraw from sale any or all of the above lots of timber either before or after the date for receipt of tenders.

3. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purpose of this sale, and no contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated hereon, or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if the said quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated hereon.

4. All timber on each lot, whether standing, felled, or in logs, shall remain the property of the Crown until all the instalments are paid.

5. In all lots the quantities stated are standing measurements, and only those trees bearing the special distinguishing brands shown in each lot are included in this sale; but offers from the successful bidders will be considered for undersized or defective timber, &c., not included in the sale.

6. Should any dispute arise as to boundaries, the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final.

7. In the event of no tenders being received for any of the above lots, applications may be received and dealt with at any time within six months thereafter (unless previously formally withdrawn); providing, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset prices stated hereon.

8. In lots where terms of payment may have been arranged, any breach of the foregoing Conditions of Sale will render the "On demand" promissory notes liable to be presented for immediate payment.

9. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and all lots herein described are submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the highest tender by the Minister of Lands.

10. In the event of a tenderer purchasing two adjoining lots, the Commissioner of Crown Lands may, at his discretion, increase the time for removal of timber.

11. In the case of Lot 4, the licensee will be required to surrender each section as cut out.

12. The purchaser shall have the right to cut all the timber for the periods specified, and shall have no right to the use of the land.

13. The timber shall be cut in a face, and the Crown reserves the right to follow up the mill-workings by felling and grassing such areas as from time to time become available, and of disposing of the same.

14. The licensee shall not allow any sawdust to find its way into any watercourse of any description.

15. Purchasers are notified that extensions of the times herein stated for the removal of the timber must not be anticipated.

H. M. SKEET,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

NATIVE LAND COURT NOTICES.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Whakatane.

Registrar's Office, Rotorua, 1st May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Whakatane on the 26th day of May, 1920, 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.

[Waiariki, 1920-8.]

T. ANARU, Acting-Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Boundaries.
1	Te Hurinui Apanui and others	Rurima	On the map.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
2	Wi Kotu and others	Hiwarau A.
3	Kane and Dunlop (for applicant)	Kapuarangi No. 1 East No. 2.
4	Raureti Mokonuiarangi	Matata 3B.
5	Hariata te Wai	" 21.
6	Pakupaka Himone	" 21.
7	Huriana te Waara	" 21.
8	Tukuwaho te Riini	" 39A No. 2.
9	Mihi Taurangi te Riini	" 39A No. 2.
10	Whitirau Petera	" 39A No. 3.
11	Te Herekiekie Rangiamohia	" 72B No. 1.
12	Te Pare Parapara	" 72B No. 1.
13	P. H. Motutere	" 72B No. 1c.
14	Rangi Tarei	" 72B 3B 2B.
15	"	" 72B 3D 2.
16	Hunia Haare	" 72B 3Q.
17	Ereatara Hunia (Suckling and Chalmers)	" 72B 3S.
18	Ngahcu Paora	" 72B 3S.
19	Makuini Renata	" 72B 3T.
20	Parehuia Paihau	" 72B 3U.
21	Matetu Paihau	" 72B 3W.
22	Whaiti Paora	Matahina B.
23	Hoori Tutahi	Maungatapu 1s.
24	D. Davies (L. Buddle)	Omataroa 1A.
25	Tangihaere Reweti	" 1A.
26	Manihera te Whetu (Fleming, Suckling, and Chalmers)	" 1B 2B 2.
27	Freatara Hunia (Fleming, Suckling, and Chalmers)	" 2B.
28	Poraka Hunia	" 2B.
29	George Powell (Fleming and Suckling)	" 5A 4.
30	Rini Taka	" 7A 5.
31	Taka Manuera	" 7B.
32	Te Waitohi	" 7E.
33	Tangi Tepene	" 7E.
34	Akutina Hipirini	" 7E.
35	Tane Hauraki	Owhakatoro 2c 2.
36	Morena Wharetuna	Parekohe.
37	Pape te Hanairo	Putauaki 2.
38	Raerino Patupo	" 59.
39	Keita Rangitukei (Smith)	Rangitaiki 21B 6.
40	Kaewa te Matau	" 28B 14.
41	Akuhata Hira Kingi	" 28B 17.
42	Takotowai Hoko (Fleming and Suckling)	" 28B 17D 2.
43	Huriang Ngairo	" 28B 18A.
44	Hirata Hawera	" 28B 18A.
45	Kaewa te Matau	" 28B 18C.
46	Huriana Hawera and others	" 28B 20.
47	Aukaha Rangitikei	" 29D.
48	" (Chalmers)	" 29D.
49	Te Rore Wi Keepa	" 29F.
50	Te Riritahi Ngamanu	" 29V.
51	"	" 29V.
52	Pene Ngamanu	" 29V 3.
53	Monika Kororiko	" 30A 2C.
54	Mihimere Mokai	" 30A 2B 2D.
55	A. T. Ramanui	" 30A 2G.
56	Ngamoni Ngapuhi	" 30A 2L.
57	Fleming and Suckling (for applicant)	" 30B 2A 2C 3.
58	Wirinia Reupene Toma	" 30C 1E.
59	Hira Waaka (Harron)	" 30C 2B.
60	Pouawha Meihana	" 30C 4C.
61	Mere Raiha Meihana	" 30C 4E.
62	Pouawha Meihana	" 30C 4E.
63	Hiraima Wiapa	" 30C 5B.
64	Wiremu Waaka	" 30C 8.
65	Wiremu Hona	" 32B 4.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS—continued.

No.	Name of Applicant	Name of Land.
66	Hone Nuku	Rangitaiki 38A 2.
67	Teo Parani Matepo	" 38A 2.
68	Awherahi Hakiaha and others	" 38A 2D.
69	Rangikotua Wharepapa	" 38A 2H.
70	Tame Tupari	" 38A 2K.
71	Iritana Riwini	" 38A 2N.
72	Petera Tanatiu	" 38B 3F.
73	Wera Paura Metera	" 38B 3H.
74	Te Uhi Penetito	" 38B 3J.
75	Petera Tanatiu	" 38B 3T.
76	Tahuri Tauaki	" 38B 4D.
77	Fleming and Suckling (for applicant)	" 41B 3.
78	Lena Davies (Buddle)	" 41B 8.
79	Mohi Toma	" 60B.
80	Wahahuia Raureti	" 60D 3.
81	Te Raki Hawea	" 60D 10.
82	Paremokai te Manihera	Ruatohuna 5.
83	Taumu te Wera	Ruatohuna 1A 6.
84	Te Hani Taare (Smith)	" 1B.
85	Te Wharekauri Himepiri	" 1B 1C 16 1.
86	Te Matatu Taahu	" 1B 2J 4.
87	Kaawa Turoa	" 1B 8L.
88	Wi Tahu	" 2B 8.
89	Anania te Ahikaiata	" 3A.
90	Tupara Kaaho	" 3A 1E.
91	Tuheroa Tiopira	Waimana 1B 1D 2B.
92	Erueti Peene]	" 1B 6.
93	Maui te Tawhi	" 1C 1A 1.
94	Pare te Pou]	" 1C 1C 1.
95	Aramoana Rawiri	" 1D 2.
96	Public Trustee	" 6B 3.
97	Ngataua Tauarau	" 239.
98	Te Pouwhare Waewae	" 239.
99	Ono Waiti	" 246B 2.
100	Kiti Pureiti	" 260A 2.
101	Tiraherehere Tikitu	" 260A 5.
102	Raumati Eru (Fleming, Suckling, and Chalmers)	" 266.
103	Te Wara Haimona	" 266.
104	Kataraina Ranapia	" 266A 4.
105	Huriana Hawera	" 266B.
106	Hana Hawera (Buddle)	" 266B 1.
107	Te Hana Hawera	" 266B 1.
108	Herewini Waata	" 274.
109	Paora Paora	Whaiti 1.
110	W. H. Herries, Native Minister	" 1.
111	"	" 2.
112	Mou te Hapuku	Waiohau 1A.
113	Te Hirihiri	" 1A 4A.
114	Whaiti Paora (Urquhart)	" 1A 9.
115	Paora te Whaiti	" 1A 13B.
116	Meike Akutina (Smith)	Mata 72B 3R 3.
117	Te Ao Tangohau	Ruatoki 1B 1B 3C 1.
118	"	" 3A 3B 2A.
119	"	" 3A 3B 2D.
120	Te Poono Anahera	Rangitaiki 28B 3B.
121	Suckling and Chalmers (for the owners)	" 30C 8.
122	Merito Hetaraka	" 31F 3.
123	Rangikotua Wharepapa (Chalmers)	" 32M.
124	Muro Repeka Rahitana	Waimana 1B 4.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
125	Te Whangakiteuru Hiwarau	Matata 72B 3E	Applying for cancellation of partition orders.
126	John Simpson	Rangitaiki 28B 7 and 10	Applying for repartition of those blocks.
127	Toetoe Parakiri	Whirinaki 1, Section 2	Applying for cancellation of partition orders.
128	Wetini Taku and others	Torere 1B 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7	"
129	Takao Tamaikoha	Waimana 1B 5	"

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
130	Te Pouwhare te Roau	Utiera Tuau.
131	Wi Hapa Hirini	Haimona Hirini.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
132	Fleming, Suckling, and Chalmers (solicitors for applicants)	Ihipera Peka.
133	Hohepa Kororiko (Fleming, Suckling, and Chalmers)	Kororiko Watana.
134	Anita Rameka	Rameka Tamaiwhana.
135	D. C. Chalmers	Rakapa Ihaka.
136	Mika te Tawhao	Hiriwa Mika.
137	Netana Whakaari	Mika Wikiriwhi.
138	Wharewera Kaperiere	Hori Tunui Kaperiere.

APPLICATIONS FOR INCORPORATIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
139	Patatai te Hanairo and others	Omataroa 60D 4.
140	Wikiriwhi te Kano and others	Whangaparaoa 2A.

APPLICATION FOR DETERMINATION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
141	Takawheta Kaipara and another	Pokohu A 3.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXCHANGES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
142	Hori Pawa	Matata 72B 3c.
	Tangi Haere Erueti	Omataroa 1A.
143	Te Poono Tarei	Matata 72B 3D 2B.
	Te Whangakiteuru Hiwarau	" 72B 3E. 1A.
144	Rangimatuatini Tarei	" 72B 3B 2B.
	Te Poono Tarei	" 72B 3D 1.
145	Puroko Tuniu	Rangitaiki 60D 5.
	Penetito Hawea	" 38B 3j.
146	Matchare Ratu	" 60D 3.
	Ngawhetu Raureti	" 38B 3o 3.
147	Matewawe Hohepa	" 38A 2r.
	Puroku Tunui	" 40A (part).
148	Thomas Paterson	" 41B 3.
	Animereto Rihari	" 43B 2.
149	Awarua Marewa	Omataroa 5A 4.
	Hori Pawa	Matata 72B 3n.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 24 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
150	Iutana Riwini (Harron)	Rangitaiki 41A 6 and 9c	An application to rectify the allotment of shares to Hiria Piripi and Hiria Nohia.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
151	Hirini Kemara	Whaiti 1	Applying for the cancellation of a succession order to the interest of Heta Iraia, deceased.
152	William King	Avanui-Haparapara 4B	Applying for the cancellation of a succession order to the interest of Wiremu Kingi Turei, alias Wiremu Kingi te Kawau, deceased.

APPLICATIONS FOR INJUNCTIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
153	Wharepouri te Amo	Ruatahuna	Prohibiting Rehuatae Wao and others from erecting fences on this land.
154	Te Taaki te Kaka	Tahora 2A 3	Prohibiting Maurea Matika from furiously driving cattle grazing on Tahora 2A 3 from off that block.
155	Huriana Hawera	Rangitaiki 28B 20	Prohibiting Kere Wano from removing dwellinghouse and other buildings erected on this land.
156	Rini Manuere and others	Matata 72	Applying for an order directing the removal of Te Moko and all her belongings from the section of this block owned by Maata Rangitukehu.

APPLICATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION FOR LAND TAKEN UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1904.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Area to be taken.	Purpose for which taken.
157	Under-Secretary, Public Works Department	Rangitaiki V, Section 1 ..	A. R. P. 4 1 18	For a road.
158	Ditto	Matata 3A	10 3 0 2 0 2	For a school.

APPLICATION FOR ADOPTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Adopted Child.	Nature of Application.
159	Akuhata te Kaha	Te Ua Tumunako	Applying for adoption of aforementioned minor.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 29 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
160	Hara Henare	Otairi	An application for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay the purchase-money due to Koheriki Haara.
161	Te Wini Mu	Parekohe	An application for an order directing the Public Trustee to pay the purchase-money due to Ohio Maria.
162	"	Tauwharemanuka	Ditto.
163	"	Tahora 2A D	An application for an order directing payment by the Public Trustee of purchase-money due to Ohio Maria on sale of aforementioned block.
164	Perenara Rawakata	Te Whaiti 2	Application for order on the Public Trustee to pay moneys owing to Wairukirangi Karatara.
165	Tipua Werahiko	Rangitaiki 33F 4	Applying for an order for payment of purchase-money due to Ngamoni Ngapuhi.

166. Notice is hereby given that the blocks set out in the Schedule hereunder will be adjudicated upon by the Native Land Court sitting at Whakatane on the 26th day of May, 1920, in accordance with the jurisdiction conferred on the said Court under orders in Council which have already been published in the *New Zealand Gazette* and the *Kahiti o Niu Tirenī*.

Schedule.

Matata, Lot 39A.	Richmond, Lots 261 to 265.	Waimana, Lot 6.
" Lot 60.	" Lot 271.	Waioatahe, Lot 292.
" Lot 77.	" Lots 273 to 284.	
" Lot 78.	" Lot 290.	

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
167	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Rangitaiki 30B 2A 2C 3A ..	£ s. d. 0 10 6	18 December, 1919.
		" " 3B ..	0 10 6	18 " 1919.
		" " 3C ..	0 10 6	18 " 1919.
		" " 3D ..	0 10 6	18 " 1919.
		" " 3E ..	0 10 6	18 " 1919.
168	" " "	Rangitaiki 32E 5A ..	9 5 1	17 October, 1919.
		" " 5B ..	5 7 9	17 " 1919.
		" " 5C ..	5 7 9	17 " 1919.
		" " 5D ..	13 17 10	17 " 1919.
169	" " "	Matata 72B 1A ..	4 3 0	10 " 1919.
		" " 1B 1 ..	2 17 2	10 " 1919.
		" " 1B 2 ..	2 17 2	10 " 1919.
		" " 1C ..	8 0 4	10 " 1919.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTIONS 49 AND 50 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
170	Teko Tiopira and others ..	Waimana 1C 1A 3A 1, 2, 3, and 1D 1 ..	Applying to have roads laid off over these blocks.
171	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Lot 59, Parish of Matata; Matabina A 1, B, A 1C, A 1B, C 1, C, Rangipo Blocks; and Rangipo No. 1	Applying for a road to be laid off over these lands.

NOTE.—It is hereby notified that pursuant to subsection 3, of section 50, of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, the Court hereby fixes Whakatane, on the 23rd day of June, 1920, as the place and the time of hearing objections to this application.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 59 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
172	Rata te Parehuia	Matahina B	Application for amendment of boundaries.
173	Piora Netana and others	Tauwharemanuka 2 and 3	An application to the Court to cancel (wholly or in part, as the Court deems necessary) the partition of this block.
174	The Native Minister	Pokohu C	
175	Te Whaiti Paora	Matahina B	Application for amendment of boundaries.

APPLICATIONS UNDER SECTION 178 OF THE NATIVE LAND ACT, 1909.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
176	Tupararahi Tamaiwhana	Rangitaiki 29A No. 1	Applying for a certificate of age.
177	Moko Haerewa	Omataroa 1B 4 and other blocks	"
178	Wharenui Riripeti	Rangitaiki 38A No. 1	"

MATTER REFERRED TO THE COURT FOR INQUIRY.

No.	Name of Block.	Nature of Inquiry.
179	Lot 31P, Parish of Rangitaiki	An application to ascertain the divisional boundaries of the land.

MATTERS REFERRED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE FOR INQUIRY AND REPORT UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 49 OF THE NATIVE LAND LAWS AMENDMENT ACT, 1895.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Matter for Inquiry and Report.
180	Maraea Paremata Mau-taranui	Rangitaiki 21, 28, and 31	Application for inclusion in titles of said lands.
181	Te Haroto Manuera	Matata 72	"

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Whangarei.

Registrar's Office, Tokerau District, Auckland, 7th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Whangarei on the 17th day of June, 1920, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Auckland, 1920-9.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	W. Tito	Aotahi B.
2	Huirua Tito	" B.
3	Te Ngaru Parata Wellington	Horahora 1A 4D.
4	Eruera Mahanga	" 1B 4B 5.
5	Te Awaroa Toeke	Kaikou B 1.
6	Riri M. P. Kawiti	" D.
7	Ratahi Nopera	Maromaku B 3.
8	Hepi Haika	Matapouri, Section 4.
9	Hami Tauī Pepene	Mohinui 2A.
10	Hori Matenga	Otara 1.
11	Hira Haora	Pakikaikutu 2E 2.
12	Rangi Papita	Parangarahu B 2.
13	Hone Nehua (Rishworth and Harrison)	Paremata-Mokau 1.
14	Horomona Peeni	Pipiwai 2H 17A.
15	Tautohe Paki	Takahiwai 3.
16	W. Tito	" 4D.
17	Maki Pirihī	" 7C.
18	Hema Matiu	Te Toetoe 3A.
19	Huirua Tito	Tuawhitu B.
20	Wiremu Kingi	Wairahi B 2.

APPLICATIONS FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated.
21	Chief Surveyor, Auckland ..	Horahora 1B 4A, Section 2B 1	£ s. d. 2 13 3	16 October, 1919.
		" 1B 4A, " 2B 2	2 19 11	16 " 1919.
		" 1B 4A, " 2D 1	2 7 6	16 " 1919.
		" 1B 4A, " 2D 2	4 2 11	16 " 1919.
22	" " ..	Kaikou 3, Lot 9A ..	5 0 3	11 November, 1919.
	" " ..	" " 9B ..	8 4 4	11 " 1919.
23	" " ..	Mangakowhara B 4E 1 ..	5 9 1	11 " 1919.
	" " ..	" B 4E 2 ..	3 17 2	11 " 1919.
24	" " ..	Maunu 1E 3B South 1 ..	6 10 6	3 February, 1920.
	" " ..	" " 2 ..	6 10 6	3 " 1920.
25	" " ..	Pakikaikutu 2E 1 ..	7 6 10	18 July, 1919.
	" " ..	" 2E 2 ..	5 7 10	18 " 1919.
26	" " ..	Ruapekapeka 2A ..	7 3 9	3 February, 1920.
	" " ..	" 2B ..	3 14 7	3 " 1920.
27	" " ..	Whatitiri 1F 3 ..	1 1 0	27 June, 1919.

APPLICATION FOR EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
28	{ Hone Mahanga Hunia Mahanga	Pukahakaha East 5. Otamaiti.

APPLICATIONS FOR ROAD ACCESS.

No	Name of Applicant.	Block to which Access is required.	Block over which Proposed Road will run.
29	R. P. Greville	Ngararatunua 2A 1 and 2 ..	Ngararatunua 2A 1 and 2.
30	W. Russek	Ruapekapeka 1E 2B 2 ..	Ruapekapeka 3.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 118 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT ACT, 1913.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
31	Mau Koke	Pehiweri B 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR CANCELLATION OF SUCCESSION ORDERS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Deceased.
32	Hehi (H. F. Guy)	Toetoe 3	Kararaina Rata.
33	" "	" 4A	"

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
34	The Public Trustee	Matthew Moore.
35	Remana Kiwikiwi	Rena Henare Pene.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
36	The Public Trustee	Hemi Maaka.
37	Marara Weera	Hoone Weera.
38	Maata Keri	Inaka te Kaituhi.
39	Ngairo Rupi	Waitao te Haungere.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kakahi.

Registrar's Office, Aotea District, Wanganui, 8th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Kakahi on the 1st day of June, 1920, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Wanganui, 1920-13.]

L. A. TEUTENBERG, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
1	Kewa Pine (J. M. Hussey)	Awarua 2c 13L.
2	Kaiwhiri Mangaroa	Hohotaka.
3	" and others	"
4	Te Huriwaka Manunui and others	" 1A.
5	Raukura Ngamihi (Sommerville, Cook, and Co.)	" 2.
6	Te Takiwa Taurua and others	" 2P.
7	Te Iringa te Pikikotuku and another	Kirikau B.
8	Te Huistahi Taitumu	Motukawa 2B 16B 2.
9	President of the Board	Ngapakihī 1z.
10	Kii H. Keepa	Ohura South B 2.
11	President of the Board	" D 2.
12	Wiki Tohengaroa (Sommerville, Cook, and Co.)	" D 5B.
13	Treadwell, Gordon, and Brodie	" D 5D 1.
14	Te Takiwa Taurua and others	" or Otairua.
15	Hira te Akau	Puketapu No. 3.
16	Te Kehu Ngamihi (E. J. W. Hallett)	Ruamata.
17	Kumeroa Rui te Naki and others	Taurewa 4 East B 5.
18	Hiwawa Paurini (Currie and Jack)	" 4 East B 5B.
19	Wiripo Tohiraukura	" 4 West A.
20	Taupoki Pakau	" 4 West A No. 4
21	Wiripo Tohiraukura	" 4 West A.
22	Hinerangi te Huaki	" 4 West D.
23	Te Awatea and others	" 4 West D.
24	Wiripo Tohiraukura	" 4 West D 6.
25	Moroati Tairuru (Currie and Jack)	" 4 West D 11.
26	Waaka Tamaira	" 4 West E.
27	Rawiri Apanui	" 4 West E 2.
28	Inia Ranginui and others	" 4 West E 2.
29	Warahi te Whiwhitahi	Urewera 1c 2.
30	Ngairo Taurerewa	Waimarino 3A 1c 2.
31	Ripeka te Peehi	" 3M.
32	Rangitotohu Turaki	" C D.
33	Turaki Maikuku	" C D No. 1.
34	Te Iringa te Pikikotuku	" C D 1G.
35	Kiwhiri Mangoroa	Waituhi 1B.
36	Te Kahu Ngahuia	Waituhi-Kuratau 4.
37	Te Kehu Ngamihi (E. J. W. Hallett)	" 4B.
38	Rihi te Rerehau	" 4B.
39	Hikaka Takirau	Whangaiepe.
40	Ani Tamakiterangi (Currie and Jack)	"
41	Wiremu Kingi te Wharepurangi	"
42	Hinaki Ropiha	Whitianga 2B 16B.

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

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
43	Te Peehi te Opetini	Raetihi 2B	That part of unformed road surveyed off in this land lying to the south of the Raetihi-Ohakune Road be revoked from the order of the Native Land Court dated 21st day of September, 1910.
44	Inia Ranginui	Taurewa 4 West D	For cancellation of partition orders made 26th March, 1917.
45	" 	Whangaiepe	For cancellation of the survey-boundary line made in 1886 between Whangaiepe and Pukehou Blocks.

INVESTIGATION IN TERMS OF SECTION 9 OF THE NATIVE LAND AMENDMENT AND NATIVE LAND CLAIMS ADJUSTMENT ACT, 1918.

No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
46	Portion of Waimarino Block known as Tawata	To ascertain the Natives beneficially entitled to the said land, containing about 1,500 acres, heretofore acquired from the Natives by the Crown, and to determine the relative interest to which each of such Natives is entitled, and to make freehold orders accordingly.

APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant	Name of Land
47	Ngapera te Keepa	Hautu 3B.
	Te Reita Ngapera	" 4B.
48	Te Whango Wikohika Taupoki	Waipapa I.
	Puataata Alfred Grace and Reita Ngapera	Hautu No. 4B.

APPLICATION FOR SURVEY CHARGING ORDER.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Amount.	Date from which Interest is calculated
49	The Chief Surveyor, Auckland	Waione	£ s. d. 132 11 6	27 August, 1918.

APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
50	Wiripo Tohiraukura	Te Keepa Puataata.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
51	Taupoki Pakau	Okahukura 8M 2	For payment of £850 from trust-moneys held by Public Trustee.
52	J. Thomson	Waituhi-Kuratau 4B	For payment to the trustee of Te Amo Ratu, a minor, the purchase-money held by the Public Trustee.
53	Wiripo Tohiraukura	Hautu and Tokaanu	For order on Public Trustee for payment of £25 on behalf of Te Arai Turanga and others.
54	Inia Ranginui	Whangaipeke and Oraukura	For amendment of succession order to Rangitakatu Taranui, deceased.
55	R. G. M. Park	Morikau 2	For amendment of name of deceased in succession order from Turehu Koromatua (Henare) to Turehu Tamangaupari.
56	Te Reiti Grace	Taurewa 4 West E	For amendment of succession order to Peti (Peete) or Hinehou Panikana, deceased.
57	Te Teira Rapana (Bullock, Currie, and Douglas)	Puketapu	For order cancelling succession order dated 11th February, 1911, to Penetiti te Kamaru, deceased.
58	Puti Karauria Materoa	Whangaipeke	For cancellation of succession order made 4th May, 1917, to Tukaiora Pakau, deceased.
59	Wiripo Tohiraukura	Taurewa 4 West D 6	To include the name of Makere Paraone in the list of owners for the Papakainga.
60	"	Waimarino E and other lands	For an award to compensate for moneys expended in connection with Te Keepa Puataata, deceased, for his interest in these blocks.
61	"	Taurewa Block	For an award to compensate for legal costs in connection with this block.
62	Moroati Taiuru (Currie and Jack)	"	Under section 68 of Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, for succession orders to Waina te Maari or Waina Taiuru, deceased, in all lands not yet succeeded to.
63	"	"	Under section 68 of Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, for succession orders to Taiuru te Rongo, deceased, in all lands not yet succeeded to.
64	"	"	Under section 68 of Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, for succession orders to Te Maari Matuahua, deceased, in all lands not yet succeeded to.
64A	Chief Surveyor, Wellington	Waimarino A, Section 13A	For direction of Court to provide access to the said land through Subdivisions 3M or 3L, owing to impracticability of access as laid down by Court on partition.
64B	"	" 19B	For direction of Court to provide access to the said land by road following stream, owing to impracticability of access as laid down by Court on partition.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Person under disability.
65	Okeroa te Turi	Puketapu	Mata te Morehu.
66	Moke te Oro	Hautu 5, 6	Puwhakaoho Moke.
67	Hinerangi te Huaki	Pukawa 2	Rangiheketa Eileen J. Melton.
68	"	" 3	"
69	"	Puketapu, Whangaipeke 2, and Ruamata	Wiari te Huaki."

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Levin.

Office of the Ikaroa District Native Land Court, Wellington, 5th May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Native Land Court will be held at Levin on the 2nd day of June, 1920, to hear and determine the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written, in respect of which applications have been received by the Registrar, and all such other matters as may be lawfully brought before it.

[Ikaroa, 1920-14.]

A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR INVESTIGATION OF TITLES.

No.	Name of Applicant	Name of Land.	Boundaries.
1	M. K. Kapukai	Katihiku 5	On the plan.
2	Tuiti McDonald	Mangahanene	"
3	Mihaka Karepa	Moutere-Tahuna B	On sketch-plan.
4	"	Ouruwhero	"
5	Heni te Rei	Ngakaroro 1/5D	"
6	Kipa te Whatanui	Ringawhata	"

APPLICATIONS FOR PARTITIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
7	Te Ara Takana and another	Aorangi 1/3A 1 and 1/3A 2.
8	Akuira te Rangi and another	Lower Aorangi 3D 1B 2.
9	Mihipeka Taharuku	Himitangi 2A 1B.
10	Eparaima Paki	Horowhenua XI A 4A.
11	"	" XI A 7.
12	Edward Nicholson (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	" 9A.
13	Rere Neketini	" 10/96.
14	"	" 10/91.
15	Eruera Neketini (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	" XI B 1A.
16	Ngapera Taueki (G. F. Phillips)	" XI B 36 1B.
17	Tuiti McDonald	" XI B 36F 2.
18	Eruera Nicholson (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	" XI B 41A.
19	Edward Nicholson (Bell, Gully, Bell, and Myers)	" XI B 41E.
20	Eparaima Paki	" XI B 41 North A 3.
21	Miriama Patu (Menteath and Ward)	" XI B 42.
22	G. E. Thomas	Jacob's River Hundred 25, Section 68.
23	Maaka Pukehi	Katihiku 1.
24	Mihaka Karepa	" 4.
25	Watene te Wiata te Noru and others	Makuratawhiti.
26	Tuiti McDonald (for Mihiaata te Karu)	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 3/2A 6.
27	Tuiti McDonald	" 3/2B 3.
28	Heke Meihana (George H. Harper)	" 4E 3 and 2A 1.
29	Timaha Iwikatea (C. H. Williams)	" 7D 2D 56B.
30	Inia Hoani te Reinga and another	Muhunoa 1B 1.
31	Amapiria Tuku and others (Field, Luckie, and Sladden)	Ngarara West A 28.
32	Henry Walton	" A 28.
33	Oriwia Tame Hawea	Ngakaroro 3B 7.
34	R. Banapiri	Ohau 3, Section 4.
35	Natana te Hiwi (N. Winiata)	" 3A 2, 4A 1.
36	Rana Hori and another (Bell, Gully, Myers, and O'Leary)	" 3 (Katihiku).
37	Tuiti McDonald	Ohinekakeao 1.
38	Wiremu Eparaima (for Aputa Ihakaia)	"
39	Heni Kipa and another	Pahianui B.
40	Emiri Paki (G. A. Preece)	Puketotara 2A.
41	"	" 4G.
42	Rota te Rangi	" 334/335 No. 6.
43	"	" 334/335 No. 6A.
44	Kie te Ra and others	" 8.
45	Amy Taipua	Taumanuka 2B.
46	Kipa te Whatanui	Taumanuka 3/4.
47	Te Whiu te Kuru	Totaranui.
48	Tuiti McDonald	Tutaekara, Section 115 and 6B 1.

APPLICATION FOR DEFINITION OF RELATIVE INTERESTS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
49	Rota te Rangi	Puketotara 6/334 and 335.

APPLICATIONS FOR ORDERS OF EXCHANGE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.
50	{ Apaira te Whena	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4C 5A 3.
	{ Mukaki te Whena	Otautu 15C.
51	{ Parakipane Kingi	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 4A 2 and 1A 3B.
	{ Thomas Bevan	" 4B 1C 1.
52	{ Hakauhemo Toka	" 4A 2, 1A 3B, and 4B 2B.
	{ Thomas Bevan	" 4B 1C 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor.
53	Tamihana Ruihi	Manawatu-Kukutauaki ..	Eru Ruihi, Ringi Ruihi, Hunia Ruihi, and Belgium Ruihi.
54	Haare Heta (Guy and Rapley)	Te Whaiti	Heni Hare.
55	" "	Maratania	Heni Haare Heta.
56	" "	Tawhiuau	"

APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF NEW TRUSTEES.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Name of Minor	Name of Trustee.
57	Nina Heta (G. H. Harper)	Wairewa (Te Kata)	Apera Heta	The Public Trustee.
58	" "	Waitarere 2A	"	"
59	" "	Waopukatea 1A East 1 and 2	"	"

APPLICATION FOR ADOPTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Names of Parents.	Name of Adopted Child.
60	Riakiao Wharepa	Paku Kingi and Weera Kingi ..	Kataraina Kingi.

APPLICATIONS FOR PROBATE.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
61	Arapata Noki (A. J. Knocks)	Mohi te Tawharu.
62	Keapa Hihira (Cooper, Rapley, and Rutherford)	Tamara Hihira.
63	Tuiti McDonald	Teoti te Hou.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Deceased.
64	Hoani Kuiti (for Mamata Hukiki)	Te Angaanga Hukiki.
65	Tihi Otirangi	Hanita Hinare.
66	N. Winiata	Nonuriki te Hiwi.
67	Marie te Hiwi	Pitiera Hoani Taipua.
68	Ma Renata	Rangi Renata (Kawheua or Goff).
69	Kupa Piwai (Hare Piwari)	Ria Horomona or Rana (Hana) te Horo.

APPLICATIONS FOR ROADS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
70	Areta Mihaka and another	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 1, 5	Applying for an order to have a road laid off over the said land so as to give access to Tangimate (Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 1, 5).
71	Ariki Apiata	Ngakaroro 2A 3	Applying for an order to have a road laid off over the said land so as to give access to Ngakaroro 3B 7B 2B.

APPLICATION FOR INJUNCTION.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Nature of Application.
72	Haana Hukiki (G. H. Harper)	Prohibiting Mamati Hukiki from dealing with or doing any injury to the cattle, horses, furniture, and chattels of Hohepa Hukiki, deceased, in which he had any interest.

MISCELLANEOUS APPLICATIONS.

No.	Name of Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
73	Tapita Ranapira and another ..	Manawatu - Kukutauaki 4E/1A (1-2)	Applying to amend the partition order made in respect of the said block.
74	Nina Heta (G. H. Harper) ..	Manawatu-Kukutauaki 7D 2D	Applying for an order authorizing the Public Trustee to pay her certain moneys.
75	Raniera Erihana	Ngarara West A 14B ..	Application under section 232 of the Native Land Act, 1909.
76	Te Rira Matenga Moroati (Rere Nicholson)	..	Applying to the Court to set aside a portion of the estate of Matenga Moroati, deceased, for her support.
77	Ereni Makere (T. W. Lewis) ..	Puketotara 334/335/9B 1 and other lands	Applying to the Court to make final the succession orders made in pursuance of the will of Rewanui Apatari, deceased.
78	Kapo Pango	Waitarere 7A ..	Applying to amend the succession order made in respect of the interest of Pango Akuhata, deceased, in the said block.
79	Kipa Roera	Muhunoa 3/1E 1/12F ..	Applying for a rehearing of an application for readjustment of shares.
80	Haana Hukiki (G. H. Harper) ..	Ohau 3 and others ..	Applying to the Court to set aside a portion of the estate of Hohepa Hukiki, deceased, for her support.
81	Tuiti McDonald	Puketotara 334/335 6B, Puketotara 334/335 10, and Makirikiri 9	Applying to the Court to cancel the succession orders made on the 12th of November, 1919, to the interests of Mohi Rangimauriora or Heremaia Mohi, deceased, in the said blocks.

Notice of Adoption under Part IX of the Native Land Act, 1909.

Tokerau Native Land Court Office, Auckland, 10th May, 1920.

IT is hereby notified that the order as set out in the Schedule hereunder has been made by the Native Land Court, under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909.

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ADOPTING parents: Henare Rapana and Taku Paratene. Adopted child: Ema Green.

MAORI LAND ADMINISTRATION NOTICES.

Meeting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board.

Auckland, 3rd May, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that a sitting of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board will be held at Te Kuiti on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1920, 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	10350	Lease ..	1 February, 1919 ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua 57A 2K 2	Kio Rangiahua and others to George H. Metcalfe.
2	10363	.. ..	11 July, 1919 ..	Kinohaku East 5D 2B ..	Hemera te Uru and others to Robert Livingstone.
3	10538	Sale ..	.. ..	.. 1F 29B 2A	Herewini Karena and others to James Tatham.
4	10646	.. ..	30 October, 1919 ..	Rangitoto A 6/2D 1 ..	Ihipera te Kono and another to Claude E. Scott.
5	10654	.. ..	.. ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua 29C 2H 2F	Te Makawe Rauipi to Albert Edwin Trott.
6	10658	.. ..	6 November, 1919	.. 79B 1B..	Rakaupai te Akau and others to Parehuia Kiwi.
7	10659	.. ..	.. ..	Karuotewhenua B 2B 5B	Pote Pehira and others to N. A. Robieson and another.
8	10665	.. ..	.. ..	Rangitoto-Tuhua 67C ..	Hiriwetere Kereti to Lily A. C. Deverill.

APPLICATIONS FOR CONFIRMATION OF ALIENATIONS—*continued.*

No.	Record No.	Nature of Alienation.	Date.	Name of Land.	Names of Parties.
<i>ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS—continued.</i>					
9	10700	Sale	29 October, 1919	Kaingapipi No. 7	Te Mata Wiki Rangiopenui and others to Lionel Le G. Jacob.
10	10709	"	10 December, 1919	Rangitoto-Tuhua 61c 3	Rangiwhitia te Kaharoa to Frank H. Seccombe.
11	10711	"	"	Te Kuiti 2B 13A	Parehuia Tawhana to James Tatham.
12	10719	"	11 October, 1919	Karuotewhenua B 5c 2B	Kino te Ahiwaka and others to James Henry Johnston and another.
13	10725	"	"	" B 2B 3	Te Kihi Ngatua and others to Albert Edward Robinson.
14	10730	"	17 December, 1919	" B 1D	Kone Pairama and others to Francis Henry Hooper.
15	10731	"	17 " 1919	" B 1A	Kone Pairama to Francis Henry Hooper.
16	10782	"	"	Rangitoto-Tuhua 77D 3B 2	Te Kahu Waikohika and others to Rose Julian.
17	10784	"	"	Pehitawa 2B 1B	Ngaharau te Mura and others to Charles James Kirk.
18	10785	"	"	Karuotewhenua B 2B 7	Te Waitere Karena to Norman Arnold Robinson and another.
19	10786	"	"	Pukenui 1B 5B 1	Te Rahinga Matehaere to Frederick Arthur Smith.
20	10797	"	15 September, 1919	Kakepuku 1H 2C 3	Hana Amohia and others to Frank Potts.
21	10809	"	"	Rangitoto-Tuhua 77E 3C 2	Whare Time to Frederick H. Sims.
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS.</i>					
22	10832	Sale	29 January, 1920	Rangitoto-Tuhua 26F 2D, Section 1	Watikena Herewini and others to Henry Thomas Andrews.
23	10833	"	30 " 1920	Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4D 2D 5A	Rangitahi Putangaroa to Robert Were.
24	10838	"	22 May, 1919	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 19	Ruruhi Puihi and another to George Panton Finlay.
25	10844	"	29 November, 1919	Kinohaku West T 2F 2A	Hone Merehira to Alfred Haylock.
26	10877	"	16 February 1920	Rangitoto-Tuhua 35G 2C (part)	Ngatua Kopere and others to William Robert Franke.
27	10879	Lease of quarrying rights	20 December, 1919	Kinohaku East No. 2, Section 24E	Hira Kereama and others to William Lorigan.
28	10909	Transfer of lease	17 November, 1919	Hauturu East 1E 5C 2A 2B 2B (part)	Te One Haereiti to Leslie James Thompson.
29	10939	Transfer	"	Pukeroa-Hangatiki 4C 3B 1 (part)	Te Riri Moerua to John Hutton Waugh.
30	10943	Lease	"	Te Kuiti 2B No. 7	Hiriwetere Kereti to Gabriel Elliott.
31	10954	Sale	15 March, 1920	Karuotewhenua B 2B 5A	Kino Whakairi and others to Alfred Newcombe.
32	10964	"	22 " 1920	Lot 10, of Block I, Waimiha Township	Wahanga Takuiria to Edwin Martin Edkins.
33	10974	"	"	Mangaawakino 8A 2B	Neke Meremana to James Tatham.
34	10980	"	13 April, 1920	Lot 11, Block I, Waimiha Township	Hohepa Petera to Edwin Martin Edkins.
35	10989	Lease	"	Kinohaku East 4B No. 1	Putiputi Tuhoro to Alexander Knox.
36	11006	Sale	"	Rangitoto-Tuhua 74B 6E 4	Natives to Blanche Stewart Runciman.
37	11007	"	10 December, 1919	Rangitoto-Tuhua 61c, Section 3	Rangiwhitia te Kaharoa to Frank Holden Seccombe.
38	11008	"	4 November, 1919	Wharepuhunga No. 11B	Ngainihi Wharengaro to George Orme Bayley.
39	11009	"	6 February, 1920	Kakepuku 2C 5C, Section 1	Tahiopipiri te Moerua to Charles Stewart Alexander.
40	11010	"	6 " 1920	" 2C 5C 2	Kupe Maringi to Charles Stewart Alexander.
41	11011	Lease	23 " 1920	Kaipihia No. 10B	Nete Tana to Tema Jones.
41A	10852	Sale	"	Rangitoto-Tuhua 35G 2C	Ngatana Kopere and others to John Coombe.

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.
<i>NEW APPLICATIONS.</i>			
42	11012	Kakepuku No. 1B	That the said land be sold to Harry Fear for the sum of £9 10s. per acre.
42A	11014	Maungatautari 4G 2	That the said land be sold to Cecil McDavitt for the amount of the Government valuation.

APPLICATION UNDER SECTION 23 OF THE NATIVE TOWNSHIPS ACT, 1910.

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Nature of Proposed Alienation.
NEW APPLICATION.			
43	10998	Section 16, Block XIX, Te Kuiti ..	Hone Taonui Ruihi and others to Arthur Charles Johnson.

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

No.	Record No.	Name of Land.	Resolution.
ADJOURNED APPLICATIONS.			
44	10128	Pikiatua	That the land be sold to Colin John Riddle for the sum of £7 per acre.
45	10445	Karuotewhenua 1c 4B	That portion of the land, containing 40 acres, be sold to George Fellingham for the sum of £3 per acre.
46	10446	" " 1c 4B	That the residue of the block be sold to A. J. Delamore for the sum of £3 per acre.
NEW APPLICATION.			
47	10199	Kinobaku East 3d 10A	That the land be sold to Riria Maaka and Piko Hariata for the sum of £5 per acre.

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

REGULATION No. 52.

THE Maori Land Board for the Tokerau Maori Land District hereby notifies that a meeting of the owners of Motatau 1c 9 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Kaikohe on Monday, the 31st day of May, 1920, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the agreement, dated 25th June, 1912, between the Native owners of Motatau No. 1 Block and the Kauri Timber Company (Limited) respecting rights for cutting timber and other relative rights, be varied in so far as it affects Motatau 1c 9, so that the date of expiry shall be the 25th June, 1921. The Kauri Timber Company (Limited), in consideration of such variation of the terms of the agreement, making a cash payment to the owners as may be agreed."

Dated at Auckland this 3rd day of May, 1920.

A. G. HOLLAND,
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 A No. 20 will be held, in pursuance of Part XVIII of the Native Land Act, 1909, at Levin on Thursday, the 3rd day of June, 1920, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of considering the following proposed resolution:—

"That the land be sold to the Crown for the sum of £854."

Dated at Auckland this 4th day of May, 1920.

C. E. MACCORMICK,
President.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims. Promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends.

Adamson, P. L., of Katikati, Farmer: First and final dividend of 11s. in the pound.

Aniline Chemical Dye Company (Limited), of Auckland: First and final dividend of 20s. in the pound.

Duncan, J. A., of Taumarunui, Carrier: First and final dividend of 3s. 8d. in the pound.

Dunn, R. D., of Alfriston, Farmer: Second and final dividend of 10s. in the pound (making a dividend of 20s.).

Hill, W. R., of Auckland, Grain and Produce Merchant: First and final dividend of 5s. 11d. in the pound.

Mate, Ban, of Auckland, Gum-dealer: First and final dividend of 5½d. in the pound.

Oliver, John, of Mahoenui, Farmer: First and final dividend of 8d. in the pound.

Richardson, James (deceased), late of Te Awamutu, Farmer: Second and final dividend of 7s. 6d. in the pound (making a total dividend of 20s.).

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 7th May, 1920.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD WILLIAMS, of Gisborne, Saddler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 20th day of May, 1920, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

7th May, 1920.

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

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 Tuesday, the 25th day of May, 1920, I intend to apply for an order releasing me from the administration of the said estates.

Dated this 8th day of May, 1920.

Littlewood, Henry William Bucknell, Carrier, Ohakune.

Sargeant, Edgar Munro, Farmer, Fordell.

Tucker, Albert Edward, Butcher, Wanganui.

Tucker, William, Butcher, Wanganui.

Tucker Brothers, Butchers, Wanganui.

Serpell, Samuel Llewellyn, Medical Practitioner, Mangawe.

Taylor, Joseph Henry, Grocer, Wanganui.

Heald, Ralph, Sash and Door Manufacturer, Ohakune.

Kniveton, Will Patrick, Accountant, Ohakune.

Gestro, Herbert, Baker, Marton.

Jennings, Ellen Lucy, Widow, Wanganui.

Barnes, Charles Alexander, Clerk, Wanganui.

Hutchens, Mrs. Mary, Married Woman, Wanganui.

Henderson, Richard Churchill, Freezing-works Employee, Wanganui.

Lee, William John, Painter, Hunterville.

Te Peehi te Opotini, Aboriginal Native, Raetihi.

Peachey, Arthur James, Land Agent, Wanganui.

Karipa Tarawhiti, Aboriginal Native, Parewanui, H.B.

Papi Nikora, Aboriginal Native, Parewanui, H.B.

Peart, Alexander, Engineer, Rangataua.

Wilmshurst, Albert Charles, Gas Stoker, Wanganui.

Macaulay, John, Butcher, Wanganui.

Rennie, Jack, Labourer, Turakina.

Nepia Tauri, Aboriginal Native, Wanganui.

Vincent, J. and J., Carriers, Waitotara.

Campbell, Francis Roland, Labourer, Ohutu.

Emanuel, Reginald Alfred, Tailor, Wanganui.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE JACK, of Pokako, Ohakune, Sawmiller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1920, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

10th May, 1920.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID GIBSON COULTER, of Masterton, Engine-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 11th day of May, 1920, at 10 o'clock a.m.

23rd April, 1920.

ARTHUR D. LOW,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN THOMAS KIDSTON, of Riccarton, Grocer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Provincial Council Buildings, on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1920, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

8th May, 1920.

A. W. EAMES,
Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 7th June, 1920.

6476. ALEXANDER NOBLE.—Lot 10 of Grahamsfern Estate, being portion of Old Land Claim No. 169, situated in the Maungaru Survey District, containing 131 acres 2 roods 23 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 13068.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1920, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 14th June, 1920.

5968. THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND CITIZENS OF THE CITY OF AUCKLAND.—Allotment 47 and part Allotments 45, 46, and 54, Parish of Waitakeri, containing together 253 acres 3 roods 4 perches. Occupied by P. W. Browne. Plan 10267.

6014. ADAM GALL and GEORGE McCAULEY.—Part Allotment 435, Parish of Whangamarino, containing 42 acres 3 roods. Occupied by applicants. Plan 8992.

6352. THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.—Lots 10 and 11 of Allotment 1, Parish of Okaihau, containing 2 roods 10.9 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 11291.

6411. WALTER VERNON ATKINSON.—Waitaraire Block, situated in Block X, Kawakawa Survey District, containing 124 acres 2 roods 12 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 12344.

6450. ELIZABETH JANE MAUNDER.—Allotment 2, Section 13, Town of Raglan, containing 2 roods 17.1 perches, fronting Main Street. Occupied by applicant. Plan 12797.

6469. WILLIAM SHERRAT DUNCAN.—Part Allotment 15, Parish of Waiwera, containing 59 acres 3 roods 20 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 13002.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1920, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

THOS. HALL,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged

forbidding the same on the expiration of one calendar month from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Application 4924 (plan W.D./2864). WILLIAM JOHN POLSON and ALFRED ERNEST WILSON.—58 acres 2 roods. Manawakoara No. 3 (93N) Block, Ikitara Survey District. Occupied by applicants.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1920, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

W. WYINKS,
District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 286, folio 3, for Lot 2, deposit plan 3465, parts Rural Sections 1209, 1226, Block X, Christchurch Survey District, and certificates of title, Vol. 286, folio 4, for Lot 3 on the said deposited plan, part Rural Section 1226, Block X, Christchurch Survey District, and Vol. 286, folio 5, for Lot 4 on said deposited plan, part Rural Section 1226, Block X, Christchurch Survey District, whereof HENRY WILLIAM KITCHINGHAM, of Greymouth, Solicitor, is the registered proprietor; and also of the loss of Memoranda of Mortgage 88722, 88723, and 88724, affecting the above lands respectively, and of Memorandum of Mortgage 88725, of the said mortgages; and application having been made to me for the issue of provisional certificates of title for the said land: I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificates of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch, this 11th day of May, 1920.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

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

12634. JOHN TEMPLETON.—24 acres 3 roods 9 perches, Rural Section 1392, Block XIV, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by the Canterbury (New Zealand) Aviation Company (Limited).

12674. EMMA CHILDS.—1 rood 8 perches, Lots 10, 11, and 12, Block B, part of Rural Section 257, Holly Road, City of Christchurch. Occupied by E. S. P. Neate and a weekly tenant.

12684. JAMES MORRISON.—1 acre 2 roods 20 perches, Lots 11 to 16, Hills Road, plan 4152, part of Rural Section 54, Block XV, Christchurch Survey District. Unoccupied.

12685. WILLIAM CUDWORTH.—55 acres 3 roods 14 perches, parts of Rural Sections 277 and 4660, Block VI, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by N. E. Buchley.

12686. EMILY JOHNSTONE.—39.6 perches, Lot 55, plan 2740, Slater Street, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1920, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

C. E. NALDER,
District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 14th June, 1920.

STEPHEN VEITCH.—Parts of Sections 4 and 5, Block XII, Town of Dunedin (Russell Street). Occupied by applicant. No. 5334.

ISAAC McFARLANE, JAMES WRIGHT PATTON, and WILLIAM FLEMING.—Part of Section 35, Block XXVII, Town of Dunedin (Leith Street Congregational Church Site). Occupied by applicants. No. 5342.

REV. SAMUEL TARRATT NEVILL.—Parts of Sections 5, 6, and 7, Block V, Lower Kaikorai District, and parts of Sections 121 and 122, Wakari District. Unoccupied. No. 5343.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1920, at the Land Registry Office, Dunedin.

A. V. STURTEVANT,
District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (3).

TAKE notice that the names of the undermentioned companies will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies will be dissolved:—

The Ewart Scheelite Syndicate (Limited).
The Pahia Sluicing Company (Limited).
The Phoenix Oil Company (Limited).
Smith and Barrett (Limited).

Given under my hand, at Christchurch, this 6th day of May, 1920.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

WARKWORTH TOWN BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £650 (six hundred and fifty pounds), authorized to be raised by the Warkworth Town Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of installing a drainage scheme for draining certain public buildings and residences, &c., situate in Percy, Alnwick, Neville, Queen, and Wharf Streets in the Warkworth Town District, and obtaining a water-supply for the before-mentioned scheme, the said Warkworth Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-seventh of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Warkworth Town District, comprising the whole of the Town District of Warkworth; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully off.

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A. J. S. WARIN, Chairman.
C. L. GRANGE, Clerk.

CHANGE OF NAME.

I, PERCY JAMES SLATER, heretofore called and known by the surname of Schluter, do hereby give public notice that on the 16th day of April, 1920, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished, and abandoned the use of the surname of Schluter, and then assumed and determined thenceforth in all deeds, records, documents, and proceedings, in all dealings, transactions, matters, and things, and upon all other occasions whatsoever, to use and subscribe the surname of SLATER, so that I might at all times thereafter be called, known, and designated by the said surname of SLATER, and so that my wife Olga Cecilia and my heirs and issue lawfully begotten might at all times thereafter be called, known, and designated by the said surname of SLATER; and I give further notice that by a deed-poll bearing date the 16th day of April, 1920, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the office of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at the City of Wellington on the 20th day of April, 1920, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished, and abandoned the said surname of Schluter, and assumed, determined, and intended thenceforth to use and subscribe the surname of SLATER.

Dated at Wellington this 5th day of May, 1920.

PERCY JAMES SLATER.
(Late PERCY JAMES SCHLUTER.)

Witness—G. H. Malis Moir, Solicitor, Wellington. 442

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

VICKERS, NEW ZEALAND (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the registered office of the above company is situate at Vickers House, Woodward Street, Wellington.

MAJOR SAMUEL BLACKLEY, Attorney.

Bell, Gully, Myers, and O'Leary,
Solicitors, Wellington. 443

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between ALFRED CHARLES MARETT, of Napier, Land Agent, and HAROLD CLAUDE FOX, of Napier,

carrying on business there as Land Agents, Commission Agents, and Totalisator Proprietors, under the style or firm-name of "Marett and Fox," has been dissolved by mutual agreement as from the first day of January, 1920.

The business of a Totalisator Proprietor will in future be carried on by the said HAROLD CLAUDE FOX under the style of "Marrett and Fox."

Dated the 6th day of May, 1920.

A. C. MARETT.

Witness to the signature of Alfred Charles Marett—
J. Humphries, Solicitor, Napier.

H. CLAUDE FOX.

Witness to the signature of Harold Claude Fox—W. G. Wood, Solicitor, Napier. 444

SHERWOOD COAL-MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, Dispensary Building, corner of Princes Street and Moray Place, Dunedin, on the 24th day of March, 1920, the following special resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 14th day of April, 1920, the following resolution was duly confirmed, namely:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that WILLIAM EDWIN CHARLES REID, of Dunedin, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

Dated the 29th April, 1920.

A. E. USHERWOOD, Chairman.

Witness—W. S. Dryden. 445

THE Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, ALEXANDER ARTHUR and SINCLAIR ARTHUR, both of Lawrence, Otago, New Zealand, Grocers, trading as "Arthur Bros.," has this day been mutually dissolved. The business will in future be carried on by ALEXANDER ARTHUR under the style of "Arthur Bros.," and he will pay all debts due by the late firm and also collect all moneys due to the late firm.

Dated at Lawrence this 1st day of April, 1920.

ALEX. ARTHUR.
SINCLAIR ARTHUR.

Witness to both signatures—Stewart Fletcher, Solicitor, Lawrence. 446

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND,
NORTHERN DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of "ADVERTISERS (LIMITED)," a private company duly incorporated, formerly having its registered office at 25 Mining Chambers in the City of Auckland, but now having no registered office, and carrying on business as an advertising agent, a Debtor, *ex parte* GRAND THEATRE COMPANY (LIMITED), a Creditor.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court at Auckland was on the 1st day of March, 1920, presented to Mr. Justice Sim, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by the Grand Theatre Company, whose registered offices are at Princess Building, Queen Street, Auckland, a Creditor of the above-named company. And the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court on the 27th day of May, 1920; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing, by himself or his counsel, for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be presented to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

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MORPETH, GOULD, AND WILSON,
Solicitors for Petitioner.

GEORGE FOWLDS (LIMITED).

In the matter of section 223 of the Companies Act, 1908.

IT is resolved that it is desirable to reorganize the company by separating the business of the company now being carried on at Auckland (hereinafter referred to as "the Auckland business") from the business now being carried on at Wellington (hereinafter called "the Wellington business"),

and for such purpose to form two separate companies, one of which shall take over and carry on the Auckland business and the other of which shall take over and carry on the Wellington business, and that in order to effectuate such purpose the company be wound up voluntarily; and that CHARLES HUDSON, of Auckland, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1920.

GEO. FOWLDS, Managing Director.
G. M. FOWLDS, Secretary.
A. A. FOWLDS. M. C. FOWLDS.
M. C. BAILEY. J. F. FOWLDS.
D. J. FOWLDS. W. F. FOWLDS.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between WILLIAM HENRY ANDERSON, FREDERICK HARDINGE ANDERSON, JOHN COSSILL, and HILLYARD OLSEN, carrying on a timber-cutting business at Waitomo, Tangiteroria, has been dissolved by mutual consent by the retirement of the said HILLYARD OLSEN as from the 1st day of November, 1919.

The business will in future be carried on by the said WILLIAM HENRY ANDERSON, FREDERICK HARDINGE ANDERSON, and JOHN COSSILL, who will pay and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1920.

WILLIAM HENRY ANDERSON.
FREDERICK HARDINGE ANDERSON.
JOHN COSSILL.
H. OLSEN.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between ROY GEORGE PITCAITHLEY PATON and GEORGE FREDERICK VERE, under the style or firm of "Vere, Paton, and Co.," High Street, Auckland, Auctioneers, Furnishers, Land Agents, and Valuers, has been dissolved as from the seventeenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, by the retirement of the said GEORGE FREDERICK VERE. All amounts due to the late firm will be payable to, and all liabilities of the late firm discharged by, the said ROY GEORGE PITCAITHLEY PATON, who will carry on the business of the late firm.

Dated at Auckland this 17th day of April, 1920.

GEO. F. VERE.
ROY G. P. PATON.

Witness to both signatures—Arch. Peak, Solicitor, Auckland.

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NOTICE UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Education Board of the District of Auckland intends to erect a Technical School, and to take under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, for the purpose of a Technical School within the meaning of the Education Act, 1914, the following land, namely:—

All that piece of land containing one acre two roods, more or less, being part Section Ten of Dent's Estate, which said parcel of land is part of Allotment One of the Parish of Whangarei.

A plan of the said land, edged red, is deposited at the post-office at Whangarei, and is there open for inspection by all persons at all reasonable hours.

All persons affected are hereby required and called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the erection of a Technical School or to the taking of such lands, and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Education Board of the District of Auckland at its office, Williamson's Chambers, in Shortland Street, in the City of Auckland.

Dated at Auckland this 21st day of April, 1920.

E. C. PURDIE,
Secretary of the Education Board of the
District of Auckland.

NOTE.—This notice was first published on the 22nd day of April, 1920, in the *Auckland Star*.

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NEW ZEALAND AND RIVER PLATE LAND MORTGAGE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after the 7th inst. the registered office of the company will be No. 60 Shortland Street, Auckland.

H. W. HOPKINS } Attorneys.
T. F. WALLACE }

6th May, 1920.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us in the City of Auckland, in the trade or business of Fruiterers, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 31st day of January, 1920.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1920.

LALA MAKAN.
DAHYA PREMA.

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LOWE'S (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

IN accordance with section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, notice is hereby given that a meeting of shareholders in the above company will be held at the office of McCulloch and Butler, Queen Street, Hastings, at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1920, for the purpose of laying before shareholders an account showing the manner of the winding-up of the company and the disposal of the company's assets.

W. McCULLOCH,
Liquidator.

Dated at Hastings this 23rd day of April, 1920.

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RAETIHI TOWN BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Raetihi Town Board Electric Light and Power Plant Loan of £3,500, 1920, authorized to be raised by the Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of the duplication and extension of the electric light and power plant belonging to the Board, the said Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and three farthings in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Raetihi Town Board District; 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 September in each year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

THOMAS A. HARRIS, Chairman.
A. J. PARKES, Clerk.

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THAMES BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE FOR REPAYMENT OF A LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Thames Borough Council Special Loan of £14,000, 1920, authorized to be raised by the Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of refunding to the District Fund Account the amount expended for the carrying-out of works and repairs necessitated by flood damage, and to provide the amount required and to do such further work as may be necessary to remedy and repair such flood damage, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five farthings in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Thames; 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 one-half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

ERNEST N. MILLER, Mayor.
A. CHAPMAN, Town Clerk.

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NEW CREWE GOLD-DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.—NOTICE OF FINAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of members of the above-named company will be held in the company's registered office, Tarbert Street, Alexandra, on

Tuesday, the 25th day of May, 1920, at 7.30 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property disposed of, also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated at Alexandra this 4th day of May, 1920.

457

C. E. RICHARDS, Liquidator.

FEATHERSTON COUNTY COUNCIL.

RUAKOKOPATUNA AND BLUE ROCK BRIDGES LOAN, £2,000.—
RESOLUTION LEVYING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect to interest and principal, and also other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Featherston County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the construction of bridges over the Ruakokopatuna and Blue Rock Streams, together with approaches and road formation adjacent thereto, the said Featherston County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven-fifteenths (7/15ths) of a penny in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable properties within the Ruakokopatuna Special Rating District, comprising all that area within the Otarāia and Awhea Ridings of the Featherston County commencing at the northernmost corner of Section 6, Block I, Waipawa Survey District; thence westerly and south-westerly along the said Section 6 and Section 4 to the westernmost corner of the said Section 4; thence south-easterly along that section to the Blue Rock Road; thence along that road to its junction with the Blue Rock Stream; thence in a southerly direction along that stream to the southern boundary of Section 7, Block VIII, Haurangi Survey District; thence in an easterly direction along the southern boundary of Section 7 to Taylor's Road; thence north-easterly along that road to the south-westernmost corner of that portion of Section 8 lying within the original boundary of the Otarāia Riding; thence south-easterly along such original boundary of the Otarāia Riding to the Ruakokopatuna Stream; thence in a southerly direction along that stream to the southernmost corner of Section 8, Block VIII, Haurangi Survey District; thence along the south-western boundary of the said Section 8 to its westernmost corner; thence south-westerly along the north-western boundary of Sections 8 and 3, Haurangi Settlement, to the westernmost corner of the said Section 3, Block XI, Haurangi Survey District; thence south-easterly along the said Section 3 to its southernmost point; thence in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of the said Section 3 to the southernmost corner of Section 7, Haurangi Settlement; thence easterly and again north-easterly along the said Section 7 and Section 6, Haurangi Settlement, Block XII, Haurangi Survey District, to the Makara River; thence north-easterly and northerly along that river to the north-easternmost corner of Section 178, Block V, Waipawa Survey District; thence north-westerly along the northern boundary of the said Section 178 to a point about halfway along the southern boundary of Section 166; thence northerly from that point to the junction of the Blue Rock and Ruakokopatuna Streams; thence along the Blue Rock Stream to the south-eastern boundary of Section 6, Block I, Waipawa Survey District; thence north-easterly and again northerly along the said Section 6 to the place of commencement.

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

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GEO. W. COBB, County Clerk.

PIAKO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—SHAFTESBURY DRAINAGE AREA LOAN, £60 (10 PER CENT. ADDITIONAL).

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

That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of sixty pounds (£60), authorized to be raised by the Piako County Council, under the above-men-

tioned Act, for the purpose of drainage-works in the Shaftesbury Drainage Area, the said Piako County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate (on a graduated scale according to the classification list of lands within the said district) of one halfpenny in the pound on the unimproved rateable value of all lands in Class "A," of three-eighths of a penny in the pound on the unimproved rateable value of all lands in Class "B," and of one farthing in the pound on the unimproved rateable value of all lands in Class "C," all of which classes and the lands therein, together with their rateable values as appearing on the special roll of the district, are set out in the classification list marked "A" of the Shaftesbury Special Drainage District, the boundaries of which are as follows:—

All that area of land in the Te Aroha Riding of the Piako County commencing at the north-west corner of Section 44, Block XII, Aroha S.D. (at the Waihou River), along the northern boundary of the said Section 44 to the Te Aroha-Gordon Road, along such road southerly to the Wairakau Creek Bridge; thence by a right line from the said bridge easterly to the south-west corner of Section W. 53, Block III, Wairere S.D.; thence southerly along the road through Section 19, Block III, Wairere S.D., to the southern boundary of said Section 19, easterly along the southern boundary of this section to Section 20A, Block III, Wairere S.D.; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Sections N. 17, S. 17, 13, 12, and 7 of said Block III; thence westerly along the southern boundaries of Sections 7 and 3 to the Te Aroha-Gordon Road, along the Te Aroha-Gordon Road northerly to the south-east corner of Section 29, Block II, Wairere S.D.; thence westerly along the southern boundary of said Section 29 to the Waihou River, which along in a northerly direction to the point of commencement.

Such rates shall be annually recurring rates during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

J. B. THOMAS, Chairman
NEVILL J. RAY, Clerk.

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THAMES COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of twenty thousand pounds (£20,000), authorized to be raised by the Thames County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of constructing a bridge across the Waihou River at Puriri, with a toll-gate thereon, the Thames County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of twopence halfpenny (2½d.) in the pound on the unimproved value of all rateable property within the Puriri Bridge Special Rating Area, comprising all that area bounded as follows:—

Commencing at the north-western corner of the Hapurukau Block; thence easterly along the boundaries of the aforesaid Hapurukau Block and the Okewa Block 5416 to the centre of a road reserve; thence northerly along the centre-line of the aforesaid road reserve to the centre-line of the Thames to Hikutaia Road; thence south-easterly along the centre-line of the aforesaid Thames to Hikutaia Road to a point in line with the north-western boundary of Lot 6, Marshall's Farm; thence north-easterly and easterly along the east and north boundaries generally of the aforesaid Section 6, Marshall's Farm, Takaimikau 5229A, Ahitunga 4749, Okakaru 3041, Ruapekepeka 2907B, Timber Reserve 600 acres, Pakirarahi No. 2A, and Pakirarahi No. 2B; thence south-easterly along the north-eastern boundary of the aforesaid Pakirarahi No. 2B Block to Quartz (Oneura) Creek; thence westerly by the aforesaid Quartz (Oneura) Creek to the main dividing range between Tairua and Thames; thence southerly by the aforesaid dividing range to the intersection with the centre-line of the main Omahu Creek; thence westerly by the centre-line of the aforesaid Omahu Creek to the centre-line of the Waihou River; thence along the said Waihou River to the boundary of the Thames and Ohinemuri Counties; thence along the said Ohinemuri County boundary to the Kopuarahi-Kerepehi Road; thence along the said Kopuarahi-Kerepehi Road; thence in a north-westerly direction along the centre-line of the aforesaid Kopuarahi-Kerepehi Road to a point in line with the southern boundary of Section 11, Block 2, Waihou Survey District; thence in an easterly direction along the southern boundary of the aforesaid Section 11, Block 2, Waihou Survey District, and the southern boundaries of Sections 6 and

7, also of Block 2, Waihou Survey District, to the south-western boundary of the Turua Estate; thence along the south-western boundaries of Sections 25, 23, 21, Turua Estate; thence in an easterly direction along the north-western boundaries of the aforesaid Section 21, Turua Estate, and of Section 22, also of Turua Estate, to the left bank of the Waihou River; thence to a point in the centre of the Waihou River in line with the portion of the north-western boundary of Section 22, Turua Estate, adjacent to the Waihou River; thence along the centre of the Waihou River to a point opposite the south-western boundary of Hapurukau Block; and thence from the aforesaid point and along the aforesaid south-western boundary of the Hapurukau Block to the point of commencement.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half ($36\frac{1}{2}$) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

JAMES McCORMICK, Chairman.
H. T. G. McELROY, Clerk.

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PACIFIC MOTOR COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the final meeting of the Pacific Motor Company (Limited), in Liquidation, will be held at the office of E. Ancombe, Princes Street, Dunedin, on Wednesday, 9th June, 1920, at 9.30 a.m.

BUSINESS.—Adoption of final accounts, disposal of books, &c.

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H. McILRAITH, Liquidator.

WAIPA DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

ELECTION OF TRUSTEES.

NOMINATIONS having been received from the five undermentioned candidates for election as Trustees for the five vacancies on the Waipa Drainage District, I hereby declare the said persons to be duly elected:—

FARMER, Mary Ann.
HENDERSON, Matthew.
LURMAN, Herbert Arthur.
TOMLINS, Thomas.
WALKER, James John.

Dated the 24th day of April, 1920.

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FRED. PHILLIPS,
Returning Officer, Otorohanga.

In the matter of the WELLINGTON, HAVELOCK, AND MOTUEKA STEAMSHIP COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of members of the above company will be held at the registered office of the company, Featherston Street, Wellington, on the 28th day of May, 1920, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator.

Dated at Wellington this 12th day of May, 1920.

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G. T. MASON, Liquidator.

WOODVILLE COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £400, authorized to be raised by the Woodville County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, and sanctioned by a poll of ratepayers, for purchasing a cottage for use by the county Surfaceman, the said Woodville County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{2}{61}$ sts of 1d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Kumeroa Riding, comprising the whole of the Kumeroa Riding, on the basis of the unimproved value; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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J. M. GRAHAM, County Clerk.

BOROUGH OF TE AWAMUTU.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £500, authorized to be raised by the Te Awamutu Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of completing the formation and for metalling a portion of Alexandra Street, the said Te Awamutu Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{32}$ nd (one thirty-second) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Te Awamutu; 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 August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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L. G. ARMSTRONG, Mayor.
DUDLEY BOCKETT, Town Clerk.

PAKURANGA ROAD DISTRICT.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000 (one thousand pounds), authorized to be raised by the Pakuranga Road Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of purchasing or constructing and erecting within the said district a hall and building for holding meetings, and for the use of the Board's officers and for transacting public business relating to the district, together with the purchase of the necessary land or site therefor, the said Pakuranga Road Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-fifth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the whole of the Pakuranga Road District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period not exceeding $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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ALEX. BELL, Clerk.

RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £2,500.—WORKERS' DWELLINGS.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £2,500, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of erecting workers' dwellings for occupation by workers employed or resident within the County of Rangitikei, and the cost of raising the loan to be paid out of the loan, the said Rangitikei County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one one-hundred-and-eightieth of a penny ($\frac{1}{180}$ d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property within the County of Rangitikei, exclusive of the Town District of Lethbridge; 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 May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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BEN. P. LETHBRIDGE, Chairman.
HAROLD H. RICHARDSON, County Clerk.

PUKEKOHE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE AS SECURITY FOR A SPECIAL LOAN OF £84,000.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £84,000, authorized to be raised by the

Pukekohe Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for making roads and footpaths, purchase of roadmaking machinery, quarry and quarry plant, and purchase of motor fire-reel and other fire-brigade equipment, erection and furnishing of town hall and municipal buildings, and purchase of site for same, erection of swimming-bath, extension of borough waterworks, alterations to and extension of borough electrical system, installation of sewage drainage system, and first year's interest and sinking fund, the said Pukekohe Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of threepence three farthings in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Pukekohe; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly upon the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of ten years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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J. F. DEANE, Town Clerk.

PARENGA GUMFIELDS (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of Parenga Gumfields (Limited) duly convened and held at No. 108 Victoria Arcade, Queen Street, Auckland, on 13th February, 1920, the subjoined resolution was duly passed; and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said company duly convened and held at the same place on 5th March, 1920, the subjoined resolution was duly confirmed, viz.:-

"That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908; and that Mr. HENRY GILFILLAN, of Auckland, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

H. GILFILLAN, Liquidator.

Auckland, 1st May, 1920.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, DUDLEY WILLIAM CARMALT JONES, M.D. (Oxon.), F.R.C.P. (Lond.), M.R.C.S. (Eng.), now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 6th June, 1920, next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

D. W. CARMALT JONES,
School of Medicine, King Street, Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin 7th May, 1920.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of RECKITTS (OVERSEA) LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that Reckitts (Oversea) Limited, a company incorporated in the United Kingdom in succession to a prior company of the same name, proposes to carry on business in New Zealand at No. 8 Victoria Street in the City of Wellington.

GEORGE GORE,
Attorney of the said Company.

(By its Solicitors,

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BELL, GULLY, MYERS, AND O'LEARY.)

BOROUGH OF LOWER HUTT.

RESULT OF POLL.

THE following is the result of the poll taken at Lower Hutt on the 11th May, 1920, on the proposal that henceforth the system of rating property on the basis of the unimproved value thereof be adopted and applied to hospital and charitable aid rates leviable in the Lower Hutt Borough: In favour of the proposal, 83 votes; against the proposal, 6 votes.

As a majority of the votes cast is in favour of the proposal, I hereby declare the proposal carried.

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E. P. RISHWORTH, Mayor.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between ALEXANDER HARVEY and DAVID ROSS HARVEY, and known as "A. and D. Harvey," Farmers, Mayfield, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

All moneys due to the late Partnership will be received by DAVID ROSS HARVEY, Mayfield, and all debts paid by him.

Dated this 6th day of May, 1920.

A. HARVEY.

D. R. HARVEY.

Witness—J. W. Bowden,
Public Accountant, Ashburton.

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