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Union of Boroughs of City of Christchurch and Spreydon.

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

WHEREAS the respective Councils of the City of Christchurch and of the Borough of Spreydon, by petitions under the respective common seals of the Corporations of such city and borough, as provided by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, have prayed the Governor-General that such city and borough (forming one continuous area) be constituted one united borough:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, do hereby proclaim that the said City of Christchurch and the said Borough of Spreydon are hereby constituted one united borough, and also that the said borough so constituted is a city by the name of the City of Christchurch, and also that the boundaries of the said city so constituted and named shall be those set forth in the Schedule hereto.

And I do also proclaim that the said borough shall be an undivided borough, and that the number of Councillors to be elected to the Council thereof shall be sixteen, exclusive of the Mayor.

And I do hereby appoint Henry Rawe Smith (the Town Clerk to the existing City of Christchurch) to be the Town Clerk temporarily of the said united borough; and I do hereby appoint Henry Rawe Smith (the Returning Officer to the said existing city) to be the Returning Officer temporarily to the said united borough.

And I do also proclaim and declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF CHRISTCHURCH.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded by a line along the south-eastern side of Norman's Road from the northernmost corner of Rural Section 242 to and across Papanui Road, and along the north-eastern side of that road to May's Road; thence along the south-eastern side of May's Road to Rutland Street, and along the south-western side of Rutland Street to a point in line with the south-eastern side of McFadden's Road; thence across Rutland Street, and along the southern side of McFadden's Road to and across Innes Road, and along the south-eastern side of that road to Rural Section 345A; thence along the south-western boundaries of Rural Sections 345A and 2795 to Shirley's Road; thence along the south-western side of Shirley's Road to its

junction with Hill's Road; thence easterly along the middle of Shirley's Road to Marshland Road, and along the middle of that road to Bank's Avenue; thence along the middle of Bank's Avenue and Dudley Creek Road to a point opposite the confluence of Dudley Creek and the River Avon; thence across that river and along its right bank to the western side of Kerr's Road, and along the western side of that road and of New Brighton Road to Buckley's Road; thence along the north-western side of Buckley's Road, across Linwood Avenue, and along the south-eastern side of Aldwin's Road to the north-eastern boundary of Subdivision 50 of Rural Section 99; thence by the north-eastern boundary of that subdivision to its northernmost corner; thence by the north-eastern boundary of Lot 13, D.P. 546, to its northernmost corner; thence by the south-eastern boundary of Aldwin's Road as existing before the purchase of the Woolston Footpaths to the northernmost corner of Subdivision 99 of Rural Section 99, D.P. 198; thence by the north-western boundary of Subdivision 50 aforesaid to Ferry Road; thence across that road to the north-eastern boundary of Subdivision 1 of Rural Section 89, D.P. 16; thence by the north-eastern boundary of the last-mentioned subdivision to its northernmost corner; thence by the south-eastern boundary of Ensor's Road as existing before the purchase of Woolston Footpaths to Christchurch-Lyttelton Railway Reserve; thence along the north-eastern side of that reserve to the Heathcote River, and along the left bank of that river to a point opposite the watercourse from Hill's Road near Heathcote Street; thence across the Heathcote River and along the said watercourse to Hill's Road, along the northern side of Hill's Road to and along the eastern side of St. Martin's Road to a point opposite the northern side of Burnbrae Street; thence to and along the northern side of that stream to the Tennyson Street Bridge; thence across the Heathcote River and along its left bank to Lincoln Road; thence along the south-eastern side of Lincoln Road and the western side of Antigua Street to and across the River Avon; thence along the western side of Rolleston Avenue and the left bank of the River Avon to Rossall Street; thence along the north-eastern side of Rossall Street to the road forming part of the south-eastern boundary of Rural Section 133, along the north-western side of that road to the Wairarapa Stream, and along the left bank of that stream to Rural Section 242; and thence along the north-eastern boundary of that section to its northernmost corner, the place of commencement.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of March, 1921.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
 Minister of Internal Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Setting apart Lands in Nelson Land District for Leasing as Small Grazing-runs under the Land Act, 1908.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by section two hundred and eight of the Land Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the run mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of sections two hundred and eight to two hundred and twenty-two of Part V of the Land Act, 1908, relating to small grazing-runs.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—MURCHISON COUNTY.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

RUN 13, Section 10, Block VI, Howard Survey District: Area, 1,163 acres.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 11th day of March, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Public School in Block XI, Otanake Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a public school, and shall vest in the Education Board of the District of Auckland as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 8 acres. Portion of Kinohaku E 4s No 1, Block XI, Otanake Survey District. (S.O. 21326.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50768, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Public School in Block XIII, Waitemata Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a public school, and shall vest in the Education Board of the District of Auckland as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 4 acres. Portion of Section 114, Parish of Waipareira, Block XIII, Waitemata Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21299.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50962, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Post-office in Block IX, Waoku Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a post-office; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 2 roods 15 perches.

Being Section 92, originally part Section 21, Block IX, Waoku Survey District. (S.O. 21017.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 49974, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks IV and V, Ahipara Survey District, Mangonui County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Ahipara Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 4 acres 1 rood 34 perches.

Portion of Allotment 18; coloured pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 4 acres 0 roods 27 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Allotment 18; coloured green.

All situated in Ahipara Parish, Blocks IV and V, Ahipara Survey District. (S.O. 21059.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50592, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VI, Wakapuaka Survey District, Suburban North Road District, Waimea County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Wakapuaka Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2·4 perches.

Portion of Section 31, Suburban North, Block VI, Wakapuaka Survey District (Nelson R.D.). (S.O. 2734.)

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50615, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Blocks X and XI, Totoro Survey District, Waitomo County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Totoro Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
2	0	20	Section 1, Block XI; coloured purple.
4	3	22	Aorangi B No. 3B, Block X; coloured pink.

Situated in Totoro Survey District (Taranaki R.D.). (S.O. 80/12.)

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50886, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as stopped the Government road described in the Schedule hereto, such road being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped:—

A.	R.	P.	
1	2	5	Adjoining or passing through Sections 1 and 2 3) 30 (C.L.).
1	1	10	
0	2	3	

Situated in Block XI, Kaeo Survey District. (S.O. 20899.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 49157, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block IV, Maramarua Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 acres 0 roods 32 perches.

Portion of Allotment 4 (as shown on D.P. 7129), Maramarua Parish, Block IV, Maramarua Survey District. (S.O. 21024.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51038, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Directing that the District Valuation Rolls for certain Districts shall be revised as at the 31st day of March, 1921, under the Valuation of Land Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

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, do hereby order and direct that the district valuation rolls for the districts enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be revised by the Valuer-General as at the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

SCHEDULE.

CAMBRIDGE Borough.
Te Aroha Borough.
Rotorua Borough.
Morrinsville Town District.
Manurewa Town District.
Tuakau Town District.
Coromandel County.
Waiuku, Drury, Mauku, Pukekohe West, Pukekohe East, and Karaka Ridings of Franklin County.
Otane Town District.
Tahunanui Town District.
Maungatua Riding of Taieri County.
Clydevale Riding of Clutha County.

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

Additional Regulation under the Arms Act, 1920.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section twenty-six of the Arms Act, 1920, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following additional regulation for the purposes of the said Act; and doth declare that the said regulation shall take effect on the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATION.

THE Controller-General of Prisons may authorize any officers of the Prisons Department, in the execution of their duties, to carry and have in their possession firearms belonging to the Crown (except unlawful weapons), and ammunition required for the same.

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

Amending Regulations under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

By adding the following new clause after clause 24 :—

"24A. In every mortgage hereafter given as security for advances made for the purchase or erection of a dwelling under Part II of these regulations the following provisions shall apply :—

"The mortgagor of such dwelling shall reside continuously therein so long as any portion of the moneys secured by the mortgage remain unpaid. Non-residence, or the sub-letting of such dwelling, by the mortgagor without the written consent of the Board being first had and obtained shall be deemed to be a breach of covenant, whereupon the mortgagee may call up and compel payment of all principal, interest, and other moneys for the time being owing under the security, notwithstanding that the time or times appointed for the payment thereof respectively may not have arrived."

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

Amending Regulations relating to the Election of a Member of the Land Board under the Land Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-one of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto, the regulations under the said Act made on the seventh day of February,

one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and gazetted on the thirteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen.

SCHEDULE.

PARAGRAPH (b) of clause 6 of the said regulations is hereby amended by omitting therefrom the words "five o'clock" and substituting the words "four o'clock."

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

Bringing certain Provisions of the Mining Act into Force within certain Parts of New Zealand.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two of the Mining Amendment Act, 1911, it is provided that the Governor, by Order in Council, may from time to time declare that any of the provisions of the Mining Act, 1908, shall apply to prospecting and mining for and the storage of petroleum and other mineral oils and of natural gas, and also define the districts within which any such Order in Council shall take effect :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said section two, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the provisions of the Mining Act, 1908, and its amendments, set out in the First Schedule hereto, shall apply to prospecting and mining for and the storage of petroleum and other mineral oils and of natural gas within the district described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

THE Mining Act, 1908 : Part II, section 11, subsection (a) ; Part IV, Sections 76 to 85, both inclusive, and section 165 ; Part V, Sections 261 to 263 and 265 to 276, both inclusive. Mining Amendment Act, 1910 : Section 15. Mining Amendment Act, 1914 : Sections 13, 24, and 31. Mining Amendment Act, 1919 : Section 10. Mining Amendment Act, 1920 : Sections 5 and 12. Regulations under Mining Act, 1908 : Nos. 1, 33, 91, 102, 147 to 150 (both inclusive).

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District contained in the Survey Districts of Matakitaiki, Burnett, and Rahu.

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

Consenting to the Raising of a Loan of £7,000 by the Waimairi County Council.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made, under section twenty, subsection one, of the Finance Act, 1919, for the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the Waimairi County Council to borrow the sum of seven thousand pounds for the purpose of electric-light extension, and it is expedient that such consent 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 loan of seven thousand pounds by the Waimairi County Council at a rate of interest not exceeding five and one-half 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 loan hereby authorized.

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

Consenting to the Raising of a Loan of £5,000 by the Timaru Borough Council.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made, under section twenty, subsection one, of the Finance Act, 1919, for the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the Timaru Borough Council to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds for electric power and light purposes, and it is expedient that such consent 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 loan of five thousand pounds by the Timaru Borough Council at a rate of interest not exceeding five and one-half 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 loan hereby authorized.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made, under section twenty, subsection one, of the Finance Act, 1919, for the precedent 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 it is expedient that such consent 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-half 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.

AWATERE County Council (for erecting bridge over Awatere River)	£ 4,000
Awakino County Council (for acquiring the Marakopa Wharf)	45
Cambridge Borough Council (for purchase of workers' dwellings)	800
Dargaville Borough Council (for extension of gas-mains)	100
Inglewood County Council (for grading and metalling)	550
Matamata County Council (for erecting workers' dwellings)	3,000
Wairoa County Council (for metalling Ruakituri Valley Road)	5,500

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made under section twenty, subsection one, of the Finance Act, 1919, for the precedent 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 it is expedient that such consent 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-half 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.

TAIHAPE Borough Council (for road-making plant, water-gravitation, water-supply and sewerage, electric light)	£ 65,000
Whangarei High School Board (for purchase of a new site)	2,000
Taranaki County Council (for forming and metalling Cross Road)	500
Taranaki County Council (for forming and metalling Plymouth-Koru Road)	500
Taranaki County Council (for forming and metalling Saunders Road)	500
Taranaki County Council (for forming and metalling Tate Road)	400
Taranaki County Council (for forming and metalling Hempton Road)	150
Clutha County Council (for purchasing a workers' dwelling)	480

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest to be paid by the Christchurch City Council in respect of the Balance (£7,600) of a Loan of £16,000 for the Purpose of purchasing a Property to be used for Municipal Purposes.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section thirty-three of the Finance Act, 1920, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act or is thereafter authorized to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, at a specified rate of interest, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such part thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest as may be prescribed by the Governor-General in Council :

And whereas the Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of sixteen thousand pounds at five and one-quarter per centum, and seven thousand six hundred pounds has not been borrowed : And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section thirty-three, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be increased to five and a half per centum :

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 prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Christchurch City Council in respect of the seven thousand six hundred pounds not borrowed shall be five and a half per centum, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of seven thousand six hundred pounds at the rate of interest prescribed.

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

Declaring that the Provisions of Section 109 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to a certain Block of Native Land.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor-General may by Order in Council

at any time declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to any block, section, or subdivision of land comprised in leases granted or confirmed under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881, and the amendments thereof:

And whereas it is expedient that the provisions of section one hundred and nine aforesaid shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, for the purchase of which the Crown desires to negotiate:

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 twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

NGATTAMARONGO No. 19, being Section 69, Block IX, Opuake Survey District: Area, 80 acres.

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

Declaring that the Provisions of Section 109 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to a certain Block of Native Land.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor-General may by Order in Council at any time declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to any block, section, or subdivision of land comprised in leases granted or confirmed under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881, and the amendments thereof:

And whereas it is expedient that the provisions of section one hundred and nine aforesaid shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, for the purchase of which the Crown desires to negotiate:

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 twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ARAUKUKU C, being Section 13, Block XIV, Ngaire Survey District: Area, 135 acres.

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

Declaring that the Provisions of Section 109 of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to a certain Block of Native Land.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor-General may by Order in Council at any time declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to any block, section, or subdivision of land comprised in leases granted or confirmed under the West Coast Settlement Reserves Act, 1881, and the amendments thereof:

And whereas it is expedient that the provisions of section one hundred and nine aforesaid shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, for the purchase of which the Crown desires to negotiate:

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 twenty-three of the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the provisions of section one hundred and nine of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, shall apply to the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

URUAPPEKA Block, being Section 9, Block III, and Section 15, Block VIII, Wairoa Survey District: Area, 113 acres 2 roods.

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

Declaring Portion of Kohuratahi Road, in the Whangamomona County, to be a County Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

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 Kohuratahi Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Whangamomona County, commencing at the boundary between Sections 1 and 2, Block XVI, Pouatu Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through the said Section 2, and terminating at a point about sixty chains south of the point of commencement. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51061, 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.

Declaring Portion of Marco Road, in the Whangamomona County to be a County Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Taranaki Land District, Whangamomona County, known as Marco Road, commencing at a point marked 3 miles 17 chains on the southern boundary of Section 1, Block IX, Pouatu Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly and northerly direction, adjoining or passing through the said Section 1, and terminating at a point marked 4 miles 47 chains on the south-western boundary of the said Section 1, Block IX, Pouatu Survey District; being a distance of 1 mile 30 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51058, 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.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Hillsborough Square Domain.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains 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 MOUNT ROSKILL ROAD BOARD

to be the Hillsborough Square Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Tuesday, the twenty-ninth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, at half past seven o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Road Board Office, Mount Roskill, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

HILLSBOROUGH SQUARE DOMAIN.—NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

LOTS 9, 18, and 26 of Section 13 of subdivisions into lots of Allotment 8 of Section 13, Parish of Waitemata: Area, 4 acres 1 rood 32 perches.

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

Declaring Portion of Road in Block I, Mahoe Survey District to be a Government Road.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

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 by section one hundred and three of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1920, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a Government road

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared to be a Government road: 2 roods 17 perches.

Portion of Prospect Road, Whangamomona Township, situated in Block I, Mahoe Survey District (Taranaki R.D.). (S.O. 5676.)

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51020, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Electric Lines Regulations.—Telephone Exchanges.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the second day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and gazetted on the twelfth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, a regulation was made under the authority of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), prescribing the condition under which certain telephone-exchange connections are granted:

And whereas it is desirable to amend such regulation in the manner hereinafter set forth:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulation in the Schedule to the above-recited Order in Council, and in lieu thereof doth make the regulation set forth in the Schedule hereto; and doth order that the regulation hereby made shall have effect from the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

5B. A TELEPHONE-EXCHANGE connection with a street stand used by owners of vehicles plying for hire will be made only on the application and at the charge of the local body controlling the street, the owners of the vehicles making their own arrangements with the local body for the right to use the telephone. Only one telephone connection or (where more than one telephone is necessary) one group of telephone connections will be permitted with each stand, and each such connection will be entered in the telephone directory by stating the situation of the stand and the class of vehicle using it.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

License authorizing Edward Russell Dymock to use Water from Husband's Creek for the Purpose of generating Electricity, and to erect Electric Lines across a Public Road at Fern Flat.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, and 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 Edward Russell Dymock, of Wellington, Accountant (hereinafter, with his executors, administrators, and assigns, referred to as "the licensee")—subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto and to the regulations dated the twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution therefor (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the regulations"), and which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein—a license to take and use from Husband's Creek, in the Land District of Nelson (hereinafter referred to as the "said creek"), for the purposes hereinafter set forth, a stream of water (hereinafter referred to as "the said water") not exceeding four cubic feet per second at any one time; and also to erect and maintain electric lines for power, lighting, heating, or other uses along the route described in the Schedule hereto.

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 Buller 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 Buller River at or near the power-house.

3. LOCATION OF HEADWORKS.

The said water shall be taken from the said creek at the headworks, situated in Block XVI, Lyell Survey District, Murchison County, at a point indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50424, deposited in the office of the Minister at Wellington, in the Land 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. 50424 hereinbefore referred to.

- (a.) Headworks consisting of a dam and necessary intake.
 (b.) Race leading from such dam to the power-house herein-after 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.

5. ROUTE OF ELECTRIC LINES AUTHORIZED.

All that route commencing at the power-house situated in Section 4, Block XVI, Lyell Survey District, on the right bank of the Buller River, and proceeding thence across a public road to the house and outbuildings on the said Section 4, as shown by means of a green line on the plan marked P.W.D. 50424 hereinbefore referred to.

6. 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.

7. 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.

8. 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.

9. 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.

10. 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, 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.

11. 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 watt-meter to be installed by the licensee at the power-house mentioned in clause 4 (c) hereof; payment to be made yearly on the 31st day of March of each year, commencing from the date the electrical power is first supplied.

For the purposes of this clause "maximum output" means twice the number of units generated in the half-hour during which the output is the maximum for the year. The said period shall be recorded at the end of each half-hour, commencing from noon on each day.

12. 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 creek, 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 headworks and tail-water, or the volume of the water which the licensee is by this license authorized to take from the said creek.

13. 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.

14. VARIATION IN CONDITIONS OF LICENSE.

The terms and conditions of this license may at any time or from time to time, at the request or with the consent in writing of the licensee, be altered by the Governor-General by Order in Council.

15. 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 or compensation, vest in and become the property of the Crown.

16. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraph (a) (1) of clause 3 of the regulations.

The generating voltage shall be approximately 250 volts between the terminals.

17. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

For the purposes of calculating stresses as provided in clause 15 of the regulations, the datum temperature shall be taken as 20 degrees Fahrenheit.

18. EXTENSIONS.

Notwithstanding anything contained in the regulations incorporated herein, no extensions or lines other than those along the route hereinbefore described shall be deemed to be authorized by this license.

19. BED OF CREEK NOT LEASED.

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

20. 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.

21. REQUIREMENTS OF MURCHISON COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the licensee shall not be entitled to erect, maintain, or use any electric lines within the Murchison County 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 Murchison County Council.

F. D. THOMSON,
 Clerk of the Executive Council

License authorizing Wairakei Limited to use Water from the Waikato River for the Purpose of generating Electricity and to erect Electric Lines at Wairakei.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, and 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 Wairakei Limited (hereinafter, with its successors and assigns, referred to as "the licensee")—subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto and to the regulations dated the twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-fifth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the regulations"), and which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein—a license to take and use from the Waikato River, in the Land District of Auckland (hereinafter referred to as the "said river"), for the purposes hereinafter set forth, a stream of water (hereinafter referred to as "the said water") not exceeding twenty cubic feet per second at any one time; and also to erect and maintain electric lines for power, lighting, heating, or other uses as described in the Schedule hereto.

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 about 10 chains above the Huka Falls, in Block XIV, Tatura Survey District, East Taupo County, at a point indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50205, deposited in the office of the Minister at Wellington, in the Land 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. 50205 hereinbefore referred to:—

- (a.) Headworks consisting of a dam and necessary intake.
 (b.) Fluming, 200 yards in length, 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 or other lines over the route shown by means of a green-line on the said plan.

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, 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 watt-meter to be installed by the licensee at the power-house mentioned in clause 4 (c) hereof; payment to be made yearly on the 31st day of March of each year, commencing from the date the electrical power is first supplied.

For the purposes of this clause "maximum output" means twice the number of units generated in the half-hour during which the output is the maximum for the year. The said period shall be recorded at the end of each half-hour, commencing from noon on each day.

11. 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 headworks and tail-water, or the volume of the water which the licensee is by this license authorized to take from the said river.

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12. 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.

13. VARIATION IN CONDITIONS OF LICENSE.

The terms and conditions of this license may at any time or from time to time, at the request or with the consent in writing of the licensee, be altered by the Governor-General by Order in Council.

14. 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 or compensation, vest in and become the property of the Crown.

15. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

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

The generating voltage shall be approximately 440 volts between the terminals.

16. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

For the purposes of calculating stresses as provided in clause 15 of the regulations, the datum temperature shall be taken as 20 degrees Fahrenheit.

17. EXTENSIONS.

Notwithstanding anything contained in the regulations incorporated herein, no extensions or lines other than those along the route hereinbefore described shall be deemed to be authorized by this license.

18. 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.

19. 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.

20. TIME FOR SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF WORKS.

The licensee shall substantially complete the works hereby authorized within a period of one year 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, lockouts, breakdowns, or other unavoidable causes not due to any neglect by the licensee.

21. REVOCATION.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the Governor-General may by Order in Council revoke this license, without payment of compensation, at any time after giving the licensee two years' notice in writing of the intention so to revoke this license.

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

Portions of Smith Road, in the Taranaki County, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in any-wise 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 approve of the following resolution passed by the Taranaki County Council on the fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—viz., "That the Taranaki County Council, having control of that portion of the road called Smith's Road running from the boundary of the Borough of New Plymouth to the old Avenue Road, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act,

1908, shall not apply to the said portion of the road"; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of the portion of Smith Road described in the Schedule hereto within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Smith Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Taranaki County, situated between the boundary of the Borough of New Plymouth and the old Avenue Road. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 49986, 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.

Portions of Kawai and Hampden Streets, in the City of Nelson, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in any-wise 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 approve of the following resolution passed by the Nelson City Council on the twenty-first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—viz., "That the Nelson City Council, being the local authority having control of Kawai Street and Hampden Street in the City of Nelson respectively, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the portion of Kawai Street from Alfred Street to North Esk Street and the portion of Hampden Street from Kawai Street to Waimea Road"; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of the portions of Kawai and Hampden Streets described in the Schedule hereto within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portions of streets.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Kawai Street, in the Nelson Land District, City of Nelson, situated between Alfred Street and North Esk Street.

Also all that portion of Hampden Street, in the said land district and city, situated between Kawai Street and Waimea Road.

As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50807, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured burnt sienna.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest to be paid by the Waimairi County Council in respect of a Loan of £10,850 for the Purpose of renewing an Existing Loan.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section thirty-three of the Finance Act, 1920, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, at a specified rate of interest, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such part thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest as may be prescribed by the Governor-General in Council;

And, whereas the Waimairi County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of ten thousand eight hundred and fifty pounds at five and a half per centum, but has been unable to obtain the money at this rate:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section thirty-three, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be increased to five and three-quarters per centum:

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 prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Waimairi County Council in respect of the loan of ten thousand eight hundred and fifty pounds shall be five and three-quarters per centum, and the said Waimairi County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of ten thousand eight hundred and fifty pounds at the rate of interest prescribed.

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

Regulations as to the Grading of Fruit-trees for Sale from Nurseries.—Notice No. 2058.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Orchard and Garden Diseases Act, 1908, as amended by the Orchard and Garden Diseases Amendment Act, 1914, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulations relating to the grading of fruit-trees made by Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and gazetted on the twenty-first day of the same month and year, and in lieu thereof doth make the following regulations; and doth hereby declare that this Order in Council shall come into force on the date of the publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

- IN these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context,—
 - "Diameter" means the diameter of a fruit-tree measured two inches above the union;
 - "Fruit-tree" means any variety of apple, pear, apricot, peach, or nectarine tree;
 - "Nursery" means any land which is used for the raising or growing of any fruit-trees, if such fruit-trees or any of them are intended for sale for replanting;
 - "Sale" or "sell" includes barter, and also includes offering or attempting to sell or exposing for sale, or sending or delivering for sale, or causing or allowing to be sold, offered, or exposed for sale.
- (1.) On every sale of fruit-trees from a nursery, whether direct or through an agent, there shall be issued, by or on behalf of the occupier of such nursery to the purchaser or intending purchaser, a statement of the grade of such fruit-trees determined as hereinafter set out.
 - Such statement as to grade may be set out in the invoice, or on a tag or label attached to the fruit-trees, or in some other suitable manner.
- The grading of fruit-trees from a nursery shall be done by or on behalf of the occupier of such nursery prior to the sale of such fruit-trees.
- The following are the standards by which the grade of apple or pear trees shall be determined:—
 - "A (or Commercial) Grade" shall consist of trees the diameter of which is not less than $\frac{7}{16}$ ths of an inch nor more than $\frac{10}{16}$ ths of an inch:

Provided that trees which are more than $\frac{10}{16}$ ths of an inch in diameter may be included in this grade if such trees are not more than one year from the bud or graft:

Provided further that in the case of the following varieties of pear-trees—viz., Winter Nelis, P. Barry, Marie Louise, and Josephine de Malines—trees may be included in this grade the diameter of which is not less than $\frac{6}{16}$ ths of an inch.
 - "B (or Nursery) Grade" shall, subject to the last preceding proviso, consist of trees the diameter of which is less than $\frac{7}{16}$ ths of an inch.
 - "C (or Special) Grade" shall, subject to the first proviso in the case of A Grade, consist of trees the diameter of which is more than $\frac{10}{16}$ ths of an inch.

(2.) Apple or pear trees of all grades shall be well rooted, and if branched shall be of fair shape and shall have not less than three branches averaging 18 in. in length.

5. The following are the standards by which the grade of apricot, peach, and nectarine trees shall be determined:—

(1.) "A Grade" shall consist of trees the diameter of which is not less than 8/16ths of an inch.

"Under Grade" shall consist of trees the diameter of which is less than 8/16ths of an inch.

(2.) Apricot, peach, and nectarine trees of A Grade shall be well rooted and branched and of fair shape.

6. In the grading of fruit-trees there shall be allowed a margin of error, provided that in any one consignment of fruit-trees forwarded from a nursery to a purchaser the margin of error shall not exceed 5 per cent. by number; and provided further that where the error relates to the diameter of the trees no greater margin than 1/16th of an inch shall be allowed.

7. If any purchaser of fruit-trees from a nursery is dissatisfied as to the grading of such trees he may make complaint to an Inspector, but such complaint must be made within fourteen days of the receipt of such trees by the purchaser.

8. Every occupier of a nursery who—

(a.) Sells any ungraded fruit-trees from such nursery; or

(b.) Sells any fruit-trees from such nursery without issuing to the purchaser a statement of the grade assigned to them; or

(c.) Sells any fruit-trees from such nursery which are incorrectly graded—

commits an offence against these regulations, and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding £20.

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

Naval Board constituted under the Naval Defence Act, 1913.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section twenty-five of the Naval Defence Act, 1913, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, hereby make the following regulations to come into operation forthwith.

REGULATIONS.

1. A NAVAL Board shall be hereby constituted in and for the Dominion of New Zealand.

2. The Naval Board shall be composed of the Minister of Defence (President) and the following members:—

The Commodore commanding New Zealand Station.
(1st Naval Member.)

The Chief Staff Officer as a temporary member until such time as the Commodore commanding vacates the command of the "Chatham," or other ship relieving "Chatham."

The Secretary to the Commodore commanding shall be appointed as Secretary to the Board.

3. The Naval Board shall be charged with the control of all matters relating to the Naval Forces, upon the policy directed by the Minister, and shall have executive command of the Naval Forces. The Governor-General may delegate to the Naval Board the functions, and commission it to execute the office, of Commander-in-Chief of the Naval Forces.

4. Except as prescribed, the members of the Naval Board shall act as a whole. The orders of the Board shall be issued over the signature of the Secretary or such other official as the Board may authorize to act for him.

5. The Naval Board shall meet weekly, or as may be directed by the Minister, or, in his absence, by the Senior Naval Member of the Board present. Two members of the Board shall constitute a quorum.

6. All decisions of the Board which involve a matter of policy, or important principle, an increased vote, or any new expenditure shall be submitted for Cabinet approval.

7. A representative of the Treasury shall be charged with the duty of keeping account of expenditure with a view to ensuring that it is kept within the estimates.

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

Authorizing the Thames Valley Electric-power Board to construct Electric Works.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by section forty-nine of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, as amended by section seventeen of the Electric-power Boards Amendment Act, 1920, 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 Thames Valley Electric-power Board to erect and/or purchase electric or other works, electric lines and substations, for the generation, transmission, distribution, and use of electrical energy in the Thames Valley Electric-power District as defined by Proclamation dated the eighteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 1, of the eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and generally to perform the functions of an Electric-power Board constituted in accordance with the provisions of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, and its amendments, subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS.

1. No electric lines shall be used for the distribution of electrical energy until the Board has obtained a license for that purpose in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911.

2. Any conditions inserted in such license shall be strictly complied with by the Board.

3. The Board shall, before the works authorized are commenced, forward for the approval of the Minister of Public Works—

(a.) Plans showing the routes of the electric lines proposed to be erected, and particulars of insulation and voltage;

(b.) Such further plans and particulars as the Minister of Public Works may require.

4. The Board shall not, without the consent in writing of the Minister of Public Works, erect any electric lines along the routes of the Government Main Trunk transmission-lines from Arapuni.

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

Declaring Portion of Moki Road, in the Clifton County, to be a County Road.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Taranaki Land District, Clifton County, known as Moki Road, commencing at a point 36.10 chains south of its junction with May Road, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections 6 and 9 and railway reserve, Block III, Upper Waitara Survey District, and terminating at its junction with Rerekino Road; being a distance of 42.70 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51062, 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.

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ROTOITI SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.	
	A.	R. P.
ROTOITI 3K	319	1 20
.. 3M	998	1 4
.. 3N	778	0 21
.. 3T	586	1 11
.. 6 and 7c (part)	1,729	2 0

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

Revoking Order in Council licensing Alexander Dugald Clemett and Richard Theophilus Wrathall to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Merita Bay, North Auckland, as a Site for a Wharf.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 136, of the tenth day of the same month, Alexander Dugald Clemett and Richard Theophilus Wrathall were licensed to use and occupy part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Merita Bay, North Auckland, as a site for a wharf, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4957, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington :

And whereas the licensees have made application to have the said license revoked, and it is desirable to revoke the same :

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 Harbours Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council dated the eighth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred.

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

Declaring Portion of Old Kohuratahi Road, in the Whangamomona County, to be a County Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

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 Old Kohuratahi Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Whangamomona County, commencing at its junction with the Kohuratahi Road, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction, adjoining or passing through Section 14 and Section 1 (E.R.), Block XV, Pouatu Survey District, and terminating at a point on the eastern boundary of the said Section 14; being a distance of eighteen chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51123, 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.

License authorizing the Kowai County Council to erect Electric Lines within the Kowai County and the Amberley Town District.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by 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—subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, and to the regulations made under section two of the aforesaid Act and dated the twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-fifth day of the same month, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof (and hereinafter collectively referred to as “the regulations”), and which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein—hereby authorize the Kowai County Council (hereinafter referred to as “the licensee”) to erect and maintain electric lines for lighting, power, and heating purposes within the area of supply hereinafter described, such electric lines at present proposed to be erected being indicated by means of yellow and green lines on the plan marked P.W.D. 50556, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

SCHEDULE.

1. AREA OF SUPPLY.

THE area of supply comprises the Kowai County and the Amberley Town District as at present constituted, as indicated by a distinctive border coloured yellow on the plan marked P.W.D. 50556, hereinbefore referred to.

2. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraphs (c) and (e) of clause 3 of the regulations. The electrical energy shall be obtained from the Lake Coleridge supply at a pressure of 11,000 volts delivered at Sefton Substation.

3. DATUM TEMPERATURE.

For the purpose of calculating the stresses as provided in clause 15 of the regulations, the datum temperature shall be taken as 20 degrees Fahrenheit.

4. CHARGES FOR ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

The charge for electrical energy shall not exceed 9d. per unit for lighting purposes, and 4d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes; provided that “lighting purposes” shall include the operation of motor-generators for lighting purposes.

5. 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, 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.

6. VARIATION IN CONDITIONS OF LICENSE.

The terms and conditions of this license may at any time or from time to time, at the request or with the consent in

writing of the licensee, be altered by the Governor-General by Order in Council.

7. REQUIREMENTS OF AMBERLEY TOWN BOARD.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the licensee shall not be entitled to erect, maintain, or use any electric lines within the Amberley Town District 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 Amberley Town Board.

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

Licensing Frances May Staples to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Paremata, Porirua Harbour, as a Site for a Boat-shed.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Frances May Staples, of Paremata (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 Paremata, Porirua Harbour, in order to erect and maintain a boat-shed thereon, and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 5293) showing the area of foreshore intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the said boat-shed :

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 licensee 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 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 boat-shed is to be erected, as shown on the said plan so deposited as aforesaid, 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 the part of the foreshore necessary for the erection of the said boat-shed, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 5293.

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 an annual sum of £2, payable in advance, dating from the date hereof, the first of such 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 boat-shed without payment.

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

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said boat-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 boat-shed, requiring her, within a reasonable time to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, she 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 of this Order in Council, 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 boat-shed may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on her part.

11. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinafter set forth, or any of them ;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said boat-shed for a period of thirty days ;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner 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 any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council, without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever ; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

12. The erection of the said boat-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 John George Wemyss Dalrymple to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Momorangi Bay, Queen Charlotte Sound, as a Site for Residential Purposes.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington this 14th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, John George Wemyss Dalrymple, of Wellington (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 Momorangi Bay, Queen Charlotte Sound, for residential purposes ; and in accordance with the one-hundred-and-fiftieth section of the said Act, has deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 5280) showing the place where it is intended to use the area of foreshore to be occupied for such purpose :

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

And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee 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 be-

half, 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 by 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, which is particularly shown and delineated on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose aforesaid, 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 as shown on plans M.D. 5280.

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

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

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 site without payment.

6. 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.

7. In case the licensee shall—

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

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceedings 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 rights and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

8. The occupation of the site shall be deemed to be an acceptance by the licensee of the conditions of this Order in Council.

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

AMENDING RULES OF THE HIGH COURT OF WESTERN SAMOA.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority to make laws for the peace, order, and good government of the Territory of Western Samoa conferred upon him by the Western Samoa Order in Council, 1920, made by His Majesty on the eleventh day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty, under the Foreign Jurisdiction Act, 1890, doth hereby amend the Rules of the High Court of Western Samoa, 1920, in the manner hereinafter set forth; and doth hereby declare that the amendment hereby made shall come into force in the Territory of Western Samoa on the ninth day of March, nineteen hundred and twenty-one.

REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations shall be read with and form part of the Rules of the High Court of Western Samoa, 1920.

2. Rule 46 is hereby amended by adding at the beginning thereof the words "Save when the Court is exercising jurisdiction as the Native Land and Titles Commission."

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

Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £1,250, proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Clifton.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Clifton County 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 two hundred and fifty pounds for the purpose of metalling portions of the Onaero and Mataro Roads :

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

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

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

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Manaia Town Board.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart as a site for an athenæum :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to vest the said reserves in the Manaia 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 the fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserves described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Manaia Town Board, in trust, as a site for an athenæum.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 19, Block XI, Manaia Township: Area, 1 rood.

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

Regulations for Virginian-deer Shooting, Lakes District.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing the Virginian-deer-shooting season in Rees Valley, Upper Wakatipu, being part of the Lakes District Acclimatization District, and the conditions affecting the same, and also the form of license and the fee payable therefor.

REGULATIONS.

1. VIRGINIAN deer (bucks only) may be taken or killed in Rees Valley, Upper Wakatipu, being part of the Lakes District Acclimatization District, from the 1st day of April, 1921, to the 21st day of May, 1921, both days inclusive.

2. Licenses to take or kill such deer may be issued by the Postmaster at Queenstown on payment of a license fee of £2 2s., in the form prescribed in the Schedule hereto, and subject to the said Act and these regulations. The number of such licenses shall not exceed three, provided that not more than one such license shall be issued to the same person.

3. No licensee shall take or kill more than two bucks.

4. No hind or fawn shall be taken or killed on any pretext whatever, and no licensee shall allow any dog to accompany either himself or any attendant he may have with him.

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

6. Any person committing a breach of any of these regulations shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding £20.

SCHEDULE.

No.
License to take or kill Game (Virginian Deer).

, of , having this day paid the sum of £2 2s., is hereby authorized to take or kill two Virginian deer (bucks), in Rees Valley, Upper Wakatipu, being part of the Lakes District Acclimatization District, from the day of , 1921, to the day of , 1921 (both days inclusive), subject to the provisions of the Animals Protection Act, 1908, and all regulations thereunder in force within the said district.

Dated at this day of , 1921.

Chief Postmaster.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 15th day of March, 1921.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Declaring Land in the Auckland Land District to be subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section seventy-nine of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the area of Crown lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be subject to the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and shall hereafter form part of the Tainui Settlement.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District being part of Hoctainui North No. 6B No. 2J Section 1 Block, Blocks IV and VIII, Hapuakohe Survey District, containing by admeasurement 6 acres 3 roods 38 perches, more or less. Bounded towards the north by Section 3s, Tainui Settlement, 1599-9 links; towards the east by a public road, 880-3 links; and towards the south-west by Hoctainui North No. 6B No. 2J Section 1 Block, 1730-4 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on Auckland plan No. 8986, and thereon edged red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 9th day of March, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in the Borough of Geraldine, Canterbury Land District.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a site for a fire-brigade station, being a reserve within Class I of the Second Schedule of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and such land is not vested in trust in any society, body corporate, or trustee :

And whereas it is expedient that such land should be appropriated for recreation purposes, being a reserve within Class III of the aforesaid Act :

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the eleventh section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, do by this notification declare that the said land shall, from and after the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, be appropriated for recreation purposes under Class III of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908; and I do hereby direct that this notification shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 16-8 perches, more or less, being part of

Reserve No. 2675, situated in the Borough of Geraldine, and bounded north-westward by Talbot Street, 190.5 links, and by Reserve 421, 60 links; eastward by the terrace of the River Waihi; and south-westward by a line at right angles to the north-western boundary, 20 links.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 23rd day of February, 1921.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice of Exchange of Reserve for Land of Equal Value, pursuant to Section 6 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section six of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), the Governor-General is empowered, in the case of any public reserve vested in His Majesty or the Governor-General for any of the purposes comprised in Class II in the Second Schedule to the said Act, to exchange any of the land comprised in such reserve to be dedicated to one or more of the purposes comprised in the said Class II:

And whereas the land described in Part I of the Schedule hereto was duly set apart as a site for a post-office, being a purpose within Class II in the Second Schedule to the said Act, and it is expedient that the said land should be exchanged for the Crown land of equal value described in Part II of the Schedule hereto, and that the land last referred to should be dedicated as a site for a post-office:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section six of the said Act as aforesaid, declare that the land described in Part I of the Schedule hereto is hereby exchanged for the land of equal value described in Part II of the Schedule hereto; and, further, that the land described in Part II of the Schedule hereto is hereby dedicated as a site for a post-office (being a purpose comprised in Class II of the Second Schedule of the Act). And I do hereby further declare that this notice is issued subject to the provisions of section seven of the said Act, and shall take effect according to the provisions of that section.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

ALL that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 7.2 perches, being portion of Section 108 of Block IV, Paritutu Survey District, and bounded as follows: On the north-east and south-east by Breakwater Road, 293.1 and 113 links respectively; on the south-west by Section 2357, Borough of New Plymouth, 229 links; and on the north-west by Pioneer Street, 129.8 links.

PART II.

All that area in the Taranaki Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 7.2 perches, being part of Section 2357, Borough of New Plymouth, and bounded as follows: On the north generally by other part of the said section, 170.6 and 57.8 links, and the Breakwater Road, 31 links; on the east by Section 2358, Borough of New Plymouth, 156.95 links; on the south by Section 2360, Borough of New Plymouth, 226.27 links; and on the west by Pioneer Street, 121.7 links.

Be all the aforesaid linkages and areas a little more or less.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 23rd day of February, 1921.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice of Change of the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in Township of Hampden, Hawke's Bay Land District.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

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

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section six of the said Act as aforesaid, declare that the purpose of portion of the said reserve is hereby changed from a site for a post-office to a site for a public library. And I do hereby further declare that this notice is issued subject to the provisions of section seven of the said Act, and shall take effect according to the provisions of that section.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 6 perches, more or less, being part Section 175, Township of Hampden (Tikokino), Hawke's Bay Land District. Bounded towards the north by Owen Street, 50 links; towards the east by part Section 175, 75.7 links; towards the south by part Section 175, 50 links; and towards the west by Section 86, 75.7 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 23rd day of February, 1921.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice of Change of the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in the Borough of Geraldine, Canterbury Land District.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto is portion of a reserve which was duly set apart as a drillshed-site and a parade-ground, and being a purpose within Class II in the Second Schedule to the said Act, and it is expedient to change, as hereinafter provided, the purpose of portion of such reserve so set apart:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section six of the said Act as aforesaid, declare that the portion of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto is hereby changed from a drillshed-site and a parade-ground to a site for a fire-brigade station. And I do hereby further declare that this notice is issued subject to the provisions of section seven of the said Act, and shall take effect according to the provisions of that section.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 13.5 perches, more or less, and being part of Reserve 2675, situated in the Borough of Geraldine. Bounded towards the north by other part of the said Reserve 2675, 20 links; towards the east by the terrace of the Waihi River; towards the south by other part of the said Reserve 2675, 84 links; and towards the west by Talbot Street, 210 links.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 23rd day of February, 1921.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Lands.

Notice under Section 48 of the Housing Act, 1919.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS, under the provisions of section forty-five of the Housing Act, 1919, any employer in an industry to which Part III of the said Act applies may at any time apply to the Minister of Finance for financial assistance towards the provision of dwellinghouses for any workers permanently employed by him in connection with that industry:

And whereas, under the provisions of section forty-eight of the said Act, it is enacted that the said Part III shall not apply to any industry unless and until the Governor-General, by notice published in the *Gazette*, declares that it shall so apply:

And whereas an application has been received from an employer in the electric-power generating and distributing industry for assistance as aforesaid under the provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Act, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe

Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that Part III of the Housing Act, 1919, shall and does apply to the electric-power generating and distributing industry.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1921.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

Appointment of Public Trustee.

THE following Warrant appointing the Public Trustee is published for general information.

Dated at Wellington this 10th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES,
Minister in Charge, Public Trust Office.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

To JOHN WILLIAM MACDONALD, of Wellington, Esquire, Barrister: Greeting.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section three of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities on that behalf me enabling, I, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint you the said

JOHN WILLIAM MACDONALD

to be Public Trustee of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the powers, privileges, and duties pertaining thereto, to hold such office during the pleasure of the Governor-General in Council.

This appointment shall take effect from the thirteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

Approved in Council.

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

Appointments of Rangers under the Animals Protection Act cancelled.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has cancelled the appointments (6) of Rangers appointed under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, for the Hawera Acclimatization District, whose names are specified below:—

	Date of Appointment.
William James Bell	30/1/08.
John Robertson	16/1/09.
Alexander Hamilton	28/5/12.
Andrew Kean	19/3/15.
Alfred Toone Shaw	19/3/15.
William Waters	19/3/15.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—
Notice No. 2058.*

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 11th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

GERALD ARTHUR JACKSON

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the Waitemata County, the appointment to date as from the 11th March, 1921.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

Stipendiary Magistrate appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

HENRY WILFRED BUNDLE, Esq.,

to be a Stipendiary Magistrate to exercise criminal and civil jurisdiction within New Zealand; the appointment to take effect on and from the 14th day of March, 1921.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Stipendiary Magistrate appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

GEOFFREY SHERBORNE CLAYTON, Esq.,

to be a Stipendiary Magistrate to exercise criminal and civil jurisdiction in the Chatham Islands.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Coroner appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

WALTER DOBSON, Esq., J.P., of Dannevirke,

to be a Coroner within the Dominion of New Zealand.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Sheriff appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

GEOFFREY SHERBORNE CLAYTON, Esq.,

to be Sheriff for the Chatham Islands.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Resignation of Appointment as Justice of the Peace.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

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

LEONARD ELLIOTT BASSETT, Esq., of Wanganui,

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

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Inspector of Factories appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 10th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JOHN MARSH TIZARD

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Factories Act, 1908. The appointment is dated the 8th March, 1921.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
Minister of Labour.

Bailiff appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 10th March, 1921.

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

WILLIAM COOPER LAUDER

to be Bailiff, Magistrate's Court, Auckland, for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 11th day of February, 1921.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1921.

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

Patrick McGlone.. .. .	Otahuhu.*
Edward Nathan Falck	Winton.
Bruce McFarlane	Ohaeawai.
William Frederick Bennetts	Catiins.
Arthur Robert Watson	Auckland (at Birkenhead).*
James Bruce Davis	Mount Benger.

* Births and deaths only.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 12th March, 1921.

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

12TH (OTAGO) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Renton Grigor relinquishes command of the regiment, and is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 4th March, 1921.

N.Z. FIELD ARTILLERY.

"E" Battery.

2nd Lieutenant Thomas George Benjamin Candy resigns his commission. Dated 24th February, 1921.

N.Z. GARRISON ARTILLERY.

Wellington G.A. Division.

2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) Charles Edward Dunn resigns his appointment. Dated 28th February, 1921.

No. 4 Company.

2nd Lieutenant Colin Brereton Marshall to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st August, 1920.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.

No. 1 Field Company.

John Stanley Longton Deem to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 2nd March, 1921.

N.Z. POST AND TELEGRAPH CORPS.

South Island.

Major Samuel James Bolton, *O.B.E.*, is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, and absorbed into the Establishment with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th March, 1921.

5TH (WELLINGTON) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant Everard Maunsell Stace is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 22nd February, 1921.
Meredith Maurice Smith to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 25th February, 1921.

N.Z. ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

Staff Nurse Aileen Catherine Miller to be Sister. Dated 6th December, 1920.

Sister (*Masseuse*) Christine Maria Smith is posted to the Temporary Reserve List. Dated 23rd February, 1921.

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 162, of 1st November, 1917, relating to Sister Hilda Hooker, is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

Sister Hilda Hooker is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force and posted to the Temporary Reserve List. Dated 28th September, 1917.

UNATTACHED LIST (a).

Lieutenant Frederick William Furkert, on being appointed to the Unattached List (General List), with the honorary rank of Colonel, relinquishes his commission. Dated 25th August, 1920.

UNATTACHED LIST (b).

Northern Military District.

Captain Albert Wilson is posted to the Retired List, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 21st February, 1921.

2nd Lieutenant John Logan resigns his commission. Dated 25th February, 1921.

Central Military District.

Lieutenant (*late Captain, N.Z.E.F.*) James Thompson, from the Reserve of Officers (General List), to be Captain. Dated 24th February, 1921.

Lieutenant Harry Arthur Woolf, from the Reserve of Officers (General List), to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th March, 1921.

Captain James Henry Lynsky resigns his commission. Dated 25th February, 1921.

Southern Military District.

Captain Maurice Anthony Hunter Fell is transferred to the Reserve of Officers (General List). Dated 23rd February, 1921.

UNATTACHED LIST (GENERAL LIST).

2nd Lieutenant Robert Beveridge is transferred to the Reserve of Officers (General List). Dated 23rd March, 1920.

2nd Lieutenant [*Lieutenant, Reserve of Officers (temp.)*] Daniel Myers Eckhoff is transferred to the Reserve of Officers (General List), with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1921.

2nd Lieutenant [*Lieutenant, Reserve of Officers (temp.)*] George Greig relinquishes his commission, under the provisions of General Headquarters Instructions No. 115/20, of 15th July. Dated 22nd February, 1921.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS (Temp.).

Lieutenant George Selwyn Wilson is transferred to the Reserve of Officers (General List). Dated 1st March, 1921.

Lieutenant (*temp. Captain*) George Barker Menzies is struck off the strength of the N.Z. Expeditionary Force, and absorbed with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 28th March, 1921.

R. H. RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 9th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the services of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club, under the provisions of section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

Arrowtown Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Arrowtown.

Date of acceptance 4th March, 1921.

R. H. RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Services of a Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the services of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club, under the provisions of section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

Waitara Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Waitara.

Date of acceptance, 3rd March, 1921.

R. H. RHODES, Minister of Defence.

New Zealand Expeditionary Force Canteen and Regimental Funds Trust Board.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 21 (1) of the Finance Act, 1920, I, hereby appoint the undermentioned to be members of the Board empowered to receive, administer, and distribute all moneys paid into the Public Account by or on behalf of any unit of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force as mess funds, regimental funds, or canteen profits, and unexpended on the passing of the said Act:—

Major-General Sir A. H. Russell, K.C.B., K.C.M.G.
Brigadier-General G. S. Richardson, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E.
Colonel A. E. Stewart, C.M.G., D.S.O.
Lieutenant-Colonel R. St. J. Beers, D.S.O.
Mr. R. J. F. Aldrich (Returned Soldiers' Association).
Mr. C. W. Batten (Returned Soldiers' Association).
Captain L. C. Forgie (Secretary).

Dated 14th March, 1921.

R. H. RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Council of the Borough of Timaru, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

TIMARU BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Proposal to raise Special Loans.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that on the 4th day of March, 1921, the following proposals to raise special loans under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, were submitted by the Timaru Borough Council to a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Timaru, and that the voting at such polls resulted as follows:—

1. Timaru Borough Waterworks Loan (No. 4) of £50,000: For the proposal, 411; against proposal, 865; informal, 45.
2. Timaru Borough Native Reserve Purchase Loan of £12,000: For the proposal, 210; against proposal, 1,050; informal, 58.
3. Timaru Borough Omnibus Loan (No. 2) of £10,000: For the proposal, 329; against proposal, 931; informal, 58.
4. Timaru Borough Caroline Bay Improvements Loan (No. 2) of £6,000: For the proposal, 264; against proposal, 990; informal, 65.
5. Timaru Borough Park Improvements Loan of £3,500: For the proposal, 218; against proposal, 1,040; informal, 59.

6. Streets Improvement Loan (No. 7) of £8,000: For the proposal, 302; against proposal, 951; informal, 68. And we declare each of the said loans to be rejected.
Dated at Timaru this 7th day of March, 1921.

WM. C. RAYMOND,
Mayor of Borough of Timaru.
D. VIRTUE,
Town Clerk and Returning Officer.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 10th March, 1921.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Council of the Borough of Balclutha, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

BALCLUTHA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Balclutha was taken on the 23rd day of February, 1921, on the proposal of the Balclutha Borough Council to borrow the sum of £1,500 for the purpose of erecting public swimming-baths.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 76, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 63.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1921.

H. SIMSON, Mayor.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 15th March, 1921.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Council of the Borough of Patea, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF PATEA.

Result of Poll.

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 Patea taken on the 16th day of February, 1921, on the proposal of the Patea Borough Council to borrow the sum of £5,000 for the erection of a dam, pipe-line, water-race, and settling-tank, additions and extensions to the water and drainage system, including all necessary plant and any machinery and alterations that may be required to operate the plant when completed, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 81, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 6.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 17th day of February, 1921.

A. T. CHRISTENSEN, Mayor.

Result of Election of Members of Kaikoura River Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

THE following result of an election of members of the Kaikoura River Board has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913:—

BOUGHTON, John Sampson.
CURTAIN, John Michael.
KEENAN, Alexander.
PEOPLES, John.
MACKLE, John Joseph.

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

Date of Election to fill Extraordinary Vacancy on Hawera Fire Board by Fire-insurance Companies.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 11th March, 1921.

PURSUANT to the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, and the rules made thereunder, I, William Downie Stewart, being the Minister charged with the administration of the said Act, do hereby appoint Thursday, the 31st March, 1921, to be the date for holding the election of one member of the Hawera Fire Board by the fire-insurance companies concerned, such election being held to fill an extraordinary vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. John Paton.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the Green Island Borough By-law No. 5, 1920, made by the Green Island Borough Council on the 15th day of December, 1920.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

IN pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the above-written By-law No. 5, 1920, of the Green Island Borough Council, and declare that the same came into force on the 1st day of February, 1921.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1921.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the Dunedin City Council altering the Number of Members.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 15th March, 1921.

THE following special order, made by the Dunedin City Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908.

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

DUNEDIN CITY COUNCIL.

Copy of Resolution passed at a Special Meeting held on Wednesday, the 2nd day of February, 1921.

THAT, pursuant to the provisions of section 142 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the Dunedin City Council hereby resolves that the total number of members of the said Council, exclusive of the Mayor, shall be twelve (12) instead of eighteen (18) as at present; and hereby further resolves that such reduction of members to twelve (12) shall take effect at and from the forthcoming biennial election of Councillors to be held on the last Wednesday in April, 1921.

Copy of Confirming Resolution passed at an Ordinary Meeting held on Wednesday, the 2nd day of March, 1921.

That it be and is hereby resolved that the following resolution passed at the special meeting of the Council convened for the purpose and held on Wednesday, the 2nd day of February, 1921, viz.,—

That, pursuant to the provisions of section 142 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the Dunedin City Council hereby resolves that the total number of members of the said Council, exclusive of the Mayor, shall be twelve (12) instead of eighteen (18) as at present; and hereby further resolves that such reduction of members to twelve (12) shall take effect at and from the forthcoming biennial election of Councillors to be held on the last Wednesday in April, 1921,

be and the same is hereby confirmed as a special order; and it is ordered that the common seal of the Corporation of the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Dunedin be affixed to the said special order by His Worship the Mayor and Councillors Walker and Hayward.

In witness whereof the common seal of the Corporation of the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Dunedin was hereunto affixed this 4th day of March, 1921, in the presence of—

W. BEGG, Mayor.
CHAS. H. HAYWARD } Councillors.
JAS. H. WALKER }

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the special order passed by the Dunedin City Council fixing the number of Councillors at twelve (12) instead of eighteen (18) as at present.

G. A. LEWIN, Town Clerk.

Dunedin, 4th March, 1921.

Special Order made by the Wairau Road Board respecting Loan of £2,270.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

SPECIAL ORDER AUTHORIZING LOAN OF £2,270.

THAT, in pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it by subsection (b) of section 16 of the Local Bodies' Loans

Act, 1913, and all other Acts and powers (if any) it in that behalf enabling (an Order in Council in pursuance of section 20 of the Finance Act, 1919, having been obtained authorizing the Board to borrow), the Wairau Road Board hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

1. That the Board proceed to raise a loan of two thousand two hundred and seventy pounds (£2,270) for the purpose of paying the amount of levies made by the Wairau Hospital and Charitable Aid Board for capital works.

2. That such loan be called "The Wairau Road Board Redemption Loan of £2,270, 1920."

3. That the currency of the said loan shall be for a period of ten (10) years, commencing on the first day of December, 1920, and maturing on the first day of December, 1930.

4. That the interest on the said loan shall be at the rate of five pounds ten shillings (£5 10s.) per centum per annum and be payable half-yearly on the first days of June and December in each and every year.

5. That the form of security for the payment of principal and interest on the said loan shall be two (2) debentures of one thousand pounds (£1,000) each and one (1) debenture of two hundred and seventy pounds (£270) and relative coupons in a form in conformity with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

6. That the Board doth hereby appropriate and pledge as security for the repayment of the said loan and the interest, sinking fund, and other charges thereon a special rate of one twenty-sixth of a penny (1/26d.) in the pound sterling at the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Wairau Road District.

7. That the principal and interest shall be payable at the Bank of New Zealand, Wellington.

8. That the cost of raising the loan and the interest and sinking fund for the first year of the said loan be paid out of the loan.

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

E. J. HARVEY,
Secretary, Wairau Road Board.

4th March, 1921.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks III and VII, Heao Survey District, for Road Purposes.

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

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	B.	P.	Portion of	
0	0	26.4	No. 5 Koiro Block, Block III; coloured grey.	
4	1	1.6	No. 4A	pink.
0	1	9.6	"	pink.
1	0	14.3	"	pink.
0	2	30.6	No. 4B	pink.
1	3	35	Koiro 4b Block, Block III; coloured purple.	
8	1	37	Koiro 4a Block, Blocks III and VII; coloured pink.	

Situated in Heao Survey District. (S.O. 5642 and 617, roads.)

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50725, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

Notice of Intention to take Additional Land in Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District, City of Auckland, for the Purposes of an Automatic Telephone Exchange.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to take additional land in Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District, City of Auckland, for the purposes of an automatic telephone exchange. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land required to be taken:—

17.19 perches.
Portion of Lot 2, Section 11, Suburbs of Auckland (City of Auckland), Block VIII, Rangitoto Survey District. (S.O. 21333.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51113, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 10th day of March, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

Rules for the Election of a Representative of the Taranaki, Wanganui, Hawke's Bay, and Nelson Education Boards on the Committee of Advice of the Wellington Training College.

WHEREAS by the regulations regarding training colleges it is provided that there shall be a member of the Committee of Advice of the Wellington Training College who shall represent the Education Boards in the university district other than the Wellington Education Board, and that such member shall be chosen in such manner as the Minister of Education shall determine:

Now, therefore, I, Christopher James Parr, Minister of Education, do hereby revoke the rules for this purpose published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 79, dated 31st August, 1905, and in lieu thereof do make the rules set forth in the Schedule hereto for the election of a member of the Committee of Advice of the Wellington Training College.

SCHEDULE.

1. THE Boards of the Education Districts of Taranaki, Wanganui, Hawke's Bay, and Nelson (hereinafter called "the electing Boards") shall from time to time choose their representative on the Committee of Advice of the Wellington Training College by means of elections to be conducted as hereinafter provided. Ordinary elections shall be held in the month of September in each year, and any extraordinary election within such period, to be fixed by the Returning Officer, as will enable each of the electing Boards to vote at its first ordinary monthly meeting after its receipt of the list of candidates referred to in clause 5 hereof. The person elected at each election shall hold office until the next ordinary election is completed.

2. For the purpose of every election the Secretary of the Wellington Education Board shall be the Returning Officer.

3. No person shall be eligible for election unless he is nominated by a member of one of the electing Boards, and the nomination-paper, bearing the candidate's consent in writing and the signature of the Secretary of the Education Board of the district, is received by the Returning Officer before the nominations close.

4. On the occurrence of any extraordinary vacancy the Returning Officer shall by writing notify the electing Boards of the date up to which nominations will be received, such date to be not earlier than fourteen days from the notification thereof. In the case of every ordinary election after the first election nominations shall close on the second Monday in August.

5. Within seven days after the date on which nominations have closed the Returning Officer shall notify to the electing Boards in writing—

- (a.) The full name of every duly nominated candidate;
(b.) The dates between which the election will be held.

6. The electing Boards shall be entitled to exercise the following number of votes respectively—viz., the Boards of the Districts of Wanganui and Hawke's Bay four votes each, that of Taranaki three votes, and that of Nelson two votes. The voting of each Board shall be effected by resolution passed at a duly constituted meeting thereof, and a notification in writing of the effect of such resolution, signed by the Secretary and Chairman or other member of the Board, shall be sufficient evidence that the vote of such Board was given in favour of the candidate named therein.

7. If by reason of an equality of votes given for two or more candidates any election is not complete the Chairman of the Wellington Education Board shall have a casting-vote.

8. Any dispute arising from the operation of these rules shall be referred to the Minister of Education, whose decision shall be final.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Education.

Notice of Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, &c.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 2nd March, 1921.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 60 of the Public Service Act, 1912, the Public Service Commissioner notifies that he has made the following appointments to, and promotions, transfers, &c., in, the Public Service.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date of Appointment.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.			
Huse, Herbert Oscar	Milk-tester	Christchurch	1 Sept., 1920.
AUDIT DEPARTMENT.			
Corby, William Douglas Francis ..	Cadet.. ..	Wellington	11 Aug., 1920.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.			
Walsh, James Raymond	Cadet.. ..	Wellington	24 Aug., 1920.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Mair, John Thomas	Architect	Wellington	1 Sept., 1920.
Mangakahia, Miss Rangī	2nd Assistant Teacher	Native School, Manutahi ..	13 July, ..
Walker, Hector Granville.. ..	Cadet.. ..	Wellington	1 Aug., ..
FORESTRY DEPARTMENT.			
Butcher, Frank	Nursery Foreman	Rotorua	10 Nov., 1919.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Knight, Enid Philis	Public Health Nurse	Waipu	1 Aug., 1920.
INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT.			
Carter, Ernest Peter Burn	Investigating Accountant	Auckland	19 July, 1920.
Schmitt, Louis John	"	Wellington	2 Aug., ..
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Nagle, Julia Doris	Office Assistant	Wellington	22 June, 1920.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT (RELIEVING STAFF).			
Hill, Alma Rose Mildred	Shorthand-typist	Christchurch	26 Aug., 1920.
McClennan, Frederick Walter	Cadet.. ..	Wellington	31 Mar., ..
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.			
Ashby, Frank Wilson	Inspector of Factories	Wellington	1 Sept., 1920.
Downes, Edward George	Clerk	Housing Branch, Wellington	1 " "
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.			
Hardy-Gibson, Tui Yorke.. ..	Cadette	Napier	6 Sept., 1920.
Wilson, Gordon Cumming	Clerk	Auckland	13 Aug., ..
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Cheyne, Elizabeth Ann	Shorthand-typist	Napier	23 Aug., 1920.
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.			
Davies, Alec	Surveyor of Ships	Auckland	24 July, 1920.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Anderson, James Alexander	Attendant	Porirua	1 Aug., 1919.
Charlton, Doris Mary	Nurse.. ..	Seacliff	1 Nov., ..
Grant, Isabella Agnes	"	"	1 " "
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.			
Cook, Richard	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	11 Aug., 1920.
Pirie, Alexander James	"	"	11 " "
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.			
Cathcart, John Mair Dunlop	Warder	Invercargill	17 Feb., 1920.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Ross, William Albert	Accounts Clerk	Auckland	1 Aug., 1920.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Coote, Robert Percy	Storekeeper's Assistant	Wellington	9 July, 1920.
Hill, George Henry	Buildings Overseer	Dunedin	18 June, ..
Ingram, John Thomas	Draughtsman	Wellington	5 Aug., ..
Maslin, Ethel	Tracer	Head Office, Wellington ..	16 " "
STATE FIRE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Wyllie, Roy Victor	Clerk	Auckland	16 Aug., 1920.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.			
Lindsay, Thomas	Gardener	Rotorua	18 Aug., 1920.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.			
Hargreaves, Lily Muriel	Office Assistant	Wellington	3 Aug., 1920.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED—continued.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
Kirker, Robert Rea	Clerk	Electoral Office, Wellington	Clerk	Registrar-General's Office, Wellington	25 Jan., 1921.
Parker, Walter	Clerk	Magistrates' Court, Riverton	Clerk	Magistrates' Court, Wellington	19 Feb., 1921.
Webster, Duncan Cecil Ernest	"	"	"	"	7 " "
Cullen, Frederick Aloysius	Chief Clerk and Receiver of Land Revenue	Nelson	Cashier	Christchurch	10 Feb., 1921.
Hulme, Harold Clive	Cashier	Dunedin	Clerk	District Office, Wellington	17 " "
Lee, David Chisholm	Assistant Medical Officer	Christchurch	Assistant Medical Officer	Seacliff	1 Feb., 1921.
McDougall, Williamina Catherine	Matron	Seacliff	Matron	Auckland	1 June, 1920.
McKillop, Alexander Cameron	Medical Superintendent	Nelson	Acting Medical Superintendent	Seacliff	1 Dec., "
Cockerill, Percy William Jones	Cadet	Head Office, Wellington	Cadet	Registrar's Office, Dunedin	12 Feb., 1921.
Bradford, George	Probationary Warder	Auckland	Probationary Warder	Waikeria	17 Feb., 1921.
Burd, Arthur Alton	Accounts Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Accounts Clerk	District Office, Wellington	14 Feb., 1921.
Holgate, William Edward	"	"	"	Christchurch	8 " "
Mosley, Alexander	Estates Administration Clerk	District Office, Wellington	Estates Administration Clerk	New Plymouth	21 Jan., "
Penington, Cecil Spenser	Cadet	Head Office, Wellington	Cadet	Christchurch	4 " "
Rist, Herbert George	Estates Administration Clerk	District Office, Wellington	District Manager	Levin	20 " "
Saywell, Thomas Robert	Assistant Local Deputy Trustee	Dunedin	"	Greymouth	5 Feb., "
Campbell, Stella Wilkinson	Typist	Customs Department, Wellington	Typist	Relieving Staff, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	14 " "
Mosley, James Selwyn	Cadet	Lands and Survey Department, Wellington	Cadet	Justice Department, Ashburton	12 " "
Ryan, William Charles	Examiner	Audit Department, Wellington	Clerk	Head Office, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	1 " "
McKenzie, Wilfred George	Cadet	Land for Settlements Department, Wellington	Cadet	Land and Deeds Department, Invercargill	10 " "

RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.			
Service, Percival Curwen ..	Cadet	Dunedin	13 Mar., 1921.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Cook, Annie Maria	School Nurse	Wanganui	28 Feb., 1921.
Johnston, Fanny Jane ..	Matron	Receiving Home, Nelson ..	7 " "
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Langlands, Henry John ..	Survey Cadet	Gisborne	31 Jan., 1921.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Breeze, Mark Bernard ..	Attendant	Hokitika	9 Sept., 1919.
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.			
Williams, Olive	Folder, &c.	Wellington	5 Feb., 1921.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.			
Farrell, Matthew	Probationary Warder ..	Auckland	31 Jan., 1921.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
McCormick, Horace	Assistant Accountant ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	21 Mar., 1921.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Freeman, Harold William ..	Carpenter and Joiner ..	Wellington	8 Feb., 1921.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Wilson, Charles John ..	Attendant	Porirua	31 March, 1920	Retired.

Mining Privileges to be struck off the Register.—The Mining Act, 1908, and the Mining Amendment Act, 1914.

Office of the Mining Registrar, Greymouth, 11th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with section 30 of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914, the mining privileges mentioned in the Schedule hereto will, unless cause to the contrary is shown, be struck off the Register of Mining Privileges at the expiration of three months from the date hereof.

J. McINDOE, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
10/13	9/9/13	Extended claim ..	Maori Gully	Ah Sue.
2/14	20/1/14	Special claim ..	No Town	J. Moran.
26/14	10/2/14	"	Rough and Tumble Creek, Lady Lake	W. A. Cooper, W. Kinsella, and H. Haste.
91/14	30/6/14	"	Dunganville	E. Garland and J. Whyte.
106/14	21/7/14	Extended claim ..	Roebuck's Creek, North Beach ..	J. Hopkins.
2/15	12/1/15	"	Bell Hill	E. D. Davis and B. Brown.
21/16	31/3/16	Special claim ..	North Beach, Cobden	S. Chapman.
3/18	21/1/18	Extended claim ..	Marsden	Kong How.
4/18	21/1/18	Water-race	"	"
5/18	21/1/18	Dam	"	"
6/18	21/1/18	"	"	"
61/16	21/8/16	Special site	Coal Creek	E. Gartner.

*Mining Privileges to be struck off the Register.*Warden's Court,
Havelock, 14th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Mining Amendment Act, 1914, section 30, that at the expiration of three months from the date of this notice the undermentioned mining privileges will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register.

A. F. BENT, Mining Registrar.

RESIDENCE-SITE No. 43, held by Bernard Kearns at Deep Creek.

Residence-site No. 33, held by Irwin Hart at Deep Creek.

*New Zealand Clearing-office Announcement.—German Debts.*Public Trust Office,
Wellington, 8th March, 1921.

NEW Zealand nationals who have claims against German nationals in respect of pre-war debts are hereby notified that the last day for lodging the prescribed Clearing-office forms in support of their claims is the 31st March, 1921.

No claim in respect of pre-war debts will be accepted for transmission to the German Clearing-office after that date, unless it is proved that the omission to lodge the claim by the date mentioned arose from circumstances for which the claimant could not justly be held responsible.

J. W. MACDONALD,
Controller, New Zealand Clearing-office.

Notice by the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its Amendments.

To the owner of the following land, that is to say: All that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 40 acres, more or less, being Allotment No. 67, Parish of Waikomiti, County of Eden, bounded on the north by a road, 660 links, 320 links, 200 links, 300 links, and 160 links; on the east by Allotment No. 66, 2060 links; on the south by Allotment No. 38 and a road, 2000 links; and on the west by a road, 590 links and 1644 links; and being the land conveyed by conveyance registered in the Deeds Registry Office at Auckland under number 41671 bearing date the 25th June, 1859, by Patrick Coyle, the Crown grantee, to one Anne Maria Casey by direction of her husband Jeremiah Casey.

WHEREAS after due inquiry the owner of the above-described land cannot be found: And whereas the said owner has no known agent in New Zealand: Now, the Public Trustee hereby calls upon such owner, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his title to the said land. If such owner fails or neglects so to establish his title, the Public Trustee will exercise the powers and authorities granted to him in and by the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its amendments.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1921.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

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

Land and Income Tax Department,
Wellington, 17th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above Act and the regulations made thereunder, every person and company within the meaning of the said Act, being owner of land in New Zealand, is hereby required to make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such land as at 12 o'clock noon on the 31st day of March, 1921.

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, on or before the 8th day of April, 1921.

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.

If the total unimproved value of the land of a taxpayer, as assessed under the Valuation of Land Act, 1908, does not exceed £500, a return of land need not be furnished.

“Owner of land” includes a lessee of land owned by Natives.

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

Officiating Ministers for 1921.—Notice No. 8.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 15th March, 1921.

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:—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

Mr. William Tilden Brabyn.

Roman Catholic Church.

The Reverend Thomas O'Regan.

Baptists.

The Reverend W. E. Lambert.

Unitarian Church.

The Reverend Wyndham Selfe Heathcote, B.A.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

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 Palmerston North Cricket Club is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the

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aforsaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 7th day of March, 1921.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

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 Wellington Musical Union is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforsaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1921.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

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 National Service League (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforsaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington, this 10th day of March, 1921.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 8th March, 1921.

THE Court Aroha, situated at Te Aroha, is registered as a branch of the Auckland District Branch of the Ancient Order of Foresters of New Zealand Friendly Society No. 356, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 7th day of March, 1921.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 11 of 1921.

WANGANUI HARBOUR ENTRANCE.—NORTH MOLE LIGHT.—TEMPORARY REDUCTION IN POWER OF.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th March, 1921.

THE Wanganui Harbour Board notifies that the Wigham red light on the extreme of the north mole at the entrance to the Wanganui River will be removed and replaced by a less powerful red light as from the 5th March of this year. It is intended that the less-powered red light shall continue in use during the progress of the extension work in connection with the north mole.

The following publications are affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2054; “New Zealand Pilot,” ninth edition, page 100; and “New Zealand Nautical Almanac,” 1921, pages 315 and 317.

ROBERT DUNCAN, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 12 of 1921.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—DREDGING.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th March, 1921.

THE Auckland Harbour Board notifies that the dredger “Hapai” is now engaged in dredging-work in connection with the new Prince's Wharf, and is moored 450 ft. (approx.) north of the north-west corner of Hobson Wharf. The dredger, which is working to the southward, has five moorings laid out cardinally, and one stern mooring secured to Hobson Wharf.

The dredger will show one ball on the channel side between the hours of sunrise and sunset, and a red light between the hours of sunset and sunrise.

Vessels are warned not to attempt to pass between the dredger and Hobson Wharf while dredging is in progress.

The following publications are affected: Admiralty Chart No. 1970; “New Zealand Pilot,” ninth edition, page 192; and “New Zealand Nautical Almanac,” 1921, page 266.

ROBERT DUNCAN, Secretary.

Vital Statistics.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Four Metropolitan Areas and of the Nine Suburban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of February, 1921:—

	Estimated Population as at 1st January, 1921	Total Births registered, February, 1921.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN FEBRUARY, 1921.							Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, February, 1921.
				Males.			Females.					
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland City	75,824	122	1.61	7	3	34	4	..	25	73	0.96	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area	73,600	126	1.71	3	2	16	2	..	16	39	0.53	
Total for Auckland Metropolitan Area	149,424	248	1.66	10	5	50	6	..	41	112	0.75	
Wellington City ..	83,901	152	1.81	13	4	36	1	1	30	85	1.01	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area	18,398	28	1.52	..	..	1	..	1	1	3	0.16
Total for Wellington Metropolitan Area	102,299	180	1.76	13	4	37	1	2	31	88	0.86	
Christchurch City ..	64,472	95	1.47	1	..	26	1	2	25	55	0.85	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area	43,838	51	1.16	4	..	8	1	1	9	23	0.52	
Total for Christchurch Metropolitan Area	108,310	146	1.35	5	..	34	2	3	34	78	0.72	
Dunedin City ..	59,482	86	1.45	..	2	22	3	..	12	39	0.66	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area	15,972	19	1.19	1	..	..	1	..	2	4	0.25
Total for Dunedin Metropolitan Area	75,454	105	1.39	1	2	22	4	..	14	43	0.57	
Gisborne Borough ..	11,450	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	8,484	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Gisborne Suburban Area	14,934	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Napier Borough ..	14,153	25	1.77	..	..	2	1	..	2	5	0.35
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	2,667	2	0.75	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.75
Total for Napier Suburban Area	16,820	27	1.61	..	..	3	1	..	3	7	0.42
New Plymouth Borough ..	9,800	14	1.43	..	..	5	..	..	4	9	0.92
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,264	1	0.79	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for New Plymouth Suburban Area	11,064	15	1.36	..	..	5	..	..	4	9	0.81
Wanganui Borough ..	15,773	25	1.59	1	1	1	2	..	5	10	0.63	
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	6,859	11	1.60	2	1	1	..	..	..	4	0.58
Total for Wanganui Suburban Area	22,632	36	1.59	3	2	2	2	..	5	14	0.62	
Palmerston North Borough ..	14,481	31	2.14	..	..	2	2	..	5	9	0.62
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,282	3	2.34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Palmerston North Suburban Area	15,763	34	2.16	..	..	2	2	..	5	9	0.57
Nelson City ..	9,350	13	1.39	..	1	2	1	..	4	8	0.86	
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,266	2	1.58	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Nelson Suburban Area	10,616	15	1.41	..	1	2	1	..	4	8	0.75	
Greymouth Borough ..	5,092	11	2.16	1	..	4	1	1	4	11	2.16	
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	3,608	9	2.49	..	..	1	..	1	1	3	0.83
Total for Grey Valley Boroughs Suburban Area	8,700	20	2.30	1	..	5	1	2	5	14	1.61	
Timaru Borough ..	13,583	17	1.25	..	..	3	1	..	2	6	0.44
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,641	1	0.61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Timaru Suburban Area	15,224	18	1.18	..	..	3	1	..	2	6	0.39
Invercargill Borough ..	15,300	26	1.70	..	..	6	1	..	2	9	0.59
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	4,179	2	0.48	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Invercargill Suburban Area*	19,479	28	1.44	..	..	6	1	..	2	9	0.46
Grand totals ..	570,719	872	1.53	33	14	171	22	7	150	397	0.70	

* Returns not to hand.

Dealing with the four metropolitan areas only, it is found that the inclusion of the suburban portions lowers the death-rate in each case.

	Death-rate per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City	0.96	
Auckland Metropolitan Area		0.75
Wellington City	0.01	
Wellington Metropolitan Area		0.86
Christchurch City	0.85	
Christchurch Metropolitan Area		0.72
Dunedin City	0.66	
Dunedin Metropolitan Area		0.57

Including the suburban portions, Wellington is the highest and Dunedin the lowest.

Compared with February, 1918, 1919, and 1920, the results are—

	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.
Auckland Metropolitan Area	0.64	0.64	0.73	0.75
Wellington Metropolitan Area	0.83	0.92	0.68	0.86
Christchurch Metropolitan Area	0.60	0.61	0.69	0.72
Dunedin Metropolitan Area	0.74	0.74	0.87	0.57

The total births registered for the four metropolitan areas amounted to 679, as against 840 in January—a decrease of 66. The deaths in February were 321—a decrease of 2 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 183, females 138. Fifty-eight of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 18.07 per cent. of the whole number. Forty-two of these were under one year of age.

The following table shows the deaths in various age-groups occurring in the four metropolitan and total of nine suburban areas during the month of February, 1921:—

Age-group.	METROPOLITAN AREA.								NINE SUBURBAN AREAS.*		Total.	
	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.				
Under 5 years ..	15	6	17	3	5	5	3	4	7	11	47	29
5 and under 10 years..	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	3	..	7	2
10 " 15 " ..	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	3	1
15 " 20 " ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	3
20 " 25 " ..	..	1	3	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	5	3
25 " 30 " ..	..	2	..	1	3	2	2	..	..	2	5	7
30 " 35 " ..	..	..	2	3	..	..	..	1	1	2	3	6
35 " 40 " ..	2	1	3	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	10	8
40 " 45 " ..	2	2	5	4	2	2	1	1	..	..	10	9
45 " 50 " ..	2	3	3	1	2	4	..	..	1	1	8	9
50 " 55 " ..	6	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	13	9
55 " 60 " ..	3	2	3	1	4	2	1	..	..	2	11	7
60 " 65 " ..	5	2	7	1	3	3	2	1	1	2	18	9
65 years and over ..	27	25	10	16	15	15	10	6	15	15	77	77
Unknown or not stated	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals..	65	47	54	34	39	39	25	18	35	41	218	179

The deaths of 154 persons of 65 years and upwards were registered for the four metropolitan and nine suburban areas during the month of February, 1921, as against 143 in the previous month. The following table shows the classification:—

Age.	METROPOLITAN AREA.								NINE SUBURBAN AREAS.*		Total.	
	Auckland		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.				
65	1	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	3	3	6
66	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	2
67	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	2	4	2
68	2	..	1	..	1	..	2	1	1	7	3	
69	..	2	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	5
70	..	2	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	5
71	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1
72	2	1	1	..	1	2	..	..	2	6	4
73	..	2	..	3	1	1	2	..	..	3	6
74	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1
75	2	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	3	3
76	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..
77	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
78	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	2	3	1
79	1	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	5
80	..	1	..	1	2	..	1	..	1	4	3	
81	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	2
82	1	2	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	2	4
83	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	3	3
84	2	2	1	..	2	1	..	..	1	5	4
85	..	2	1	2	..	1	1	..	1	2	6	
86	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	3	3
87	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	3	1
88	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..
89	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
90	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
91	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
92	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
Totals ..	27	25	10	16	15	15	10	6	15	15	67	77

* Excluding Gisborne (returns not to hand).

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas,* registered during February, 1921.

Causes of Death	Auckland Metropolitan Area.		Wellington Metropolitan Area.		Christchurch Metropolitan Area.		Dunedin Metropolitan Area.		Nine Suburban Areas.		Total
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES											
<i>(a.) Epidemic Diseases.</i>											
6. Measles	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
7. Scarlet Fever	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
8. Whooping-cough	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	5
9. Diphtheria	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	5
18. Erysipelas of Face	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases.</i>											
20. Septicæmia	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
28. Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2	..	5	..	2	..	5	..	5	19
29. Acute Miliary Tuberculosis	1	..	..	..	..	1
30. Tuberculous Meningitis	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
31. Tuberculous Peritonitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
32. Pott's Disease	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
34. Tuberculosis of Other Organs	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	3
35. Disseminated Tuberculosis	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
39. Cancer of Buccal Cavity	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
40. " Stomach and Liver	5	..	6	..	4	..	3	..	3	21
41. " Intestines, Rectum, &c.	5	..	3	..	1	..	2	..	..	11
42. " Female Genital Organs	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	6
43. " Breast	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	4
45. " Hand	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Heart	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Prostate	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
45. Disseminated Cancer	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
47. Acute Rheumatism	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
48. Chronic Rheumatism	1	..	..	..	..	1
50. Diabetes	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	1	6
51. Exophthalmic Goitre	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
53. Leucæmia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
54. Pernicious Anæmia	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Totals	4	29	2	19	3	21	1	14	4	16	113
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.											
60. Encephalitis	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
61. Simple Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
63. Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	..	1
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage	4	..	2	..	6	..	3	..	3	18
65. Cerebral Softening	1	..	..	..	..	1
66. Hemiplegia	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4
68. Other Forms of Mental Alienation	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
69. Epilepsy	1	..	1
71. Convulsions of Infants	1	..	..	..	1
72. Chorea	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	11	3	3	..	8	1	5	2	4	37
III.—DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.											
77. Pericarditis	1	1
78. Acute Endocarditis	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
79. Organic Diseases of the Heart	17	..	8	..	10	..	4	..	9	48
80. Angina Pectoris	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
81. Diseases of Arteries	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
82. Embolism and Thrombosis	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	5
Totals	22	..	11	..	13	..	4	..	12	62
IV.—DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.											
87. Congestion of Glottis	1	..	..	..	..	1
88. Goitre	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
89. Acute Bronchitis	1	2	..	..	..	3
90. Chronic Bronchitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
91. Broncho-pneumonia	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
92. Pneumonia	3	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	9
93. Pleurisy	1	..	..	..	1
95. Congestion of Lungs	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
95. Gangrene of Lung	1	1
96. Asthma	2	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	6
98. Other Diseases of Respiratory System	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Totals	4	7	1	8	1	4	2	1	1	2	31

* Excluding Invercargill (returns not to hand).

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas,* registered during February, 1921—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland Metropolitan Area.		Wellington Metropolitan Area.		Christchurch Metropolitan Area.		Dunedin Metropolitan Area.		Nine Suburban Areas.		Total
	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years	5 Years and over.	
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.											
99. Pyorrhoea alveolaris .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
102. Gastric Ulcer .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
103. Other Diseases of Stomach (Cancer excepted) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
104. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (under 2 years)	5	..	3	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	11
105. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (2 years and over) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	3
109. Intestinal obstruction .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
113. Cirrhosis of Liver .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
114. Biliary Calculi .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
115. Congestion of Liver .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
117. Simple Peritonitis .. ..	..	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	4
118. Abdominal Abscess .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals	5	5	3	7	2	2	2	2	..	3	31
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.											
119. Acute Nephritis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
120. Bright's Disease .. ..	..	2	2	3	..	2	..	..	..	4	13
122. Other Diseases of Kidneys and Annexa .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
124. Cystitis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	4
126. Enlarged Prostate .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3
129. Tumour of Uterus .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	4	2	5	..	5	..	4	..	6	26
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.											
134. Ectopic Gestation .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
135. Placenta Prævia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
137. Puerperal Septicæmia .. ..	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
138. " Nephritis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	2	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	1	8
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.											
144. Cellulitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
X.—MALFORMATIONS.											
150. Hydrocephalus .. ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	4
150. Patent Foramen Ovale .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
150. Spina Bifida	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	6
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.											
151. Congenital Debility, Icterus, &c. ..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	5
151A. Premature Birth	4	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	6	..	14
152. Other Causes peculiar to Early Infancy	1	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	7
Totals	6	..	6	..	4	..	..	..	10	..	26
XII.—OLD AGE.											
154. Senility .. ..	..	8	..	5	..	7	..	2	..	8	30
XIII.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.											
157. Suicide by Hanging .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
158. " Drowning .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
160. " Cutting Instruments .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
163. " Other Means .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
165. Other Acute Poisonings .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
166. Conflagration .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
167. Burns, Scalds	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
169. Accidental Drowning .. ..	..	2	..	3	..	2	..	1	..	2	10
172. Traumatism—Fall .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
175. " Other Crushing .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	3
180. " Electricity .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	1	2	..	7	..	6	1	2	..	5	24
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.											
189. Ill-defined or not stated .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Grand totals	21	91	20	68	10	68	7	36	18	58	397

* Excluding Gisborne (returns not to hand).

Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 16 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and Sections 18 and 19 of the Public Trust Office Amendment Act, 1913.

NOTICE is hereby given that, no person having taken out administration, the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court at Wellington, an election to administer the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder respectively set forth, their gross properties being estimated not to exceed £400 in each case.

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Allcorn, Alice	Auckland ..	Spinster ..	22/8/20	8/3/21	Intestate	Auckland.
2	Allen, John ; or Allan, John	Tokomaru Bay ..	Labourer ..	29/7/20	14/3/21	"	Gisborne.
3	Armstrong, Alexander ..	Moana ..	" ..	3/12/17	14/3/21	Testate	Christchurch.
4	Ashton, Mary Ann ..	Ashburton ..	Married woman..	2/12/20	14/3/21	"	"
5	Atkinson, John ..	Palmerston North..	Newspaper vendor	23/10/20	8/3/21	Intestate	Wellington.
6	Barnes, Lilian Violet ..	Wellington ..	Spinster ..	11/7/20	14/3/21	"	"
7	Chadwick, Thomas ..	Taumarunui ..	Labourer ..	23/10/20	8/3/21	"	Auckland.
8	Crumny, Cornelius ..	Christchurch ..	Gardener ..	2/2/21	8/3/21	"	Christchurch.
9	Desmond, Patrick ..	Putaruru ..	Labourer ..	27/11/20	8/3/21	"	Auckland.
10	Finlayson, William ..	Macrae's Flat ..	" ..	2/12/20	8/3/21	"	Dunedin.
11	Fox, Sarah Ann ..	Mangonui ..	Widow ..	22/12/20	14/3/21	"	Auckland.
12	Gardner, James ..	Westport ..	Miner ..	7/11/20	8/3/21	"	Wellington.
13	Gifford-Browne, Arabella ..	Dunedin ..	Spinster ..	22/12/20	14/3/21	"	Dunedin.
14	Glen, Lucy ..	Christchurch ..	Widow ..	30/12/20	8/3/21	Testate	Christchurch.
15	Gourley, Elizabeth ..	Dunedin ..	Married woman..	17/11/20	14/3/21	"	Dunedin.
16	Heaney, Robert Vincent ; or Heaney, Robert	Otautau ..	Labourer ..	25/11/20	8/3/21	Intestate	Invercargill.
17	Kessell, Isabella ..	Hastings ..	Married woman..	24/2/20	8/3/21	"	Napier.
18	Lord, Edmund John ; or Laud, Edmund John	Howick ..	Labourer ..	11/2/17	8/3/21	"	Auckland.
19	Morgan, Grosvenor ; or Morgan, Joseph	Morrinsville ..	" ..	20/10/20	14/3/21	Testate	"
20	Murfit, George Seymour ..	Sydney, N.S.W. ..	" ..	27/12/19	8/3/21	Intestate	Wellington.
21	Neale, Charles Raymond ..	Hawera ..	Veterinary surgeon	19/2/21	14/3/21	"	"
22	O'Donnell, John ..	Runanga ..	Miner ..	1/11/20	14/3/21	"	"
23	Rowe, Jeannie Stewart ..	Middlemarch ..	Married woman..	16/1/21	14/3/21	Testate	Dunedin.
24	Searle, Oliver Henry ..	Wellington ..	Cook ..	8/6/20	14/3/21	"	Wellington.
25	See, Letitia Lilian ..	Stratford ..	Widow ..	27/1/21	14/3/21	Intestate	"
26	Walls, John Simpson ..	Mokoreta ..	Labourer ..	18/11/20	8/3/21	"	Invercargill.
27	Watts, John Sholto ..	Auckland ..	Schoolboy ..	12/1/21	8/3/21	"	Auckland.
28	Wilkinson, Joanna Agnes	Dunedin ..	Widow ..	12/12/20	14/3/21	Testate	Dunedin.

Wellington, 15th March, 1921.

J. W. MACDONALD Public Trustee.

Public Service Entrance.—Special Examination, June, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that it has been decided to hold a special Public Service Entrance Examination commencing about the 27th June next.

The examination will most probably be held at the following centres: Whangarei, Auckland, Hamilton, Thames, New Plymouth, Stratford, Wanganui, Palmerston North, Gisborne, Napier, Dannevirke, Masterton, Wellington, Blenheim, Nelson, Reefton, Greymouth, Hokitika, Christchurch, Timaru, Oamaru, Dunedin, Gore, and Invercargill; but, should sufficient candidates offer, the examination will be held also at other centres. If necessary, candidates will be required to attend at some centre other than the one mentioned in their application forms.

Entries on proper forms, obtainable from the offices of the Public Service Commissioner, the Education Boards, or the Education Department, will be received by the Director of Education, Wellington, up to the 14th May. Both male and female candidates will be admitted.

An entrance fee of £1 is payable at any post-office money-order office, but this will be refunded if the candidate passes the examination and accepts employment in the Public Service.

W. R. MORRIS,
Public Service Commissioner.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in North Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 12th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Tuesday, the 22nd March, 1921, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
TOWN LAND.		
<i>Hokianga County.—Town of Kohukohu Extension.</i>		
	A. R. P.	£ s. d.
3	0 0 9	250 0 0
4	0 0 9	250 0 0
5	0 0 8	250 0 0
Reclaimed sections situated between main street and water-front, about one chain from wharf; suitable for business sites.		
<i>Whangarei County.—Village of Pakotai.</i>		
21	0 0 32	8 0 0
22	0 0 32	8 0 0
23	0 0 32	8 0 0
24	0 0 32	8 0 0
25	0 1 14	13 10 0
Altitude, about 400 ft. above sea-level. Situated about thirty-one miles from Whangarei by formed coach-road. Level and undulating land, covered with fern and manuka; soil, clay and brown loam.		
VILLAGE LAND.		
<i>Whangarei County.—Village of Pakotai.</i>		
4	0 1 8	12 0 0
5	0 1 8	12 0 0
6	0 1 8	12 0 0
7	0 1 8	12 0 0
8	0 1 8	12 0 0
9	0 1 8	12 0 0
10	0 1 24	16 0 0
11	0 0 32	8 0 0
12	0 0 32	8 0 0

TERMS OF SALE.

(1.) Cash.—One-fifth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee (£1) and valuation for improvements, within thirty days thereafter.

(2.) Deferred Payments.—5 per cent. of the purchase-money, valuation for improvements, and licensee fee (£1 1s.) on the fall of the hammer; balance by equal annual instalments extending over nineteen years, with interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount. In either case if the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount (if any) already paid shall be forfeited and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Titles will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

R. P. GREVILLE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Hawke's Bay Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Napier, 9th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Napier, and the local Lands Office, Gisborne, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 18th April, 1921.

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

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the local Lands and Survey Office, Gisborne, on Tuesday, the 26th April, 1921, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Waipatu County.—Mangaoporo Survey District.—Hurakia Block.

SECTION 2, Block VI: Area, 1,012 acres; capital value, £4,330; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £216 10s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £97 8s. 6d.

Section 5, Block XI: Area, 520 acres; capital value, £2,400; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £120; half-yearly rent on lease, £54.

Section 4, Block XI: Area, 570 acres; capital value, £2,850; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £142 10s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £64 2s. 6d.

Section 2, Block XV: Area, 421 acres; capital value, £2,440; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £122; half-yearly rent on lease, £54 18s.

Section 2, Block X: Area, 504 acres; capital value, £1,870; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £93 10s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £42 1s. 6d.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital value of the sections are as follows:—

Section 2, Block VI.—Felling, grassing, and fencing, valued at £600.

Section 5, Block XI.—Felling and grassing, valued at £132.

Section 2, Block XV.—Felling, grassing, and fencing, valued at £230.

Section 2, Block X.—Felling, grassing, and fencing, valued at £102 10s.

NOTE.—The two cottages on Section 2, Block X, belong to Tipiawai Houkamau, and are to be removed.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

Distant about ten miles inland from the Port of Tuparoa, and about forty miles from Tokomaru Bay. The latter port has fair shipping facilities—is served by the Richardson Company's coastal boats. Union Steamship Company twice a week, and direct Home boats. The nearest township to the block is Ruatorea, distant about seven miles, connected with the ports of Tokomaru and Tuparoa by serviceable roads, partly metalled; and there is also a post-office and store at the Waiorongomai Station, two miles from the block.

Access from Ruatorea to the southern portions of the block will be from the formed Tapuaeroa Valley Road. Access to sections in the Mangaoporo and Waiorongomai Valleys will generally be up the river-beds.

Country varies from easy and undulating, with a few terraces, to steep spurs broken with papa slips. Good homestead-sites are obtainable on each section.

The quality of the soil generally is good, resting on papa formation. The bush for the most part comprises good

matai, rimu, and tawa, with dense undergrowth of supplejack, rangiora, mahoi, &c.

SPECIAL DESCRIPTION.

Section 2, Block VI.—Comprises about 840 acres hilly country in heavy bush (matai, rimu, tawa, rata, &c.), with dense undergrowth of supplejack, rangiora, mahoe, &c.; and about 172 acres cleared and grassed, of which about 50 acres is ploughable. Rich soil, resting on papa formation; well watered.

Section 5, Block XI.—About 60 acres undulating country in grass and fern; balance hilly, in mixed bush, ranging from light rangiora, cabbage-trees, &c., to heavy matai, rimu, tawa, and some totara, with dense undergrowth. Good soil, well watered.

Section 4, Block XI.—Mostly hilly country, but containing some good terraces; all in heavy bush, comprising tawa, matai, rimu, and some totara, with heavy undergrowth. Good soil. Section is well watered.

Section 2, Block XV.—Comprises about 55 acres undulating country, cleared and in grass; balance steep country, and in heavy mixed bush, with dense undergrowth. Good soil, liable to slip when bush is felled; well watered.

Section 2, Block X.—Generally easy slopes, but contains some big papa slips and broken country; about 30 acres cleared and grassed; balance mostly in light bush, with patches of heavy tawa, and also a few good totara logs near homestead flat. Good soil, well watered.

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

W. F. MARSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in the Canterbury Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 14th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the education reserves described in the Schedule hereto will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., on Tuesday, 26th April, 1921, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

E.R. 1143, Block V, Teviotdale Survey District: Area, 72 acres 2 roods; upset annual rent, £36 5s. 2d.

The section is situated about one-half mile from Glasnevin Railway-station, and is flat agricultural and pastoral land. Weighted with £36, valuation for about sixty-six chains of fencing.

E.R. 1219, Blocks XI and XV, Pigeon Bay Survey District: Area, 41 acres; upset annual rent, £69 14s.

The section is situated four miles from Duvauchelles Bay Township. Rich pastoral hilly land, well grassed and well watered by springs. The fencing, valued at £30, is the property of the trust and goes with the land.

E.R. 1234, Block XI, Pigeon Bay Survey District: Area, 60 acres 0 roods 13 perches; upset annual rent, £102 2s. 8d.

Situated about four miles from Duvauchelles Bay Township. Rich pastoral hilly land, well grassed, and well watered by springs. Weighted with £102 2s. 8d., valuation for fencing.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, together with rent for the broken period up to 1st July, 1921, and £2 2s. lease fee and cost of registration, must be paid on the fall of the hammer.

2. Term of lease, fourteen years, with 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, on 1st days of January and July in each year.

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 to take more than three crops in succession, one of which must be a root crop; after the third crop the land to be left in pasture for at least three years; at least two-thirds of the area cropped to be left in pasture at the expiration of the term; penalty for breach, £2 per acre.

11. 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.

12. Lease liable to forfeiture for non-payment of rent within six months after due date, or for breach of conditions.

13. Land Board may resume not more than 5 acres for school-site upon reduction of rent and compensation for crops.

14. Lessee to keep buildings insured.

15. Lessee to have no right to any minerals.

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 Advances Office.

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

Possession will be given on the day of sale.

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

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

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 15th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 26th April, 1921.

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

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, on Thursday, 28th April, 1921, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—KELSO SETTLEMENT.
Tuapeka County.—Greenvale Survey District.

Section.	Area.			Capital Value.	Instalment on Deferred Payment (excluding Interest).	Half-yearly Rent on Lease.				
	A.	R.	P.			£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
1s	136	0	0	3,540 50*	177	0	0	79	13	0
2s	135	0	0	3,570 15*	178	10	0	80	6	6
3s	143	0	0	2,760 35*	138	0	0	62	2	0
4s	148	0	0	3,850 30*	192	10	0	86	12	6
5s	161	0	0	4,380 1,020† 275‡	270	0	0	98	11	0
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* Buildings payable in cash.

† Buildings payable in cash or by half-yearly instalments.

‡ Milking plant to be paid for in cash.

§ Half-yearly payment on buildings.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements included in the capital values of the sections consist of boundary and subdivisional fences valued as follows: Section 1s, £138; Section 2s, £128 5s.; Section 3s, £111 17s.; Section 4s, £147 10s.; Section 5s, £269 10s.

The improvements not included in the capital value, but which have to be paid for separately, are:—

Section 1s.—Hut on sledge (middle hut), with bathroom attached, £30; and motor-garage, £20. Total valuation for buildings, £50, payable in cash. These buildings are now on

Section 5s, and must be removed by the lessee of Section 1s and re-erected on his allotment at his own expense.

Section 2s.—Hut on sledge now on Allotment 3s, valued at £15, payable in cash.

Section 3s.—Yards and dip, £10; also hut on sledge (nearest stable), now on Allotment 5s, £25. Total valuation for buildings, £35, payable in cash. The hut must be removed by the lessee of Section 3s and re-erected on his allotment at his own expense.

Section 4s.—Open iron shed, £20; hut on sledge (nearest dwellinghouse), £10. Total valuation for buildings, £30, payable in cash. These buildings are now on Section 5s, and must be removed by the lessee of Section 4s and re-erected on his allotment at his own expense.

Section 5s.—Killing-house, £15; stable, £200; cow-byre, £150; house, £560; outbuildings, £80; pig-sty, £5; and sheep-yards, £10. Total valuation for improvements, £1,020, payable in cash or in twenty-one years by forty-two half-yearly instalments of £39 15s. 7d.; total half-yearly payment on lease, £138 6s. 7d. In addition, the milking plant on 5s, and valued at £275, must be paid for in cash.

SPECIAL CONDITION.

The pumping plant comprising oil-engine and pump, and the iron shed covering them, also all water-pipes from the plant, shall remain the property of the Crown, to whom the right of access is reserved to any allotment for the purpose of inspection or repair or work of any kind in connection with the said plant and pipes.

The selector of Allotment 5s shall have charge of the pumping plant, and it shall be a condition of his lease that he shall pump a reasonable supply of water to Allotments 2s and 4s along the pipes now leading to Allotments 2s and 4s. The selectors of Allotments 2s and 4s shall keep in repair the pipes leading to their allotments.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

This property lies about three miles from Heriot Township, and about the same distance from Kelso. It is practically level. Access by good roads. The soil is a black loam on a good subsoil. It is capable of growing good oats, roots, and grass.

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

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Sale or Lease to Discharged Soldiers.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 14th March, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for sale or lease under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and the regulations thereunder; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the 26th April, 1921.

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

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 27th April, 1921, at 10 o'clock a.m.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Kaitieke County.—Hunua Survey District.

SECTION 11, Block II: Area, 209 acres 2 roods 13 perches; capital value, £840; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £42; half-yearly rent on lease, £18 18s.

Situated at southern termination of Mission Road, about one mile south of the traffic-bridge across the Wanganui. Access from Taumarunui, three miles distant, by metalled dray-road, via Matapurua Bridge.

The section comprises undulating to broken country, with altitude 600 ft. to 1,400. The timber has been milled, but the land has the usual undergrowth. There is sufficient easy country for homestead, and about 15 acres suitable for cultivation. The land is well watered by permanent accessible streams.

Kaitieke County.—Retaruke Survey District.

(Exempt from Rent for Four Years.)

Section 1, Block XIV: Area 1,626 acres; capital value, £2,645; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £132 5s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £59 10s. 3d.

Access from Raurimu, thirty-seven miles distant—twenty miles formed dray-road, ten miles pack-track, and seven miles

unformed surveyed road. Access can also be made from Retaruke Landing on Wanganui River, seven miles distant, by surveyed road. Section comprises broken to undulating land, with altitude 900 ft. to 1,850 ft. The soil is poor to good, resting on papa and sandstone formation, and is covered with virgin bush, which when cleared will make good grazing-land for sheep or cattle. Section is well watered by permanent streams.

Section 7, Block XV: Area, 1,101 acres; capital value, £1,650; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £82 10s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £37 12s. 6d.

Access from Raetihi, about thirty-five miles distant, and can also be made from Wanganui River. Soil fair, resting on papa and sandstone formation. Land is rough bush country, with altitude of 450 ft. to 1,950 ft. Covered with heavy bush, with heavy undergrowth. Land is watered by the Kaiwhakauka Stream.

(Exempt from Rent for One Year.)

Sections 5, Block XI, and 5, Block XV: Area, 540 acres 3 roods 18 perches; capital value, £840; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £42; half-yearly rent on lease, £18 18s.

Weighted with £620 for improvements, namely: Section 5, Block XI, felling and grassing, £28; fencing, £32; dwelling, £100; shed, £10; track, £10; Section 5, Block XV, felling and grassing, 91 acres, £387; whare, £33; tracks, £20. Section 5, Block XV, is exempt from rent and rates until 1st January, 1922.

Access is from Raetihi, thirty-two miles distant, by formed road in course of construction. Access can also be obtained from Retaruke Landing on the Wanganui River by surveyed road for seven miles.

Waimarino County.—Whirinaki Survey District.

(Exempt from Rent for Two Years.)

Section 8, Block III: Area, 568 acres 3 roods; capital value, £845; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £42 5s. 6d.; half-yearly rent on lease, £19.

Weighted with £540—felling and grassing 120 acres, £510; logging, £10; and tracking, £20.

Situated thirty-two miles from Raetihi (Raetihi—Ohura Road), a dray-road at present in the course of construction. Access can also be made via Wanganui River. Land is fair to light on a sandstone formation, and is covered with bush, with exception of 120 acres felled and grassed. Altitude, from 1,000 ft. to 2,100 ft. Land is well watered.

(Exempt from Rent for One Year.)

Section 7, Block IV: Area, 852 acres; capital value, £1,535; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £76 15s.; half-yearly rent on lease, £34 10s. 9d.

Weighted with improvements valued at £1,240—felling and grassing, £1,102; fencing, £120; cultivation, £18.

Access is from Raetihi, thirty-two miles distant, by formed dray-road at present in the course of construction. Access can also be obtained via Wade's Landing on the Wanganui River. The land is hilly throughout, with flat in the valley, and has altitude from 600 ft. to 2,300 ft.; and is covered with mixed bush, with exception of 87 acres felled and grassed and 145 acres felled only. The soil is fair to good, on a papa and sandstone formation.

(Exempt from Rent for Four Years.)

Section 1, Block X: Area, 425 acres 2 roods 30 perches; capital value, £640; annual instalment on deferred payment (excluding interest), £32; half-yearly rent on lease, £14 8s.

Situated thirty-two miles from Raetihi by dray-road in course of construction. The section is fair to medium land resting on papa formation, is undulating to hilly, with altitude of 500 ft. to 1,500 ft., and is covered with medium bush with thick undergrowth. The land is well watered by permanent springs and streams.

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

G. H. M. McCLURE,

Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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.

Cooper, Leslie, of Katikati, Contractor: First and final dividend of 3s. 3d. in the pound.

Grace, T. A., of Taupo, Labourer: Supplementary dividend of 6d. in the pound.

Brown, Samuel, of Otahuhu, Labourer: First dividend of 6s. in the pound.

Hunter and Smith, of Hamilton, Cabinetmakers: Supplementary dividend of 4d. in the pound.

Moorhouse, George, of Onehunga, Loom-tuner: First and final dividend of 20s. in the pound.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

Auckland, 14th March, 1921.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS WILLIAM PLANK, of Mangapeehi, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Taumarunui, on Friday, the 18th day of March, 1921, at 11 o'clock a.m.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

8th March, 1921.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES BRODIE ERSKINE, of Waerenga-o-kuri, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 15th day of March, 1921, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

4th March, 1921.

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In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of JAMES ERSKINE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second and final dividend of 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. in the pound on all proved accepted claims is now payable at my office, Redstone's Buildings, Lowe Street, Gisborne.

Promissory notes must be produced for endorsement. Dividends unclaimed on the 28th instant will be disposed of in accordance with the Act.

8th March, 1921.

A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED GEOFFREY HARDY and ALEXANDER McWILLIAM, both of Wanganui, Merchants and Agents, carrying on business in co-partnership as "Hardy and McWilliams," were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Monday, the 21st day of March, 1921, at 3.30 o'clock p.m.

12th March, 1921.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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:—

Gleeson, Louis, of Chatto Creek, Contractor: First dividend of 4s. 6d. in the pound.

Thompson, Isabella, of Dunedin, Widow (Boardinghouse-keeper): First and final dividend of 20s. in the pound (payable on 31st March, 1921).

Tye, Charles, of Chaslands, Farmer: First and final dividend of 8s. in the pound.

W. W. SAMSON, Official Assignee.
Dunedin, 12th March, 1921.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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

Application 4961 (D.P. 4844). THOMAS WING.—160 acres 3 roods 1 perch, situate in Block III, Rangitoto Survey District, being part Block VII, Rangitikei District. Occupied by applicant.

Application 4963 (D.P. 4763). ROBERT MORTIMER MOSS.—1 rood 10-8 perches, part Section 20, Masterton Small-farm Settlement (Borough of Masterton). Occupied by applicant.

Applicant 4955 (D.P. 4833). ELIZABETH MAY COLE.—30-69 perches, part Section 206, Taratahi Plain Block (Borough of Carterton). Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1921, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

W. WYINKS, District Land Registrar.

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

12871. HERBERT HINGSTON DINGLE.—30-7 perches, Lot 24, plan 3463, part of Rural Section 325, Leith Street, City of Christchurch. Part occupied by T. H. Strachan and balance unoccupied.

12872. JESSIE ANN ELIZA FOSTER and MARY JANE CHRISTINA BLACKETT.—1 acre 3 roods 30 perches, part of Rural Section 226A, Percival, Queen, and Victoria Streets, Borough of Rangiora. Part occupied by F. Judge and balance by T. J. Hughes.

12726. EMMA MAUD READ.—23-5 perches, part of Rural Section 7512, Grehan Road, Block IV, Akaroa Survey District. Occupied by a tenant.

12874. DAVID JAMES YOUNG.—182 acres 1 rood, Rural Section 7697, and parts of Rural Sections 5581 and 6613, Blocks I and II, Arowhenua Survey District. Occupied by R. H. Barker.

12875. CHARLES GEORGE KIRK.—22-4 perches, part of Lot 76, plan 2912, part Rural Section 325, Hills Road, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1921, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

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

3091. ROBERT MARSHALL.—253 acres 3 roods 12 perches, Sections 29, 30, 31, and 32, Block II, Aparima Hundred. Occupied by applicant. Plan No. 1989.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1921, at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

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

The Nelson Motors (Limited). 1920/6.

Dated at Nelson this 15th day of March, 1921.

J. A. FRASER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE SOUTHERN TRADING COMPANY (LIMITED).

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the situation of the office or place of business of the above company at which legal process may be served is at No. 31 Hunter Street, Wellington.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1921.

S. H. JACKSON, Attorney.

Bell, Gully, Myers, and O'Leary,
Solicitors, Panama Street.

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SELWYN KING AND CO. (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special resolution was passed at a meeting of the company held on February 16th, 1921, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting on March 2nd, 1921—namely, That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. SELWYN KING be appointed Liquidator.

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SELWYN KING, Liquidator.

In the matter of W. SEY AND SONS (LIMITED), a private company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special resolutions have this day been signed, adopted, and passed by all the members of the above-named company, viz.:—

1. Resolved that the assets and business of the company having been sold the company be wound up voluntarily.

2. Resolved that WILLIAM GRAHAM JAMIESON be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1921.

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W. G. JAMIESON, Liquidator.

BOROUGH OF PETONE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Council of the Borough of Petone at a meeting of the said Council held at the Council Chambers, Petone, on the 28th day of February, 1921, hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £1,500, authorized to be raised by the Council of the Borough of Petone, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of paying off the sum of £1,500, part of a special loan of £2,000 heretofore lawfully raised by the said Council, which loan of £2,000 became due on the 21st day of February, 1921, and was at that date reduced by the sum of £500, leaving the sum of £1,500 due on the said 21st day of February, 1921, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one twenty-third of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Petone, comprising the whole of the land within the said Borough of Petone; and that such special rate be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 21st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty (20) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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W. F. STURMAN, Town Clerk.

PIAKO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the interest and sinking fund on a loan of £300, authorized to be raised by the Piako County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of completing the metalling of the Piakoiti Valley Road for the first time, the said Piako County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{1}{4}$ d. in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property within the boundaries of the Piakoiti Valley Road Special Rating Area, as set out in the original loan on page 937 of the *New Zealand Gazette* of 28th March, 1913; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the first day of April 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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F. W. WALTERS, Chairman.

OHURA 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 Ohura 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 £11,700, authorized to be raised by the Ohura County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the following purpose:—

(1.) £9,000 of the loan to be used for the purpose of widening, culverting, and metalling the Kururau Road from the Ongarue River bridge to the junction of the Whakamaro Road;

(2.) £700 for widening and culverting the Kururau Road from its junction with the Otunui North Road towards the Opathea Road;

(3.) £1,000 for widening and culverting the Kururau Road from Mr. R. Goodwin's homestead gate to the Opathea Road;

(4.) £750 for widening, culverting, and metalling the Otunui North Road from its junction with the Kururau Road;

(5.) £250 for widening and culverting the Whakamaro Road from its junction with the Kururau Road;

the said Ohura County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of twopence in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Kururau Special Rating District, comprising the following sections: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 12, Lot 1 of Section 13, Block I, Piopioea West S.D.; Sections 1, 2, 4, Block II, Piopioea West S.D.; Sections 1, 2, Block III, Piopioea West S.D.; Sections 2, 4, 5, 6, Block VIII, Ohura S.D.; Sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, Block XI, Ohura S.D.; Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10, 11, Block XII, Ohura S.D.; Sections 1, 2, 9, 10, Block XV, Ohura S.D.; Sections 1, 3, 7, Block XVI, Ohura S.D.; Section 2, Block 3, Rangi S.D.; Ohura South N 2E 3E, Ohura South N 2E Sec. 3E, Ohura South N 2E Sec. 3E part, Ohura South N 2E Sec. 3E, Ohura South N 2B part, Ohura South N 2D 2A 2B, Ohura South N 2E 3B 3D, Ohura South N 2E 3G, Ohura South 2D No. 1, Ohura South N 2E 3F, Ohura South N 2E 3G, Ohura South 2E Sec. 1, Ohura South 3G Sec. 2, Ohura South 3G 3 part, Ohura South 3G 3 part, Ohura South 3G 2R part, Ohura South 2E Sec. 2, Ohura South 3E Sec. 3, Ohura South 3G No. 1 part, Ohura South 3A.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 14th day of February 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.

244 JOHN F. McCLENAGHAN, County Clerk.

In the matter of the Administration Act, 1908, Part IV; and in the matter of the deceased estate of FREDERICK HULSE, Konini Road, Hataitai, Builder.

ALL claims against the above estate must be rendered to the Administrator at the undermentioned address on or before Thursday, 7th day of April, 1921. Claims not sent in by this day may be excluded.

J. L. ARCUS, Administrator.

Dominion Farmers' Institute Building (3rd Floor),
Featherston Street, Wellington. 245

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that the Waipa County Council proposes to execute certain public works—to wit, the construction of a public road; for which purpose the following lands require to be taken by the said Waipa County Council under the provisions of sections 18 and 19 of the Public Works Act, 1908, that is to say:—

All that piece of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 26·2 perches (more or less), being part of Allotment Number 85 of the Parish of Pukete, bounded towards the north-west by Allotment 84 of the said parish, 138·8 links; towards the east by other part of the said Allotment 85, 729·1 links; towards the south-west by a public road, 105·7 links; and towards the west by Lot 24 of a subdivision of the said Allotment 85, 264·22 links, and by other part of the said Allotment 85, 334·38 links.

A plan of the lands required to be taken as aforesaid is open for inspection at the office of Messrs. Swarbrick and Swarbrick, Solicitors, Argus Buildings, Victoria Street, Hamilton.

All persons affected are hereby called upon to set forth in writing any well-founded objections to the execution of such works or to the taking of such lands, and to send such writing to the Waipa County Council at Te Awamutu within forty days from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Te Awamutu this 12th day of March, 1921.

By order of the Waipa County Council.

246 C. BOWDEN, Clerk.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between JOHN JONES, GARLAND JONES, NORMAN JONES, and IDRIS JONES has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business lately carried on by them will now be conducted by the said GARLAND JONES, NORMAN JONES, and IDRIS JONES.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1921.

JOHN JONES.
NORMAN JONES.
GARLAND JONES.
IDRIS JONES.

Witness—Hector Christie, Solicitor, Wanganui. 247

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JOHN BALDWIN and MALCOLM MCLEOD, carrying on business at Gore as Tailors under the style or firm of "Jack Baldwin and Company," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 21st day of February, 1921. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by JOHN BALDWIN, who will continue to carry on the said business.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1921.

JOHN BALDWIN.
M. MCLEOD.

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JOHN BURNS ELECTRO-PLATE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of sections 230 and 252 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the above-named company will be held at Dominion Farmers' Institute (3rd Floor), Featherston Street, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 30th day of March, 1921, at 12 noon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator; and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

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H. O. GOW, Liquidator.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW ZEALAND, OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND DISTRICT.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and the rules and regulations thereunder; and in the matter of THE DOMINION PRODUCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was on the 9th day of March, 1921, presented to Mr. Justice Sim, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by The I. and S. Trust (Limited), of Dunedin, a contributory of the said company; and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court at the Supreme Court House, Dunedin, on the 29th day of March, 1921, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; 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 the hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

DOWNIE STEWART AND PAYNE,

Of Liverpool Street, Dunedin.

(Agents for FINDLAY, HOGGARD, AND MORRISON,
197 Lambton Quay, Wellington,

Solicitors for Petitioner.)

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MURCHISON COUNTY COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by subsection (e) of section 16 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, it thereunto enabling, the Murchison County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Murchison County Council Hydro-electric Development Loan of £12,000, 1921, authorized to be raised by the said Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of acquiring land and purchasing necessary machinery and other works in connection with the installation of a hydro-electric system within the Six-mile Hydro-electric Development Special Rating Area of the County of Murchison, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of fivepence (5d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable properties within the Six-mile Hydro-electric Development Special Rating Area, such special rating area commencing from the southern boundary of Section 7 in Block IX, Tutaki Survey District, and including the whole of the rateable properties in Blocks I, II, V, VI, IX, and X, Tutaki Survey District, and Block XIII, Matiri Survey District, bounded on the east from the S.E. corner of Section 7, Block IX, Tutaki Survey District, to the N.E. corner of Section 2, Block II, Tutaki Survey District, by the unsurveyed Crown Lands in Blocks II, VI, and X, Tutaki Survey District; on the north by the Buller River from the N.E. corner of Section 2, Block II, Tutaki Survey District, to the N.W. boundary of Section 56, Block XIII, Matiri Survey District; thence on the west along the block-line between the Matiri, Tutaki, Lyell, and Maruia Survey Districts to the S.W. corner of Section 6, Block I, Tutaki Survey District; and on the

south by the southern boundaries of Sections 6, 96, and 97 to the main coach-road; thence in a south-easterly direction along the said road to the Matakaitaki Bridge at Murchison; and on the west by the Matakaitaki River from the said bridge to the S.W. corner of Section 1, Block IX, Tutaki Survey District.

And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 30th day of September 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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A. G. MONAHAN, Chairman.
HUGH FRASER, County Clerk.

RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING SPECIAL RATE.—EREWHON RIDING LOAN OF £40,000.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Rangitikei County Council Erehwon Riding Special Loan of £40,000, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of formation and metalling of roads for the first time in the Erehwon Riding of the said county and the erection of bridges over the Rangitikei River, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny farthing (1¼d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Erehwon Riding of the said county; 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 May 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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BEN P. LETHBRIDGE, Chairman.
HAROLD H. RICHARDSON, County Clerk.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

IT is hereby notified that the office or place of business of COPESTAKE, CRAMPTON, AND CO. (COLONIAL), LIMITED, where legal process may be served and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is Room No. 16, Second Floor, Hannah's Building, No. 262 Lambton Quay, in the City of Wellington.

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COPESTAKE, CRAMPTON, AND CO.
(COLONIAL), LIMITED
(By its Attorney, L. D. HURST).

OPOTIKI COUNTY COUNCIL.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of the principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £16,000, authorized to be raised by the Opotiki County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for forming, constructing, and metalling the main East Coast Road and bridges, and purchasing two motor-lorries and plant, the said Opotiki County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one halfpenny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the County of Opotiki, comprising the whole of the County of Opotiki; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of June and the first day of December in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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J. B. GOW, Chairman.
WILLIAM YOUNG, County Clerk.

FEATHERSTON COUNTY COUNCIL.

HUANGARUA BRIDGE LOAN.—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 principal and interest and also other charges on a loan of £4,200, authorized to be raised by the Featherston County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the construction of a bridge over the Huangarua River,

and making the necessary protective works and approaches thereto, the said Featherston County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of eleven-sixteenths (11/16ths) of a penny in the pound sterling upon the rateable value of all rateable properties situated within the Huangarua Bridge Special Rating District, comprising all those areas hereinafter described and mentioned, and owned or occupied by the persons whose names are set against each respective area, viz:—

Part Sections 1 to 4, 53, 73, 76 to 78, 80 to 82, 84 to 89, 91, 92, 94 to 96, 102, Blocks IV, VII, XI, Huangarua S.D.; 3,501 acres 2 roods 8 perches; W. J. Martin.

Sections 3, 4, 69, part Sections 1, 53, 68, 70, 73, 74, Blocks VI, X, Huangarua S.D.; 1,458 acres 2 roods 16 perches; A. B. Martin.

Part Sections 57, 68, 73, 76 to 78, 81, 82, 85, Blocks IV, VII, X, XI, Huangarua S.D.; 1,137 acres; M. K., J. G., and M. S. Martin.

Sections 58, 60 to 67, part Section 57, Blocks VI, VII, Huangarua S.D.; 2,932 acres; C. H. G. Hewitt.

Lots 1 to 9 of Section 54, 57, Block VI, Huangarua S.D.; 2,388 acres 3 roods 15 perches; J. F. Wall.

Sections 55, 56, 99, 100, and Lot 11 of Section 57, Block VI, Huangarua S.D.; 910 acres 2 roods 16 perches; H. W. Blundell.

Part Section 768 of Section 94, 1, 95, and part Sections 1 and 95, Block IX, Huangarua S.D.; 235 acres 3 roods 37 perches; J. Martin, junior.

All the aforementioned properties lying within the Martinborough Riding of the Featherston County.

Also part Lot 1, part Subdivisions 1 and 4, Moiki Block, and Subdivision 13 and part Subdivision 1, Uruokakiti South, Block V, Huangarua S.D.; 302 acres 3 roods; W. M. Jury. This property lying within the Greytown Riding of the County.

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

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GEO. W. COBB, County Clerk.

HUNGARUNGA DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION STRIKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN (10 PER CENT. ADDITIONAL) OF £130.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by section 18 (1) of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hungarunga Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest at the rate of four pounds ten shillings per centum per annum, and also other charges on a loan of £130, authorized to be raised by the Hungarunga Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Act, being an amount equal to ten per cent. on the original loan of £1,300 raised by the said Board for the purpose of cleansing, widening, and deepening existing watercourses, drains, and outfalls, and to make and construct new watercourses, drains, and outfalls, such original loan having been found insufficient to complete the said works, the said Hungarunga Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of a penny in the pound upon the unimproved value of all rateable property classified "A," one-sixteenth of a penny upon the unimproved value of all rateable property classified "B," and one thirty-second of a penny upon the unimproved value of all rateable property classified "C," as set out in the classification schedule hereunder; 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 November 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.

Classification Schedule.

Class "A."—Wairere Survey District.—Pt. S.E. Block 6, 100 acres; Lot 1 of pt. 2, Hungarunga No. 1, 45 acres; Lot 2 of pt. 2, Hungarunga No. 1, 112 acres; Sec. 1, Hungarunga No. 1, 30 acres; Section 3, 390 acres; Sec. pt. 4, 119 acres; Sec. 4 (part), 101 acres; Lot 1 of Sec. 5, 70 acres; Lot 5, 112 acres; Lot 1/3 of Sec. 6, 166 acres; Lot 2 of Sec. 6, 113 acres; Lots 2, 3, of Sec. 5, 155 acres; Sec. 6, 60 acres; Sec. 7, 56 acres; Lot pt. 2 of Sec. 6, 75 acres; Lot E, pt. 7, 75 acres; pt. Sec. 8, 100 acres; pt. Sec. 8, 34 acres; pt. Sec. 8, 70 acres; Sec. 9, pt. 10, 120 acres; Lot 5, pt. 8, 70 acres; Lot 3, pt. 8, 32 acres; Block IX, pt. 10, Hungarunga No. 4, 80 acres; Sec. 11, pt. 11A, 50 acres; Lot pt. 9, all 10, No. 1, 310 acres; Sec. 10, pt. 11, 257 acres; Sec. 13, Waharoa Est., 35 acres; Secs. 14, 15, Waharoa Est., 89 acres; Lot N.E. of 8, Turangaomoana Blocks IX, XIII, 50 acres; Sec. 25, Waharoa Est., Block XIII, 60 acres; Sec. 26, Waharoa

Est., Block XIII, 35 acres; Sec. 24A, Matamata Est., 20 acres; pt. 22, Block XIV, 40 acres; Sec. 21, Block XIV, 30 acres.

Class "B."—Section 4, pt. 8, Hunga No. 1, 67 acres; Sec. 1, Hunga No. 1, 56 acres; Sec. 4, pt. 1, 80 acres; Lot 1 of Sec. 5, 10 acres; Lot 5, 40 acres; Lot 1/3 of Sec. 6, 20 acres; Lot 2 of Sec. 6, 6 acres; Lots 2, 3, of 5, 23 acres; Lot 2 of Sec. 6, 25 acres; Lot E, pt. 7, 7 acres; part Sec. 8, 45 acres; pt. Sec. 8, 20 acres; Lot 5, pt. 8, Block IX, 10 acres; Lot 3, pt. 8, 48 acres; Lot 6, 60 acres; Sec. 11, pt. 11A, No. 4, 20 acres; Lot 2 of pt. 9, 120 acres; Lot pt. 9, all 10, No. 1, 180 acres; Sec. 10, pt. 11, 108 acres; Sec. 11, Waharoa Est., 15 acres; Sec. 12, Waharoa Est., 30 acres; Sec. 13, 16 acres; Secs. 14, 15, 27 acres; Lot pt. 92, Turangaomoana, 28 acres; Lot N.E. of 8, Blocks IX, XIII, 100 acres; Sec. 25, Waharoa Est., 20 acres; Sec. 24A, Matamata Est., 40 acres; pt. 22, Block XIV, 20 acres; Sec. 21, Block XIV, 20 acres.

Class "C."—Lot of pt. S.E. pt. 4, 3, Block VI, Wairere S.D., 39 acres; Lot 2 of pt. S.E. pt. 30, pt. 4, 24 acres; Lot 4, pt. 8, Hungahunga No. 1, 20 acres; Sec. 1, Hunga No. 1, 21 acres; Lot 3, 11 acres; Sec. 4, 20 acres; Lots 1, 3, of Sec. 6, 30 acres; Lots 2, 3, of 5, 44 acres; Sec. 6, 9 acres; Sec. 7, 14 acres; Lot 2 of 6, 19 acres; Lot E, pt. 7, 19 acres; Sec. 8, Hunga No. 1, 4, 50 acres; pt. Sec. 8, 10 acres; Sec. 9, pt. 10, 50 acres; Lot 5, pt. 8, Block LX, 10 acres; Lot 6, 28 acres; pt. 10, Hunga No. 4, 40 acres; Lot 2 of pt. 9, 15 acres; Lot pt. 9, all 10, 110 acres; Sec. 10, pt. 11, 140 acres; Sec. 11, Waharoa Est., 25 acres; Sec. 12, Waharoa Est., 40 acres; Sec. 13, Waharoa Est., 40 acres; Secs. 14, 15, Waharoa Est., 16 acres; Lot pt. 2, Turangaomoana, 20 acres; Lot N.E. of 8, Block IX, 13, 150 acres; Sec. 25, Waharoa Est., 18 acres; Sec. 26, Waharoa Est., 30 acres; Sec. 24A, Matamata Est., 33 acres.

F. E. HUGHES, Chairman.
F. W. WILD, Clerk.

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STRATFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING SPECIAL RATE.—NEW ROAD £1,200 LOAN.

THAT, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also other charges on a loan of £1,200, authorized to be raised by the Stratford County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for forming and metalling the New Road from the Toko Road for a distance of about 63 chains, the said Stratford County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and three-eighths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the New Road £1,200 Loan Special Rating District, comprising Subs. 2 and 4, part Toko A and B Blocks; Allotment 2, part of Sub. 1, Toko A Block; part Sub. 2 of 2, Toko A Block (50 acres); and part of Sub. 3, Toko A Block (100 acres). 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 February 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.

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E. WALTER, Chairman.

BARNETT AND STEWART (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of shareholders of Barnett and Stewart (Limited), in Liquidation, will be held at the Liquidator's office, 7 Liverpool Street, Dunedin, on Thursday, the 31st day of March, 1921, at 3 p.m.

OBJECT.—To report to the shareholders the manner in which the winding-up of the company has been conducted.

GEORGE BLYTH AND CO., Liquidators.

Dated at Dunedin this 14th day of March, 1921. 258

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1920, the Cemeteries Act, 1908, and the Public Works Act, 1908, and its amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Wairoa County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-entitled Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the acquisition of land for a cemetery at Te Reinga; and for that purpose the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is likewise given that a plan of the said land is deposited in the office of the said Council in Queen Street, in the Borough of Wairoa, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours.

All persons affected are called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections they may have to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said land,

and to send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said Council at its office aforesaid.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1921.

THE SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 3 roods 11 perches, more or less, being part of the Manga-poike 2A 2 Block, situate in Block Two of the Opoiti Survey District, and being the land coloured red in outline on plan deposited in the office at Gisborne of the Chief Surveyor of the Land District of Hawke's Bay under Number 937, brown. 259

B. G. SIGNALL, County Clerk.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between FRANK HITCHCOCK and JOSEPH HOWE, carrying on business as "Hitchcock and Howe," Plumbers and Sheet and Metal Workers at Tower Road, Matamata, has as from the twelfth instant been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts owing to the late firm must be paid forthwith to Messrs. Buchanan and Purnell, Solicitors, Matamata.

Dated at Matamata this 12th day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

FRANK HITCHCOCK.
JOSEPH HOWE.

Witness—Jno. Buchanan, Solicitor, Matamata. 261

DARGAVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION STRIKING 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 Dargaville Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of thirty-one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five pounds (£13,855), authorized to be raised by the said Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the following purposes:—

- (a.) Mangawhare Road—carriage-way and footpath, reconditioning, tar-sealing, and concrete kerbing: £1,828
- (b.) Victoria Street, from Kaihu Creek Bridge to Edward Street—carriage-way and footpath, relaying, tar-sealing, and concrete kerbing: £1,000
- (c.) Victoria Street, from Edward Street to Parore Street—carriage-way to be laid down in concrete from kerb to kerb, footpaths to be concreted, kerbed, and sealed: £6,075
- (d.) Victoria Street, from Parore Street to three chains past Gladstone Street—centre of carriage-way concrete, sides tar-sealed, footpaths concrete-kerbed and tar-sealed: £1,200
- (e.) Victoria Street, from three chains past Gladstone Street to Grey Street—improvements: £1,000
- (f.) Edward Street, from Victoria Street to Normanby Street—carriage-way and one footpath, formation, metalling, and tar-sealing: £383
- (g.) Hokianga Road, from Victoria Street to railway-line—centre of carriage-way 30 ft. concrete, sides tar-sealed; footpaths concrete-kerbed and tar-sealed: £2,500
- (h.) Normanby Street—footpath on north side from post-office to Beach Road, and approach to Technical High School: £599
- (i.) Kapia Street—carriage-way and one footpath, formation, metalling, tar-sealing, and concrete kerbing: £227
- (j.) Parenga Street—carriage-way and footpath, formation, metalling, tar-sealing, and concrete kerbing: £264
- (k.) Parore Street, from Normanby Street to Victoria Street—carriage-way and footpaths tar-sealed and concrete kerbing: £168
- (l.) Parore Street, from Normanby Street to Gordon Street—carriage-way and footpath, formation, metalling, &c.: £282
- (m.) Retaining-wall, Normanby Street: £111
- (n.) Logan Street—formation, metalling, and footpath: £3,092
- (o.) Liverpool Street—formation, metalling, and footpath, and drainage: £531
- (p.) Grey Street, from Victoria Street to Jervois Street: £150
- (q.) Bowen Street, length fourteen chains from Jervois Street: £375
- (r.) Tunatahi Street, from Hokianga Road to Parore Street: £700

- (s.) Victoria Street Esplanade, from Dargaville Club to mouth of Kaihu Creek : £838
 (t.) Improvements to Selwyn Park : £320
 (u.) Drainage from public school and Portland Street via Tirarau and Parore Streets to Normanby Street : £1,500
 (v.) Drainage from Normanby Street to river : £350
 (w.) Transport plant and road-making machinery : £5,000
 (x.) Municipal yard and shed : £1,000
 (y.) Contingencies, first year's interest, and sinking fund : £2,362

the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of two and seven-sixteenths of a penny (2d. and 7/16d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Dargaville; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of June 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.

R. E. HORNBLow, Mayor.
 WILLIAM MARTIN, Town Clerk.

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WELLINGTON CITY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, and their amendments.

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SCHEDULE.

AREA, 0.39 perches.
 Being part of pt. Lot 51, D.P. 1632, being part Section 32, Karori Registration District, Block VI, Port Nicholson S.D. Coloured on plan: Red.
 Situate in City of Wellington.

In the Land District of Wellington; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 14th day of March, 1921.

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