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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 10, Block LXIV, Te Aroha Township: Area, 1 rood.

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 June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is

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hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 2, Block XIV, Rotoiti Survey District: Area, 83 acres 1 rood 25 perches.

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 June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart for Selection.

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of every power and authority enabling me in this behalf, and for the purposes of the aforesaid Act, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land described in the Schedule hereto as set apart for selection.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Wharepungu Extension No. 4 Block.

SECTION 5, Block III, Sections 1-7 (inclusive), Block IV, Sections 7-13 (inclusive), Block VII, Sections 1-10 (in-

clusive), and 12-17 (inclusive), Block VIII, Sections 12-15 (inclusive), Block XI, Sections 1-10 (inclusive), Block XII, and Section 15, Block XV, Wharepapa Survey District: Area, 16,695 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 8th day of June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION

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

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Wharekaka Settlement.—Uawa County.—Uawa Survey District.

SECTION	Is	Area.			SECTION	8s	Area.		
		A.	R.	P.			A.	R.	P.
..	37	1	23	..	64	2	12		
..	2s	35	2	38	..	9s	92	2	35
..	3s	40	0	1	..	10s	68	3	5
..	4s	43	1	2	..	11s	60	0	0
..	5s	60	0	0	..	12s	65	0	0
..	6s	64	0	15	..	13s	45	0	0
..	7s	56	1	25	..	14s	45	0	4

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Almadale Settlement.—Orua County.—Orua Survey District.

Section 1	..	41	3	13	Section 6	..	149	3	36
.. 2	..	35	2	13	.. 7	..	112	3	24
.. 3	..	42	3	0	.. 8	..	105	0	19
.. 4	..	41	0	37	.. 9	..	104	3	28
.. 5	..	36	0	0					

Pukekoia Settlement.—Rangitikei County.

Section 1	..	141	0	0	Section 6	..	76	3	0
.. 2	..	129	3	0	.. 7	..	120	3	0
.. 3	..	136	1	0	.. 8	..	110	2	0
.. 4	..	60	1	0	.. 9	..	68	1	0
.. 5	..	61	1	0					

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 7th day of June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Block IV, Hunua Survey District, Wellington Land District, proclaimed Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue of the powers conferred upon me by section fifty-eight of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1919, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown Land, subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, such land being part of the area referred to in paragraph (b) of subsection six of the said section fifty-eight, and comprising land not required for reservation for scenic purposes in terms of subsection two of the said section.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 985 acres, be the same a little

more or less, situated in Block IV, Hunua Survey District, being part of the land in certificate of title, Vol. 217, folio 92. Bounded on the north by part of the Tunakotekote Road; towards the east by the Wanganui River Road; towards the south by a line starting at a point on the Wanganui River Road about thirty-four chains south of the junction of that road with the Makokomiko Road and running in a north-westerly direction to the Makokomiko Stream; thence by the northern bank of that stream to the eastern bank of the Wanganui River; and towards the west generally by the Wanganui River to the place of commencement. As the same is more particularly shown on plan numbered 6480, deposited in the Wellington District Office of the Lands and Survey Department, being the sections numbered B and C, and two portions coloured green and marked "Scenic Reserves," containing an area of 1½ acres each.

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 June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation made on the ninth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and published in the Gazette of the twelfth day of August then instant, setting apart Crown land for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, in so far as it relates to the land in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 2, Block VIII, Mangonui Survey District: Area, 259 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 7th day of June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as ceasing to be set apart as National Endowment Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1920, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation approved in Executive Council, declare that any national endowment land disposed of under the Land Act, 1908, and held under lease or license by any person who is competent to acquire land under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, shall cease to be national endowment land:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto which is so held on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1908, should cease to be national endowment land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so conferred upon me by the aforesaid section eleven, 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, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date of the gazetting hereof the land described in the Schedule hereto, which was set apart as national endowment land under the provisions of section two hundred and fifty-eight of the Land Act, 1908, shall cease to be national endowment land.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 7, Block IX, Patetere North Survey District: Area, 273 acres 0 roods 20 perches.

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 6th day of June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Defining the Middle-line of a Further Portion of the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway.

[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 middle-line of a further portion of the Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point in Crown land, Block IV, Beaumont Survey District, marked 35 miles 45 chains, which point is also the termination of the railway described in a Proclamation dated the 25th day of May, 1911, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 45, of the 1st day of June, 1911, and proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly direction for a distance of 14 miles 15 chains, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands, &c.—viz., Crown land, Section 11, Block IV, Run 170E, Section 8, Block VII, Run 170B, Section 9, Block VII, all in the Beaumont Survey District; Run 170, Sections 14, 16, and mining reserve in Block XII, and Sections 60, 59, 58, 57, 38, 37, 36, 35, 34, 64, and road reserve, Block III, Benger Survey District; and terminating on the road reserve at a point marked 49 miles 60 chains: including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and watercourses: all in the Otago Land District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51618, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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 7th day of June, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block II, 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 areas of the pieces of land proclaimed as a road:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	2	30.4	Section 90, Square 23; coloured pink.
0	0	18.7	" 1; coloured purple.

Situated in Block II, Wakapuaka Survey District (Nelson R.D.). (S.O. 2793.)

In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51375,

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 13th day of June, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

MATATAIORE Block, being part of Section 1, Waitara West District, Paritutu Survey District: Area, 16 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 7th day of June, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

NGATITAMARONGO No. 19 Block, being Section 69, Block IX, Opunake Survey District: Area, 89 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 13th day of June, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the land set out in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land.

SCHEDULE.

SECTIONS 2 and 21, Block VII, Grant 3632, Waimate Survey District: Area, 26 acres 0 roods 6 perches.

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 13th day of June, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring a Native to be a European.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

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

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

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Amended Regulations.—Manual and Technical Instruction.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Education Act, 1914, and its amendments, and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulations for the election and appointment of Managers of Technical Schools made under the Education Act, 1914, by Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, and amended from time to time thereafter, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the regulations set forth in the Schedule hereto; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the first publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS FOR THE ELECTION AND APPOINTMENT OF MANAGERS OF TECHNICAL SCHOOLS.

Technical Schools (not being Schools mentioned in Subsections (2), (3), or (4) of Section 113 of the Education Act, 1914, as re-enacted by Section 31 of the Education Amendment Act, 1920).

1. SUBJECT to the provisions of the Education Act, 1914, and of these regulations, the Minister shall from time to time determine the number of managers to be appointed by the controlling authority, local authorities, and employers and employees in local industries respectively, pursuant to subsection (5) of section 113 of the Act as re-enacted by section 31 of the Education Amendment Act, 1920.

2. (i.) Managers appointed or elected to represent (a) the controlling authority, (b) the committee of the urban school district (if any), or, in the alternative, the members of school committees of public schools within five miles of the technical school concerned, (c) the local authorities of cities, boroughs, or counties within five miles of such technical school, (d) the employers and employees in local industries, as prescribed by the said subsection, shall be appointed or elected in the month of July, August, or September in each year as the controlling authority may in each case determine.

(ii.) The controlling authority shall in the month of June in each year give notice to all electing or appointing bodies of the number of members to be elected or appointed pursuant to the Act and these regulations, together with notice of the month in which such election or appointment is required to be held or made, provided that an advertisement in newspapers circulating in the district shall be deemed to be sufficient notice.

3. (i.) In the case of each of the following groups of electing bodies—*(a)* local authorities, *(b)* employers in local industries, *(c)* employees in local industries—there shall be constituted an electing committee appointed annually or when required.

(ii.) Such electing committee shall meet within the month determined by the controlling authority under regulation 2 hereof, and shall elect on behalf of the group of bodies concerned the number of representatives required in respect of that group in such manner as it shall deem fit.

(iii.) Each local authority of a city, borough, or county any part of which is within five miles of a technical school shall be entitled to appoint one member of the electing committee for local authorities.

(iv.) Local associations of employers recognized thereto by the Minister shall each be entitled to appoint one member of the electing committee for employers.

(v.) Local associations of employees recognized thereto by the Minister shall each be entitled to appoint one member of the electing committee for employees.

(vi.) The names and addresses of persons appointed as members of such electing committees shall be forwarded by the nominating bodies concerned to the Returning Officer referred to in regulation 5 hereof before the end of the first fourteen days of the month fixed by the controlling authority for the appointment or election of managers.

(vii.) The Returning Officer shall convene meetings of the electing committees for the purposes of such election, and shall act as secretary to these committees in person or by deputy :

Provided that where less than three such bodies or associations are concerned the representatives may be elected at a meeting of the members of such bodies or associations, or, in the case of employers and employees in local industries, at a meeting of such employers or employees called thereto for this purpose by the Returning Officer by advertisement in newspapers circulating in the district.

4. Where an urban school district has not been formed, the election of a representative of members of the school committees of the public schools within five miles of a technical school shall be held, when necessary, within the month determined by the controlling authority under regulation 2 hereof at a meeting of the members of such school committees convened for that purpose by the Returning Officer named in regulation 5 hereof, who shall act as secretary to such meeting in person or by deputy.

Election of Managers by Parents of Pupils attending a Technical School.

5. The election of managers by the parents of pupils attending a technical high school, pursuant to paragraph (c) of subsection (5) of section 113 aforesaid, shall be conducted in accordance with the following provisions, that is to say :—

(i.) Every such election shall be held during the month of July, August, or September of each year, on a date to be fixed by the controlling authority.

(ii.) The Secretary of the Board of Managers shall be the Returning Officer. In the case of a first election the secretary of the controlling body shall be the Returning Officer.

(iii.) For the purposes of each election the Returning Officer shall prepare a roll, and shall enter therein the name, occupation, and address of every person qualified to be enrolled as a parent of a pupil of the school. The roll shall be closed at 5 o'clock on the fourteenth day next on which any election is to be held, and shall continue to be closed until the election is completed.

(iv.) The Returning Officer shall, by advertisement in a newspaper circulating in the district, publicly notify, not less than fourteen days before such election,—

(a.) The day and hour for the closing of nominations ;

(b.) The number of men and women representatives respectively to be elected ;

(c.) The day and hour for the closing of the election.

(v.) Every candidate shall be nominated in writing by one or more parents entitled to vote for his election. Each such parent may nominate any number of candidates not exceeding the number to be elected.

(vi.) Every nomination-paper shall be in the form or to the effect following:—

I, [Name and address], being a parent duly entered on the roll, do hereby nominate [Name and address] as a candidate for election to the Managers of the [Name] Technical School at the election to be held on the day of , 19 .

Dated this day of 19 .

[Signature of Nominator.]

CANDIDATE'S CONSENT.

[To be subscribed at foot of Nomination-paper.]

I hereby consent to my nomination.

[Signature of candidate nominated.]

(vii.) If the nomination-paper does not bear the written consent of the candidate nominated, such consent may be given by him to the Returning Officer before the nominations are closed, and every nomination-paper shall be void in so far as concerns any candidate whose written consent is not duly given as aforesaid.

(viii.) Nominations shall close at noon on the tenth day before the day of the election.

(ix.) If the numbers of nominations of men and women candidates received do not exceed the number of vacancies for men and women members respectively to be filled, the Returning Officer shall forthwith declare the candidate or candidates so nominated to be duly elected. In all other cases he shall, as soon as the nominations are closed, prepare and post to each elector at his address as appearing on the roll a voting-paper containing in alphabetical order of surnames a list of all the duly nominated candidates, and such voting-paper shall be in the form or to the effect following:—

Voting-paper for Use at Election to be held on the day of 19 , of Members of the Board of Managers of the Technical School.

CANDIDATES.

[Set out in alphabetical order of surnames the full name of every duly nominated candidate.]

[Signature of Voter]

DIRECTIONS.

The numbers of men and women candidates respectively to be elected are men and women.

The voter is required to cross out the name or names of the candidate or candidates for whom he does not desire to vote.

The number of men and women candidates whose names are not thus crossed out must not exceed the respective numbers thereof to be elected.

The voting-paper must be signed by the voter and enclosed in a sealed envelope, bearing on the outside thereof the words "Voting Paper," and if posted to the Returning Officer must be posted on or before the day of election, or if delivered to him shall be delivered at his office at before the day of election or not later than 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

(x.) The poll shall close at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of the day of election, but all voting-papers shall be included and counted which are not informal and are received by the Returning Officer in due course of post before the close of the sixth day after the day of the election.

(xi.) A voting-paper shall be informal in any of the following cases, that is to say:—

- (a.) If it is not duly signed by the parent; or
- (b.) If the number of candidates whose names are not crossed out exceeds the total number of candidates for whom the person is entitled to vote, or if in any other way the paper fails to indicate clearly for whom the vote is intended to be given; or
- (c.) If, being delivered to the Returning Officer, the sealed envelope containing the voting-paper is not delivered at his office before the close of the poll; or
- (d.) If, having been forwarded by post, the sealed envelope containing the voting-paper is not received at the office of the Returning Officer before the close of the sixth day after the day of election; or if, from the postmark on the envelope or otherwise, the Returning Officer is satisfied that it was not posted until after the day of the election.

(xii.) (a.) On the seventh day after the day of election the Returning Officer shall open and examine all voting-papers duly delivered to him, or received by him through the post as aforesaid, and after rejecting all informal voting-papers shall prepare a list of the candidates placed in the order of the numbers of votes received by them respectively.

(b.) Where three members are to be elected, if of the three candidates who have received the greatest number of votes, one is a woman, the Returning Officer shall declare these three to be elected, but if none of these three candidates is a woman the Returning Officer shall declare the two men candidates who have received the greatest number of votes, and the woman candidate who has received the greatest number of votes among the women candidates, to be elected, provided that if there be no woman candidate, then the Returning Officer shall declare two candidates who have received the largest numbers of votes to be elected.

(c.) Where the number of members to be elected is less than three, the Returning Officer shall in a similar manner determine which of the candidates has been elected, and declare accordingly.

(xiii.) If, by reason of an equality of votes given for two or more candidates, the election is not complete, the Returning Officer shall decide by lot, in the presence of two members of the Board of Managers, which candidate or candidates shall be elected, and thereby complete the election.

(xiv.) Forthwith after the completion of the election the Returning Officer shall notify to the controlling authority the names of the persons elected.

(xv.) If any dispute or question arises touching the regularity of any election, such dispute shall be determined by the Minister of Education, whose decision shall be final.

Masterton Technical School and Elam School of Art.

6. (i.) For the Masterton Technical School (being the school named in subsection (2) of section 113 aforesaid) there shall be five managers in addition to the managers appointed to represent the Wellington Education Board and the committee of the urban school district of Masterton (if any), provided that until an urban school district has been constituted there shall be a sixth additional manager elected by the school committees of public schools within five miles of the Masterton Technical School, and the provisions of regulation 4 hereof shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply to any such election.

(ii.) Five managers shall be appointed by the (Masterton) Trust Lands Trust so long as the trust continues to contribute to the establishment or maintenance of the school.

7. For the Elam School of Art there shall be six managers appointed in accordance with the provisions of subsection (4) of section 113 of the Act as re-enacted by section 31 of the Education Amendment Act, 1920.

8. In the case of the schools mentioned in regulations 6 and 7 hereof, the election or appointment of managers shall be held or made at the same time and, so far as conditions are similar, in the same manner as in the case of other technical schools in the same education district.

General.

9. (i.) One-third of the members of every Technical School Board shall retire annually.

(ii.) Retiring members shall be eligible for re-election.

(iii.) In the case of a newly established Board in the second and third year of its existence, and in the case of all other Boards in existence at the date when these regulations come into force, for the years 1921 and 1922 the retiring members shall be chosen by lot from among the original members sitting in the first year of the Board's existence or at the time when these regulations come into force.

(iv.) If the total number of members is not a multiple of three, then the number of original members nearest to one-third of the total number shall retire in each of the first two years after these regulations come into force, or after the first year of the Board's existence, as the case may be, and the remainder of the original members in the third year, and so on thereafter in rotation.

10. Within fourteen days after the election or appointment of a manager of a technical school under these regulations the controlling authority shall forward to the Minister a notification of the name and description of such manager.

11. Every manager of a technical school elected or appointed under these regulations shall come into office on the date of his election or appointment, and shall continue in office until the election or appointment of his successor.

12. In any case in which an election or an appointment of managers as hereinbefore provided has not been held, the Minister, if he is satisfied that the failure to elect or appoint is not due to any default on the part of the controlling authority or of any appointing body, may fix a time and place for the election or the appointment of managers, and the foregoing provisions of these regulations shall thereupon be observed so far as applicable as if the time and place for such election or appointment had been fixed as therein provided. Pending such election or appointment the managers previously elected or appointed shall continue to hold office.

13. The provisions of subsection (1) of section 20 of the Education Act, 1914, shall apply in the case of Boards of Managers of technical schools.

14. Any vacancy occurring under the last preceding regulation shall be deemed to be a casual vacancy, and shall be filled within thirty days after the occurring thereof, and the manager filling the same shall hold office only for the residue of the term of the vacating manager. Every vacancy shall be filled by the same electing or appointing body as in the case of the vacating manager. The name of the manager elected or appointed shall be forthwith forwarded to the Minister by the controlling authority.

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to stopping Portion of Road in Block I, Otahuhu Survey District, One Tree Hill Road District, Eden County.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred 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 consent to the One Tree Hill Road Board stopping the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road permitted to be stopped:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	8.5	Lot 20 of Allotment 8, Section 12.
0	0	4.2	" 28 "
0	0	4.2	" 35 "

Situated in Suburbs of Auckland, Block I, Otahuhu Survey District (Town of Aberfeldy), (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 20035.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51674, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to stopping Portion of Road in Blocks XII, Alexandra, and IX and XIII, Hamilton Survey Districts, Waipa County.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred 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 consent to the Waipa County Council stopping the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road permitted to be stopped: 11 acres 3 roods 27 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 109 to 119, situated in Ngaroto Parish, Blocks XII, Alexandra, and IX and XIII, Hamilton Survey Districts (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21350.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51564, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to the Raising of £10,000, being Part of a Loan of £42,500 authorized to be raised by the Gisborne Borough Council on the Instalment System extending over a Period of Thirty-six and a Half Years.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section thirteen of the Finance Act, 1921, provides that where any local authority, as defined by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, has heretofore been or shall hereafter be authorized to raise a loan, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise, and whether such loan has been raised in part or not, such local authority may, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council, raise any part of such loan upon terms of making the same, together with interest thereon, repayable by instalments extending over such period of years whether in excess of the period mentioned in the poll taken on the proposal for such loan or not, and payable at such times as may be fixed by such local authority, and may permanently appropriate and pledge for the purpose of securing such instalments any special rate already made or hereafter to be made, or any part of such special rate :

And whereas the Gisborne Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of forty-two thousand five hundred pounds for the purpose of constructing the Peel

Street bridge, and the formation and metalling of Ormond Road and Peel and Fitzherbert Streets, and has been unable to raise the whole amount on the terms specified :

And whereas application has been made by the Borough Council for the consent of His Excellency the Governor-General in Council to the raising of ten thousand pounds, being part of the above-mentioned forty-two thousand five hundred pounds, on the instalment system extending over a period of thirty-six and a half years :

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 Gisborne Borough Council raising the said sum of ten thousand pounds upon the terms of making the same, together with interest thereon, repayable by instalments extending over a period of thirty-six and a half years, and the said Gisborne Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of ten thousand pounds on these terms.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portions of Road in the Hawke's Bay County to be a County Road.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING 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 portions 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 Hawke's Bay Land District, Hawke's Bay County, situated in the Purahotangahia Block, commencing at the north-westernmost corner of Section 5, Block XV, Maungaharuru Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly and then north-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through part Section 1, Block XVI, Section 2, Block XII, Section 6, Block XI, part Section 1, Block XV, the said Section 6 and Section 5, Block XI, Section 1, Block XII, all in the Maungaharuru Survey District, and terminating at its junction with the Waikoau Stream on the eastern boundary of the said Section 1, Block XII; being a distance of 7 miles 10 chains, more or less. Shown on plan coloured red and marked B-C.

Also all that portion of road in the said land district and county, situated in the Tutira Block, commencing at its junction with the Waikoau Stream on the eastern boundary of Section 1, Block XII, Maungaharuru Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly and easterly direction, adjoining or passing through part of the said Tutira Block, Block XII, Maungaharuru Survey District, and terminating at its junction with the Napier-Wairoa Main Road; being a distance of 1 mile 30 chains, more or less. Shown on plan coloured blue and marked D-E.

As the said portions of road are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51849, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Access Road, Rissington Settlement, in the Hawke's Bay County, to be a County Road.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING 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

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the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road situated in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Hawke's Bay County, known as Access Road, Rissington Settlement, commencing at a point on a public road which passes through Lot 3 of Rissington Estate (D.P. 3875), Block XIII, Puketapu Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a westerly direction, adjoining or passing through Lots 1, 2, 3, and 6 Rissington Estate (D.P. 3875), and Section 2s, Rissington Settlement, and terminating on the eastern boundary of Section 3s of the aforesaid settlement; being a distance of 2 miles 33 chains, more or less. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51773, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured sienna and lettered A-B.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest to be paid by the Banks Peninsula Electric-power Board in respect of £15,000, being Part of a Loan of £100,000 authorized to be raised for the Purchase and Construction of Electric Works.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, 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, or for a specified term exceeding ten years, 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 amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Banks Peninsula Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of one hundred thousand pounds for the purchase and construction of electric works, and is now desirous of borrowing fifteen thousand pounds, being part of the one hundred thousand pounds, at an increased rate of interest :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the said fifteen thousand pounds 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 Banks Peninsula Electric-power Board in respect of the said fifteen thousand pounds shall be five and three-quarters per centum, and the said Banks Peninsula Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of fifteen thousand pounds at this rate.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Prescribing the Rate of Interest to be paid by the Thames Valley Electric-power Board in respect of £30,000, being Part of a Loan of £200,000 for purchasing and constructing Electric Works.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, 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, or for a specified term exceeding ten years, 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 amount thereof as has not been borrowed at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the Thames Valley Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of two hundred thousand pounds for purchasing and constructing electric works at five and a half per centum, and is now desirous of borrowing thirty thousand pounds, being part of the two hundred thousand pounds, at an increased rate of interest:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the said thirty thousand pounds 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 Thames Valley Electric-power Board in respect of the said thirty thousand pounds shall be five and three-quarters per centum., and the said Thames Valley Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the sum of thirty thousand pounds at this rate.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations under the Counties Act, 1920.

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Counties Act, 1920 (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 make the following regulations for the purposes of the said Act.

REGULATIONS.

1. An officer authorized by the Controller and Auditor-General may attend at the office of the Council at any time for the purpose of examining the books and documents up to the date of his visit.
2. In addition to the statements required by section one hundred and thirty-nine of the said Act, the Treasurer shall, on or before the fifteenth day of April in each year, prepare and send to the Audit Office with his yearly balance-sheet the statements following:—
 - (a.) A statement of the amount of each rate struck or recurring for the financial year, the amount thereof collected and the amount outstanding at the end of the year, as shown by the rate-book.
 - (b.) A statement of the amount outstanding at the beginning of that year of each rate struck or recurring for previous years, the amount thereof collected during the year, the amount written off during the year by order of the Council, and the amount outstanding at the end of the year.
 - (c.) A statement of all moneys (if any) belonging to the Corporation lying in the hands of any person and not duly accounted for.
3. Publication of the balance-sheet and statements, and the report of the Audit Office thereon, may be made in the manner following:—
 - (a.) The said balance-sheet and statements, together with the report of the Audit Office thereon, shall be printed within two months after the receipt thereof from the Audit Office, and a copy shall be posted free of charge to any ratepayer making application for the same.
 - (b.) Copies thereof shall be deposited for public inspection during office hours at the office of the Council and at one or more post-offices in each riding for a specified period, being not less than thirty days.

(c.) A notice to the above effect shall be published at least four times in one or more newspapers circulating in the county.

(d.) A copy of the balance-sheet shall, as soon as printed, be forwarded to the Controller and Auditor-General, and a copy to the Minister of Internal Affairs.

4. (1.) The Commissioners of Sinking Funds shall, within fifteen days after the thirty-first day of March in every year, prepare a balance-sheet showing in respect of each loan the transactions during the financial year, and also a statement in respect of each loan of the sinking funds in the hands of the Commissioners, and the securities in which those funds are invested at the end of that year.

(2.) The said balance-sheet and statements shall be published in the same manner as the Treasurer's balance-sheet.

5. In any case where money is advanced to a worker under section one hundred and ninety-three of the said Act the amount of principal and interest respectively to be repaid by instalments during each period of six months shall be calculated according to such one of the tables in the Schedule hereto as the case may require.

6. Every person commits an offence who fails to observe any of the provisions of these regulations, and is liable for each such offence to a fine of £5.

SCHEDULE.

TABLE A.

AMOUNT of PRINCIPAL and INTEREST payable during each Period of Six Months for every £100 of Unpaid Purchase money or Loan at 5 per Centum Interest.

Half-year.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Apportioned thus:			Balance of Principal owing.
		On Account of Interest at 5 per Cent.	On Account of Principal.		
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1st ..	3 9 10	2 10 0	0 19 10	99 0 2	97 19 10
2nd ..	3 9 10	2 9 6	1 0 4	96 19 0	95 17 8
3rd ..	3 9 10	2 9 0	1 0 10	94 15 10	93 13 5
4th ..	3 9 10	2 8 6	1 1 4	92 10 5	91 6 10
5th ..	3 9 10	2 8 0	1 1 10	90 2 8	88 17 11
6th ..	3 9 10	2 7 5	1 2 5	87 12 7	86 6 7
7th ..	3 9 10	2 6 10	1 3 0	84 19 11	83 12 7
8th ..	3 9 10	2 6 3	1 3 7	82 4 7	80 15 11
9th ..	3 9 10	2 5 8	1 4 2	79 6 6	77 16 4
10th ..	3 9 10	2 5 1	1 4 9	76 5 5	74 13 9
11th ..	3 9 10	2 4 6	1 5 4	73 1 3	71 8 0
12th ..	3 9 10	2 3 10	1 6 0	69 13 11	67 18 11
13th ..	3 9 10	2 3 2	1 6 8	66 3 1	64 6 4
14th ..	3 9 10	2 2 6	1 7 4	62 8 8	60 10 1
15th ..	3 9 10	2 1 10	1 8 0	58 10 6	56 9 11
16th ..	3 9 10	2 1 2	1 8 8	54 8 4	52 5 9
17th ..	3 9 10	2 0 5	1 9 5	50 2 1	47 17 4
18th ..	3 9 10	1 19 8	1 10 2	45 11 5	43 4 5
19th ..	3 9 10	1 18 11	1 10 11	40 16 3	38 6 10
20th ..	3 9 10	1 18 2	1 11 8	35 16 2	33 4 3
21st ..	3 9 10	1 17 4	1 12 6	30 11 0	27 16 6
22nd ..	3 9 10	1 16 7	1 13 3	25 0 7	22 3 3
23rd ..	3 9 10	1 15 9	1 14 1	19 4 6	16 4 4
24th ..	3 9 10	1 14 10	1 15 0	13 2 7	9 19 4
25th ..	3 9 10	1 14 0	1 15 10	6 14 6	3 8 1
26th ..	3 9 10	1 13 1	1 16 9	..	..
27th ..	3 9 10	1 12 2	1 17 8		
28th ..	3 9 10	1 11 3	1 18 7		
29th ..	3 9 10	1 10 3	1 19 7		
30th ..	3 9 10	1 9 3	2 0 7		
31st ..	3 9 10	1 8 3	2 1 7		
32nd ..	3 9 10	1 7 3	2 2 7		
33rd ..	3 9 10	1 6 2	2 3 8		
34th ..	3 9 10	1 5 1	2 4 9		
35th ..	3 9 10	1 3 11	2 5 11		
36th ..	3 9 10	1 2 10	2 7 0		
37th ..	3 9 10	1 1 8	2 8 2		
38th ..	3 9 10	1 0 5	2 9 5		
39th ..	3 9 10	0 19 2	2 10 8		
40th ..	3 9 10	0 17 11	2 11 11		
41st ..	3 9 10	0 16 7	2 13 3		
42nd ..	3 9 10	0 15 4	2 14 6		
43rd ..	3 9 10	0 13 11	2 15 11		
44th ..	3 9 10	0 12 6	2 17 4		
45th ..	3 9 10	0 11 1	2 18 9		
46th ..	3 9 10	0 9 8	3 0 2		
47th ..	3 9 10	0 8 1	3 1 9		
48th ..	3 9 10	0 6 7	3 3 3		
49th ..	3 9 10	0 5 0	3 4 10		
50th ..	3 9 10	0 3 5	3 6 5		
51st ..	3 9 10	0 1 9	3 8 1		

TABLE B.

AMOUNT of PRINCIPAL and INTEREST payable during each Period of Six Months for every £100 of Unpaid Purchase-money or Loan at 5½ per Centum Interest.

Half-year.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Apportioned thus:		Balance of Principal owing.
		On Account of Interest at 5½ per Cent.	On Account of Principal.	
1st ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2nd ..	3 11 7	2 12 6	0 19 1	99 0 11
3rd ..	3 11 7	2 12 0	0 19 7	98 1 4
4th ..	3 11 7	2 11 6	1 0 1	97 1 3
5th ..	3 11 7	2 10 11	1 0 8	96 0 7
6th ..	3 11 7	2 10 5	1 1 2	94 19 5
7th ..	3 11 7	2 9 10	1 1 9	93 17 8
8th ..	3 11 7	2 9 3	1 2 4	92 15 4
9th ..	3 11 7	2 8 8	1 2 11	91 12 5
10th ..	3 11 7	2 8 1	1 3 6	90 8 11
11th ..	3 11 7	2 7 6	1 4 1	89 4 10
12th ..	3 11 7	2 6 10	1 4 9	88 0 1
13th ..	3 11 7	2 6 2	1 5 5	86 14 8
14th ..	3 11 7	2 5 6	1 6 1	85 8 7
15th ..	3 11 7	2 4 10	1 6 9	84 1 10
16th ..	3 11 7	2 4 2	1 7 5	82 14 5
17th ..	3 11 7	2 3 5	1 8 2	81 6 3
18th ..	3 11 7	2 2 8	1 8 11	79 17 4
19th ..	3 11 7	2 1 11	1 9 8	78 7 8
20th ..	3 11 7	2 1 2	1 10 5	76 17 3
21st ..	3 11 7	2 0 4	1 11 3	75 6 0
22nd ..	3 11 7	1 19 6	1 12 1	73 13 11
23rd ..	3 11 7	1 18 8	1 12 11	72 1 0
24th ..	3 11 7	1 17 10	1 13 9	70 7 3
25th ..	3 11 7	1 16 11	1 14 8	68 12 7
26th ..	3 11 7	1 16 0	1 15 7	66 17 0
27th ..	3 11 7	1 15 1	1 16 6	65 0 6
28th ..	3 11 7	1 14 1	1 17 6	63 3 0
29th ..	3 11 7	1 13 2	1 18 5	61 4 7
30th ..	3 11 7	1 12 2	1 19 5	59 5 2
31st ..	3 11 7	1 11 1	2 0 6	57 4 8
32nd ..	3 11 7	1 10 0	2 1 7	55 3 1
33rd ..	3 11 7	1 8 11	2 2 8	53 0 5
34th ..	3 11 7	1 7 10	2 3 9	50 16 8
35th ..	3 11 7	1 6 8	2 4 11	48 11 9
36th ..	3 11 7	1 5 6	2 6 1	46 5 8
37th ..	3 11 7	1 4 3	2 7 4	43 18 4
38th ..	3 11 7	1 3 1	2 8 6	41 9 10
39th ..	3 11 7	1 1 9	2 9 10	39 0 0
40th ..	3 11 7	1 0 6	2 11 1	36 8 11
41st ..	3 11 7	0 19 1	2 12 6	33 16 5
42nd ..	3 11 7	0 17 9	2 13 10	31 2 7
43rd ..	3 11 7	0 16 4	2 15 3	28 7 4
44th ..	3 11 7	0 14 11	2 16 8	25 10 8
45th ..	3 11 7	0 13 5	2 18 2	22 12 6
46th ..	3 11 7	0 11 10	2 19 9	19 12 9
47th ..	3 11 7	0 10 4	3 1 3	16 11 6
48th ..	3 11 7	0 8 8	3 2 11	13 8 7
49th ..	3 11 7	0 7 0	3 4 7	10 4 0
50th ..	3 11 7	0 5 4	3 6 3	6 17 9
51st ..	3 11 7	0 3 7	3 8 0	3 9 9
51st ..	3 11 7	0 1 10	3 9 9	..

TABLE C.

AMOUNT of PRINCIPAL and INTEREST payable during each Period of Six Months for every £100 of Unpaid Purchase-money or Loan at 5½ per Centum Interest.

Half-year.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Apportioned thus:		Balance of Principal owing.
		On Account of Interest at 5½ per Cent.	On Account of Principal.	
1st ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2nd ..	3 13 5	2 15 0	0 18 5	99 1 7
3rd ..	3 13 5	2 14 6	0 18 11	98 2 8
4th ..	3 13 5	2 14 0	0 19 5	97 3 3
5th ..	3 13 5	2 13 5	1 0 0	96 3 3
6th ..	3 13 5	2 12 11	1 0 6	95 2 9
7th ..	3 13 5	2 12 4	1 1 1	94 1 8
8th ..	3 13 5	2 11 9	1 1 8	93 0 0
9th ..	3 13 5	2 11 2	1 2 3	91 17 9
10th ..	3 13 5	2 10 7	1 2 10	90 14 11
11th ..	3 13 5	2 9 11	1 3 6	89 11 5
12th ..	3 13 5	2 9 3	1 4 2	88 7 3
13th ..	3 13 5	2 8 7	1 4 10	87 2 5
14th ..	3 13 5	2 7 11	1 5 6	85 16 11
15th ..	3 13 5	2 7 3	1 6 2	84 10 9
16th ..	3 13 5	2 6 6	1 6 11	83 3 10
17th ..	3 13 5	2 5 9	1 7 8	81 16 2
18th ..	3 13 5	2 5 0	1 8 5	80 7 9
19th ..	3 13 5	2 4 3	1 9 2	78 18 7
20th ..	3 13 5	2 3 5	1 10 0	77 8 7
21st ..	3 13 5	2 2 7	1 10 10	75 17 9
22nd ..	3 13 5	2 1 9	1 11 8	74 6 1
23rd ..	3 13 5	2 0 11	1 12 6	72 13 7
24th ..	3 13 5	2 0 0	1 13 5	71 0 2
25th ..	3 13 5	1 19 1	1 14 4	69 5 10
26th ..	3 13 5	1 18 2	1 15 3	67 10 7
27th ..	3 13 5	1 17 2	1 16 3	65 14 4
28th ..	3 13 5	1 16 2	1 17 3	63 17 1
29th ..	3 13 5	1 15 2	1 18 3	61 18 10
30th ..	3 13 5	1 14 1	1 19 4	59 19 6
31st ..	3 13 5	1 13 0	2 0 5	57 19 1
32nd ..	3 13 5	1 11 11	2 1 6	55 17 7
33rd ..	3 13 5	1 10 9	2 2 8	53 14 11
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C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Quarantine Period imposed on certain Classes of Imported Live-stock amended.—Notice No. 2067.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Stock Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "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 the regulations under the said Act dated the fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and gazetted on the seventh day of October then instant (hereinafter referred to as "the said regulations"), by declaring that in respect of any cattle, sheep, and goats introduced into New Zealand from the United Kingdom the period of quarantine imposed by regulation forty of the said regulations shall be deemed to commence immediately after the expiry of the day on which they are inspected by a Government Veterinarian as required by regulation twenty-five of the said regulations; and doth hereby further declare that this Order in Council shall come into force on the date of the gazetting hereof.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Revoking the Prohibition of the Importation of Gas-cookers.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this fourteenth day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-six of the Customs Act, 1913, and section two of the Regulation of Trade and Commerce Amendment Act, 1915, 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 Order in Council made on the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the twenty-eighth day of April then instant, which prohibited to the extent specified therein the importation into New Zealand of gas-cookers.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Northern Side of Portion of Drummond Street, in the City of Wellington, 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 Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred 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 approve of the following resolution passed by the Wellington City Council on the twentieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one—viz., "The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the northern side of Drum-

mond Street beginning at a point 250 links from the western corner of King Street and extending for a distance of 90.91 links, being part of the frontage of Town Section 739 in the said city"; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the northern side of the portion of Drummond Street described in the Schedule hereto within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street, situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Drummond Street, abutting on part Section 739. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50781, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The South-western Side of Portion of George Street, in the City of Wellington, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works 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 approve of the following resolution passed by the Wellington City Council on the twentieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty—viz., "The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the south-western side of George Street beginning at the corner of Tinakori Road and extending for a distance of 200 links, being part Town Section 644 in the said city"; such portion of street being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as George Street, abutting on part Town Section 644. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 50691, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Third Schedule of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, extended to include Barberry.—Notice No. 2066.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 30th day of May, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, (hereinafter called "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 extend the operation of the Third Schedule of the said Act by including therein the plant known as barberry (*Berberis vulgaris*), and it is hereby declared that this Order shall come into force on the day of the publication hereof in the *Gazette*.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £12,000 to be raised by the Akitio County Council.

**JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Akitio County Council, acting under and in pursuance of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, lately proposed to raise a loan of twelve thousand pounds for the purpose of metalling and culverting the Glenora Road :

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

And whereas the poll of ratepayers was taken within one week after the day of the last publication of the notice of intention to raise the loan, inasmuch as the last publication of the said notice appeared in the issue of the *Dannevirke Evening News* dated the fifteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and the poll of ratepayers was held on the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and eleven of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the proceedings taken shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the poll of ratepayers had been taken in the proper manner, 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 or defect aforesaid.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting a Reserve in the Raglan County Council.

**JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of June, 1921.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for a public cemetery : And whereas it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Raglan County :

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, do hereby declare that from and after the day of the date hereof the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Raglan County, in trust, for a public cemetery.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 8, Block X, Rangiriri Survey District : Area, 5 acres.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Time for reporting under Commission appointed under the Thames Harbour Board Loan and Empowering Act, 1920.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

To all to whom these presents shall come, and to FREDERICK JAMES BURGESS, Esquire, of Auckland ; HORATIO JOHN HOOPER BLOW, Esquire, of Wellington ; and THOMAS MERVYN WELLS, Esquire, of Cambridge : Greeting.

WHEREAS by Warrant dated the ninth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, you the said Frederick James Burgess, Horatio John Hooper Blow,

and Thomas Mervyn Wells were appointed under the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1908, and the Thames Harbour Board Loan and Empowering Act, 1920, to be a Commission to inquire into and determine not later than the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, the following questions, that is to say :—

- (a.) Whether any, and if any, then what, areas shall be added to or excluded from the Thames Harbour District ;
- (b.) What amount of rates shall be leviable upon the various properties within the respective areas comprised within the Thames Harbour District :

And whereas it is expedient that the period within which a report is to be made should be extended as hereinafter provided :

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 Acts, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby extend the period within which you shall report to me as by the said Commission provided to the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one :

And, in further pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Act, and with the like advice and consent, I do hereby confirm the said Commission except as altered by these presents.

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 31st day of May, 1921.

F. H. D. BELL, Minister of Marine.

Approved in Council.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Period within which the Commission constituted to inquire into and report upon Proposals to amend the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, shall report.—(H. No. 43.)

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

To all whom these presents shall come, and to VERNON HERBERT REED, Esquire, M.P., of Kawakawa ; HUGH T. D. ACLAND, Esquire, C.M.G., F.R.C.S., of 381 Montreal Street, Christchurch, Medical Practitioner ; the Honourable ARCHIBALD F. HAWKE, M.L.C., of Invercargill ; GEORGE SHIRTCLIFFE, Esquire, of 40 Tinakori Road, Wellington, Merchant ; and the Honourable WILLIAM HENRY TRIGGS, M.L.C., of Christchurch, Journalist.

WHEREAS by Warrants dated the eighteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and the fourteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, you, the said Vernon Herbert Reed, Hugh T. D. Acland, Archibald F. Hawke, George Shirtcliffe, and William Henry Triggs were appointed to be a Commission under the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1908, for the purposes set out in the said Warrants :

And whereas by the said Warrants you were required to report to me, under your hands and seals, your opinions as to the aforesaid matters not later than the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one :

And whereas by Warrant dated the third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, the time in which you were required to report to me was extended to the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one :

And whereas it is expedient that the said period should be further extended as hereinafter provided :

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby extend the period within which you shall report to me as by the said Commission provided to the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

And in further pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Act, and with the like advice and consent, I do hereby confirm the said Commission except as altered by these presents.

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 7th day of June, 1921.

F. H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Health.

Approved in Council.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Vesting the Control of Scenic Reserves in the New Plymouth Scenic Reserves Board, under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the reserves described in the Schedule below (being land reserved under the said Act), for the period of three years from the date hereof (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), in the undermentioned persons, namely—

ROBERT WILLIAM JAMES DAVIES,
HENRY BLACKBURN LEATHAM,
WILLIAM HENRY SKINNER,
STEPHENSON PERCY SMITH, F.R.G.S.,
THE COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS FOR THE TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT (*ex officio*),

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the New Plymouth Scenic Reserves Board (herein referred to as "the Board"), in trust, for the preservation of scenery, and with the powers and subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say,—

1. The Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the fourth Tuesday in the months of January, April, July, and October in each year, at four o'clock p.m., at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board. The first meeting shall be held on Tuesday, the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

2. The Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be the Chairman of the Board. He may join in the discussion, and shall have an original as well as a casting vote.

3. Special meetings may be convened by the Chairman, provided that two days' notice of such meeting be given to each member, specifying the business to be transacted at such special meeting; and no other business than that so specified shall be transacted at such meeting.

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

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

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

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

8. The Board shall prepare and submit at an annual meeting to be held in the month of April in each year a report of the proceedings of the Board for the previous year ending on the thirty-first day of March, together with a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Board for such year. A copy of every such report and statement, certified by the Chairman to be correct, shall be sent to the Minister charged with the administration of the said Act as soon as possible after each annual meeting.

9. The Board shall control the said reserve in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

Pukemiro Scenic Reserve.

PART Section 7, Block III, Waitara Survey District: Area, 7 acres 2 roods 18 perches. As the same is more particularly described in a Proclamation published in the *Gazette* No. 23, of 25th March, 1909, page 832.

Onairo River Scenic Reserve.

Part Section 102, Block VII, Waitara Survey District: Area, 10 acres 0 roods 30 perches.

Also part Section 101, Block VII, Waitara Survey District: Area, 3 acres 0 roods 26 perches.

As the same are more particularly described in a Proclamation published in the *Gazette* No. 75, of the 30th August, 1906, page 2288.

Ratapihipihi Scenic Reserve.

Subdivision 1 of part of Native Reserve 5, Omata District (Ratapihipihi), Block VIII, Paritutu Survey District: Area, 50 acres. As the same is more particularly described in a Warrant published in the *Gazette* No. 73, of the 26th April, 1917, page 1407.

Puketi Pa Scenic Reserve.

Reserve Y, New Plymouth Town Belt: Area, 9 acres 3 roods 20 perches. As the same is more particularly described in a Warrant published in the *Gazette* No. 73, of the 26th April, 1917, page 1407.

Pukerangi Pa.

Part Section 179, Huirangi District, Block IX, Waitara Survey District: Area, 36 acres. As the same is more particularly described in a Proclamation published in the *Gazette* No. 77, of the 28th September, 1911, page 2907.

Meeting-of-the-Waters Scenic Reserve.

Portion of Native Reserve J, portion of Section 158, and portion of the Waiwakaiho River-bed, all situated in the Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District: Area, 39 acres 0 roods 20 perches.

Also portion of Section 158, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District: Area, 1 acre.

Also portion of Section 158, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District: Area, 4 acres 2 roods 20 perches.

Also portion of Native Reserve L, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District: Area, 13 acres 3 roods.

Also portion of Native Reserve L, Hua and Waiwakaiho Registration District, Block X, Paritutu Survey District: Area, 3 acres 0 roods 30 perches.

As the same are more particularly described in a Warrant published in the *Gazette* No. 81, of the 10th May, 1917, page 1990.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 13th day of June, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

Waiuku River and Tributaries, North Auckland Land District, notified under the Timber-floating Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the second section of the Timber-floating Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby notify that the undermentioned river and its tributaries may be used under license for the purposes of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

THE Waiuku River and its tributaries situated within the Franklin County.

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

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Appointment of Officers under the Sale of Food and Drugs Act.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the following officers of the Department of Agriculture to be officers under the Sale of Food and Drugs Act, 1908:—

Henry Francis Frost ..	Orchard Instructor, Whangarei.
John Wachter Collard ..	" Auckland.
George Edward Harnett	Fruit Inspector, Auckland.
William Charles Thompson ..	Orchard Instructor, Onehunga.
Leonard Paynter ..	" Hamilton.
Mason Davey ..	" Gisborne.
William Henry Rice ..	" Hastings.
Norman James Adamson	" Wanganui.
James Weldon Whelan	" Palmerston N.
Edward Thomas Taylor	" Wellington.
Trevor Leslie Gedye ..	Fruit Inspector, Wellington.
Colin Craigie ..	Orchard Instructor, Blenheim.
Wilfred Thomas Goodwin	" Motueka.
George Stratford ...	" Christchurch.
William Kerr Dallas ..	" Christchurch.
Charles Berridge ..	" Timaru.
Bertram George Goodwin	" Dunedin.
Charles Ernest Castle	
Dyke ..	Fruit Inspector, Dunedin.
Hugh McNeil Doig ..	Orchard Instructor, Invercargill.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 7th day of June, 1921.

E. P. LEE, for Minister of Health.

Appointment of Consular Agent of the United States of America at Christchurch recognized provisionally.

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

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to recognize provisionally the appointment of

H. P. BRIDGE, Esq.,

as Consular Agent of the United States of America at Christchurch.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Honours conferred by His Majesty the King.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to direct the publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the notification of the appointments by His Majesty the King as follows:—

The Hon. Edwin Mitchelson, M.L.C., Auckland: Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

John Pearce Luke, Esq., C.M.G., M.P., formerly Mayor of Wellington: Knight Bachelor.

Brigadier-General Donald Johnstone McGavin, C.M.G., D.S.O., M.D., Director-General of Medical Services, New Zealand Military Forces: Knight Bachelor.

Major (temp. Lieutenant-Colonel) James Lewis Sleeman, C.B.E., M.V.O., I.G.S., late Director-General of Military Training, New Zealand Military Forces: Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Frederick William Platts, Esq., Stipendiary Magistrate, Te Kuiti, formerly Resident Commissioner of the Cook Islands: Companion of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Ranger under the Animals Protection Act appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE OGRAM, of Te Puke,

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Appointment of Assistant Law Draftsman.

Law Drafting Office,
Wellington, 13th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

THOMAS DONALD HORN HALL, Esq.,

to be an Assistant Law Draftsman, under the Statutes Drafting and Compilation Act, 1920, as from 30th June, 1921.

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

Member of Otago Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 13th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to reappoint

CHARLES JAMES INDER

to be a member of the Otago Land Board, as from the 5th July, 1921.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Member of Horowhenua Lake Domain Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 8th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 2 of the Horowhenua Lake Act, 1905, and section 97 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1916, been pleased to appoint

HARRY WALKLEY

to be a member of the Horowhenua Lake Domain Board, in place of Henry Butler France, resigned.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Clerk and Bailiff appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 15th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable HENRY ANDERSON

to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrate's Court at Akaroa, as from the 28th day of May, 1921, vice Constable R. W. Shepherd, deceased.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Deputy Official Assignee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 16th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM LEONARD BUTLER

to be Deputy Official Assignee at Gisborne, on and from the 16th day of June, 1921, vice A. G. Beere, resigned.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Hastings Borough Representation on Hawke's Bay Hospital Board.—(H. No. 41.)

Department of Health,
Wellington, 7th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, under section 15 of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909,

WILLIAM HART

to be a member of the Hawke's Bay Hospital Board, representing the contributory district of Hastings Borough.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Health.

Stratford Borough Representation on the Stratford Hospital Board.—(H. No. 42.)

Department of Health,
Wellington, 8th June, 1921.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, under section 15 of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909,

PERCY THOMSON

as a member, representing the Stratford Borough, on the Stratford Hospital Board.

E. P. LEE, for Minister of Health.

Inspector for the Purposes of the Orchard and Garden Diseases Act, 1908, appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 13th June, 1921.

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

CECIL PHILLIPS GIBSON

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Orchard and Garden Diseases Act, 1908, as from the 9th day of June, 1921.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th June, 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. :—

Walter Edward Gundy	..	Drury.
Thomas James Quayle	..	Wellington (at Kilbirnie).*
Stephen Robert Veitch	..	Mangaweka.
John McKittrick	..	Wellington.
Ian Mackay	..	Napier.
T. F. Leonard	..	Hampden.
Jeanie Bell Hamilton (Miss)	..	Black's.
John Duncan Ferguson	..	Wellington.

* Births and Deaths only.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Members of Palmerston North River Board appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 28th May, 1921.

IT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of section 108 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act of 1920, and of the Proclamation issued thereunder, the Palmerston North Borough Council has appointed

STEPHEN R. LANGASTER,
FREDERICK JACKSON, and
LEWIS R. BRYANT

to be members of the Palmerston North River Board, and to represent Subdivision No. 1 of the river district; and that the Kairanga County Council has appointed

JOSEPH LINKWATER,
WILLIAM ROBERT HOPCROFT, and
JOSIAH BATCHELAR

to be members of the said Board and to represent Subdivision No. 2.

It is further notified that Mr. J. A. NASH, M.P., Mayor of Palmerston North, is Chairman of the Board, under the provisions of subsection (6) of the above-named Act.

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

NOTE.—The above notice is published in substitution of that published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 53, of 2nd June, 1921, page 1392.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 14th June, 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.

COMMAND.

Lieutenant-Colonel [*temp. Brigadier-General, Reserve of Officers (temp.)*] William Meldrum, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., 6th (Manawatu) Mounted Rifles, to be Colonel, and to command the Wellington Mounted Rifles Brigade. Dated 26th May, 1921.

3RD (AUCKLAND) MOUNTED RIFLES.

The commission granted 2nd Lieutenant (*temp.*) Gerald Cutfield is cancelled, under the provisions of section 5 (a) of the Defence Act, 1909. Dated 31st May, 1921.

9TH (WELLINGTON EAST COAST) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Lieutenant Cyril Paul Hunter, Reserve of Officers, resigns his commission. Dated 31st May, 1921.

12TH (OTAGO) MOUNTED RIFLES.

Captain James Bryce McKinlay is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 28th May, 1921.

CORPS OF N.Z. ENGINEERS.—N.Z. POST AND TELEGRAPH CORPS.

North Island.

Lieutenant Robert Davidson Veitch is posted to the Retired List, under the provisions of paragraph 126, General Regulations, 1913, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 23rd May, 1921.

Lieutenant William James McNiece is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 31st May, 1921.

South Island.

Major Frederick William Mathews is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 27th May, 1921.

Major Stephen William Bone Brooker, M.C., is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 31st May, 1921.

4TH (OTAGO) REGIMENT.

Major Ernest Mitchell Gabites is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 31st May, 1921.

5TH (WELLINGTON) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant William Varley Smith, Reserve of Officers, is posted to the Retired List, under the provisions of General Headquarters Instructions No. 22, of 20th February, 1920. Dated 30th May, 1921.

7TH (WELLINGTON WEST COAST) REGIMENT.

Major James McNaught is posted to the Retired List, under the provisions of paragraph 126, General Regulations, 1913, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 27th May, 1921.

James Rogers Neil Andrew to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 28th May, 1921.

9TH (HAWKE'S BAY) REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant Morris Claude Redmond, from the Unattached List (b), to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1921.

17TH (RUAHINE) REGIMENT.

Lieutenant James Henry Naylor resigns his commission. Dated 28th May, 1921.

Captain Henry Charles Lancelot Robinson resigns his commission. Dated 28th May, 1921.

N.Z. ARMY NURSING SERVICE.

Sister Margaret Georgina Davies to be Charge Sister. Dated 9th June, 1921.

Charge Sister Mary O'Connor is posted to the Retired List. Dated 8th June, 1921.

UNATTACHED LIST (b).

Northern Command.

Captain George Herbert Bellamy retires, under the provisions of paragraph 127, General Regulations, 1913. Dated 24th May, 1921.

Central Command.

2nd Lieutenant Morris Claude Redmond is transferred to the 9th (Hawke's Bay) Regiment. Dated 30th May, 1921.

Lieutenant Robert John Clarke resigns his commission. Dated 27th May, 1921.

Lieutenant (*temp.*) John Joseph Rodgers resigns his commission. Dated 28th May, 1921.

Russell Richard Thomas Young to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1921.

Southern Command.

Lieutenant Harry Robson to be Captain. Dated 28th May, 1921.

R. H. RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Regulations under Cinematograph-film Censorship Act, 1916, amended.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 13th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Cinematograph-film Censorship Act, 1916 (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 and to the extent set forth in the Schedule hereto, the regulations made under the said Act on the eleventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the same date; and doth hereby order and declare that the amendment hereby made shall take effect as on and from the date of publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

THE fee provided in the Second Schedule of the regulations to be paid on an appeal is hereby revoked, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

"For every 1,000 ft. of film or part thereof (with a minimum of £3 3s. for any one film): 15s."

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Fees to be paid by Local Authorities to Audit Office for Arbitrations, and Special and Ordinary Audits.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 13th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G.,
PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section one hundred and twenty-two of the Public Revenues Act, 1910 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act") that, in all cases in which the accounts of any local authority are audited by the Audit Office under the provisions of the said Act or of any other Act in that behalf, or by order or appointment of

the Governor-General, or the Governor-General in Council, under any Act, or otherwise howsoever, and in any arbitration held by the Audit Office between any two or more local authorities under the authority of any Act in that behalf, the costs and expenses of any such audit or arbitration shall be according to a scale which the Governor-General in Council is thereby authorized from time to time to fix and determine:

And whereas by an Order in Council issued on the twenty-third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, certain fees were fixed under the authority of the Public Revenues Act, 1886, and it is expedient that the same should be altered:

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 one hundred and twenty-two of the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby fix and determine that, in all cases in which the accounts of any local authority are audited by the Audit Office under the provisions of the said Act or of any other Act in that behalf, or by order or appointment of the Governor-General, or the Governor-General in Council, under any Act, or otherwise howsoever, and in any arbitration held by the Audit Office between any two or more local authorities under the authority of any Act in that behalf, the costs and expenses of any such audit or arbitration shall be according to the following scale, instead of according to the scale set forth in the Order in Council of the twenty-third day of October aforesaid:—

1. Arbitrations held by the Audit Office between two or more local authorities under the authority of any Act in that behalf,—

Where the time occupied in such arbitration does not exceed one day, ten pounds; for every day or part of a day in excess of one day, three pounds three shillings. And such charge shall be paid by each of the local authorities concerned, in such proportion as the Controller and Auditor-General directs.

2. Special audits made by the Audit Office, by order or appointment of the Governor-General or Governor-General in Council, under any Act, or otherwise howsoever—

For every day, or part of a day in excess of one day, occupied in such audit, three pounds three shillings.

3. Ordinary audits under the authority of the said Act or of any other Act in that behalf,—

For every day occupied in such audit, at the rate of three pounds three shillings a day, a day being reckoned at seven working-hours.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating Special Order altering Number of Members of Dunedin City Council, and validating Election of Councillors.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 13th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Dunedin City Council proceeded on the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, by way of special order (hereinafter referred to as the "said special order"), under the provisions of section one hundred and forty-two of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920 (hereinafter referred to as the "said Act"), to alter the total number of members of the said Council by reducing such number to twelve, exclusive of the Mayor, and provided that such alteration should take effect at and from the general election of Councillors held on the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (hereinafter referred to as the "said election"):

And whereas the said special order was irregularly made under the provisions of section one hundred and forty-two of the said Act, in that such Act did not come into operation until the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and should properly have been made under the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-five of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908:

And whereas the said election for the City of Dunedin was held in accordance with the provisions of the said special order, and it is desirable to validate the proceedings in connection therewith.

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in him by section three hundred and seventy-nine of the said Act, and of every other power and authority enabling

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him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the said special order and the said election shall be valid to all intents and purposes as if the said special order had been made under the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-five of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908; and doth hereby further declare that the said proceedings shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating Irregularity in Election to fill Extraordinary Vacancy on Inglewood County Council.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 13th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS an extraordinary vacancy occurred in the Council of the Inglewood County on the fifth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty:

And whereas the election to fill such extraordinary vacancy was omitted to be held within the period provided by section thirty-nine of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, but was held on the second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and it is expedient to validate the proceedings in connection therewith:

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 in that behalf by section twenty-four of the Local Elections and Polls 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 proceedings in connection with the election held on the said second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, to fill the said vacancy shall be valid to all intents and purposes as if such election had been held within the period provided by the said section thirty-nine of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908; and doth further declare that the said proceedings shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Validating Election of Mosgiel Borough Council on the Twenty-seventh Day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-one.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 13th day of June, 1921.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR F. H. D. BELL, K.C.M.G., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Mosgiel Borough Council proceeded on the fourth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, by way of special order (hereinafter referred to as the "said special order"), under the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-five of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1908, to alter the total number of members of the said Council by reducing such number to six, exclusive of the Mayor, and provided that such alteration should take effect at and from the general election of Councillors held on the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one (hereinafter referred to as the "said election"):

And whereas the said election for the Borough of Mosgiel was held in accordance with the provisions of the said special order, and it is desirable to validate the proceedings in connection therewith:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the powers vested in him by section three hundred and seventy-nine of the municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that, notwithstanding anything contained in subsection one of section

three hundred and eighty-five of the said Act, the said election shall be valid to all intents and purposes as if the said special order had been made and had taken effect prior to the date on which the said Act came into force; and doth hereby further declare that the said proceedings shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularity aforesaid.

C. A. JEFFERY,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Special Order made by the Manukau County Council merging Road Districts.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 9th June, 1921.

THE following special order, made by the Manukau County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Act, 1920.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

MANUKAU COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order merging the Road Districts of East Tamaki, Pakuranga, Paparua, and Howick Township in the County of Manukau, and dissolving the Road Boards thereof.

IN pursuance of section 30 of the Counties Act, 1920, the Manukau County Council hereby resolves, by way of special order, as follows:—

That the road districts of East Tamaki, Pakuranga, Paparua, and Howick Township be merged in the County of Manukau, and the Road Boards of the aforesaid road districts be dissolved, as from the date of the gazetting of this special order.

Dated at Auckland this 14th day of April, 1921.

EDWARD ASHCROFT, County Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above special order was duly made by the Manukau County Council by a resolution passed at a special meeting of such Council on the 12th day of April, 1921, and confirmed at a meeting of such Council on the 13th day of May, 1921.

Dated at Auckland this 13th day of May, 1921.

ALEX. D. BELL,
Chairman, Manukau County Council.

Special Order made by the Waitemata County Council merging Pukeatua and Kaukapakapa Road Districts.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th June, 1921.

THE following special order, made by the Waitemata County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Counties Act, 1920.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

WAITEMATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Special Order.

WHEREAS the only road districts in the County of Waitemata are the Pukeatua and Kaukapakapa Road Districts, and whereas the capital value of all rateable property in the said road districts is less than two-fifths of the capital value of all rateable property in the said county, the Waitemata County Council in pursuance of the provisions of the Counties Act, 1920, and of all other provisions authorizing it in that behalf, hereby declares the Road Boards of the said Pukeatua and Kaukapakapa Road Districts to be dissolved, and they are hereby dissolved, and such road districts to be merged and they are hereby merged in the said county.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a special order of the Waitemata County Council passed at a meeting held on the 15th day of April, 1921, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting held on the 20th day of May, 1921.

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

C. A. CAWKWELL, County Clerk.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 9th June, 1921.

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

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Finance.

OTAMATEA COUNTY 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 ratepayers of the Paparua

Riding of the County of Otamatea was taken on the 6th day of May, 1921, on the proposal of the Otamatea County Council to borrow the sum of £7,300 for the metalling and general improvement of roads.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 60, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 44.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1921.

R. COATES, Chairman.

Result of Poll.

Wellington, 14th June, 1921.

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

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Finance.

RIVERTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

Result of Poll.

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 Riverton was taken on the 27th day of April, 1921, on the proposal of the Riverton Borough Council to levy a special rate, not to exceed six farthings in the pound, on the unimproved value of all rateable property within the Borough of Riverton, to provide for interest and sinking fund on old borough loans of £4,500.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 111, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 37.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1921.

NINIAN G. TROTTER, Mayor.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 14th June, 1921.

THE following notices, received from the Secretary of the Board of the Whakatane Harbour District, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Finance.

WHAKATANE HARBOUR BOARD.

Result of Poll on Proposal of the Board to raise a Loan of £7,000 for Harbour Improvements, &c.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Whakatane Harbour District taken on the 1st day of June, 1921, on the proposal of the Whakatane Harbour Board to borrow the sum of £7,000 for harbour improvements, &c., the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 224, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 151; the number of votes recorded as informal was 7.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Result of Poll on Proposal of the Board to raise a Loan of £3,000 for Engineering and Surveys.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Whakatane Harbour District taken on the 1st day of June, 1921, on the proposal of the Whakatane Harbour Board to borrow the sum of £3,000 for engineering and surveys, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 198, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 180; the number of votes recorded as informal was 4.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Declared at Whakatane this 6th day of June, 1921.

ALEX. C. SUTHERLAND,
Chairman, Whakatane Harbour Board.

Fire Boards under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th June, 1921.

THE undermentioned persons have been appointed or elected to be members of the following Fire Boards constituted under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

AUCKLAND FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
David Goldie.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
John James Kingston.
Walter Pavitt.
Walter Robert Saunders.

Elected by the Auckland City Council—
G. R. Hutchinson.
J. W. Hardley.
Patrick Joseph Nerheny.

BALCLUTHA FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
J. H. Stephens.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
William Harrington Cowper.
John Stuart Hislop.
Henry Robert Law.

Elected by the Balclutha Borough Council—
Angus MacDonal.
Allan Bishop.
G. Wm. Wood.

CHRISTCHURCH FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Henry Richard Rushbridge.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
James Reynolds Cameron.
Henry Percy Hopkins.
Albert Manning.

Elected by the Christchurch City Council—
Alfred Williams.
Fred Burgoyne.
Henry Holland.

DANNEVIRKE FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
George Wright.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. G. Hay.
J. W. F. Norrie.
George Thorne-George.

Elected by the Dannevirke Borough Council—
George Innes Anderson.
David Drummond.
Colin McGibbon.

DUNEDIN FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
J. J. Clark.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Thomas Chalmer.
John Stuart Hislop.
Joseph Skittowe Webb.

Elected by the Dunedin City Council—
John Wilson.
Walter Alexander Scott.
Isaac Green.

DARGAVILLE FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Francis A. Jones.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Thomas A. Blair.
John Ernest Morten.
Geoffrey Nevill.

Elected by the Dargaville Borough Council—
Robert E. Hornblow.
Francis J. Dargaville.
J. Brady.

FEILDING FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Edward Henry Fisher.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
D. J. Bews.
S. S. Dean.
W. A. Parton.

Elected by the Feilding Borough Council—
James S. Tingey.
Victor E. Smith.
Arthur Hillier Sutton.

GISBORNE FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
D. S. Jamison.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Ernest Adair.
James Lyndon Kirker.
Egbert V. Law.

Elected by the Gisborne Borough Council—
Frederick Collen.
David W. Coleman.
George Wildish.

GREYMOUTH FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Jesse Steer.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
John F. W. Grierson.
Henry P. Hopkins.
George Thomas Moss.

Elected by the Greymouth Borough Council—
William Henry Parfitt.
Kossuth Skoglund.
James McGinley.

HAMILTON FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
George Parr.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Horace H. McCullough.
Frank Hawthorne Pope.
Walter William Scott.

Elected by the Hamilton Borough Council—
Henry Herbert Howden.
John McKinnon.
Henry E. Tristram.

HASTINGS FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Samuel Thomas Tong.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. G. Hay.
J. W. F. Norrie.
George Thorne-George.

Elected by the Hastings Borough Council—
William Hart.
A. Garnett.
L. W. Fowler.

HAWERA FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Richard A. D. Welsh.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Karl Caro Akers.
Frederick Honan.
David Hood Thomson.

Elected by the Hawera Borough Council—
John Gray Osborne.
Harry Wm. Lewis.
John Gildroy Grant.

HOKITIKA FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Jerome Breeze.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
John F. W. Grierson.
Henry P. Hopkins.
John H. Wilson.

Elected by the Hokitika Borough Council—
Henry Leslie Michel.
Herbert Maxton Coulson.
Francis McGregor.

KAITANGATA FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Edward McFadyen.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
William H. Cowper.
John Stuart Hislop.
Henry Robert Law.

Elected by the Kaitangata Borough Council—
Robert Aitchison.
John Pennell.
Andrew Jarvie.

LAWRENCE FIRE BOARD.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
David McIntosh.

Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
David James Calder.
Hector F. M. Mercer.
Maurice H. T. Priest.

Elected by the Lawrence Borough Council—
Walter Anderson.
Richard S. Thompson.
Benjamin W. Winn.

LEVIN FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Whitaker.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
D. J. Bews.
F. G. Cray.
E. C. Rowe.
- Elected by the Levin Borough Council—
Alfred Dempsey.
John Charles Milnes.
Frank Ernest Parker.

MASTERTON FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Thomas Sidney Jenkins.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
D. J. Bews.
W. A. Parton.
C. R. C. Robieson.
- Elected by the Masterton Borough Council—
T. Jordan.
William Candy.
R. Russell.

MILTON FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
George Hamilton Thomson.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
William H. Cowper.
John Stuart Hislop.
Henry Robert Law.
- Elected by the Milton Borough Council—
Alexander Rennie.
James Gray.
Henry Ransome.

NAPIER FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Parson Williamson.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. G. Hay.
J. W. F. Norrie.
George Thorne-George.
- Elected by the Napier Borough Council—
John Blight Andrew.
Benjamin B. Creagh.
William E. Hill.

NEW PLYMOUTH FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Walter Crowley Weston.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Keppel G. Archer.
Hugh Bailey.
Dann Le Cren Morgan.
- Elected by the New Plymouth Borough Council—
Frank E. Wilson.
Edward Dingle.
Walter Rumball.

OAMARU FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Andrew Fraser.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
David James Calder.
Thomas Ruddiman.
Joseph S. Webb.
- Elected by the Oamaru Borough Council—
John M. Forrester.
David Sinclair.
Robert Mahan.

OHAKUNE FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Albert William Gould.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
D. J. Bews.
S. S. Dean.
W. A. Parton.
- Elected by the Ohakune Borough Council.
George J. Goldfinch.
C. H. Fletcher.
Herbert Mulvihill.

PALMERSTON NORTH FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Bett.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies.
D. J. Bews.
S. S. Dean.
W. A. Parton.

- Elected by the Palmerston North Borough Council—
James Alfred Nash.
Archibald James Graham.
Charles F. Spooner.

PETONE FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Kerr.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
D. J. Bews.
S. S. Dean.
W. A. Parton.
- Elected by the Petone Borough Council—
John William McEwan.
Alexander Anderson.
George Cook.

PORT CHALMERS FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Richard Young.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Frederick T. Anderson.
Somerset B. McDonald.
Maurice H. T. Priest.
- Elected by the Port Chalmers Borough Council—
William George Coleman.
William Lunn.
George Anderson Luoni.

ROTORUA FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Frederick Goodson.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Horace Haines McCullough.
Frank Hawthorne Pope.
Walter William Scott.
- Elected by the Rotorua Contributing Local Authority—
John Falloona.
Edward La Trobe Hill.
Duncan William Steele.

TAUMARUNUI FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Charles J. Ryan.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Frank Evans.
Thomas Edward Miller.
Herbert Arthur Marriner.
- Elected by the Taumarunui Borough Council—
George Samuel Steadman.
Frank Smith.
George F. Thompson.

TAURANGA FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Benjamin Conrad Robbins.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Alfred Cecil Baker.
William Charles Kemble.
Arthur Eugene Moore.
- Elected by the Tauranga Borough Council—
H. T. Castaing.
Chas. Whiting.
Bradshaw Dive.

TE AROHA FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
R. L. Somers.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
William Graham Bell.
Herbert Arthur Marriner.
Charles E. Palmer.
- Elected by the Te Aroha Borough Council—
Robert Coulter.
John Watson-Ritchie.
Clarence A. Arthur.

TIMARU FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Hole.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Charles James Cooper.
John Frederick W. Grierson.
Herbert Marshall.
- Elected by the Timaru Borough Council—
William Chute Raymond.
Alfred George Foster.
John Patrick Murphy.

WAIHI FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
William Wallnutt.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
William Graham Bell.
Herbert Arthur Marriner.
Charles Edgar Palmer.
- Elected by the Waihi Borough Council—
Norman J. Moon.
William John Cornes.
Dawson Donaldson.

WAITARA FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
T. Taylor.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies.
Boyd Alexander Bragg.
Edward John Carr.
George Duncan.
- Elected by the Waitara Borough Council—
Arthur Wilding Ogle.
James Rennie.
John Blair.

WANGANUI FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
George Bullock.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. E. A. Gill.
Gordon J. Reid.
C. R. C. Robieson.
- Elected by the Wanganui Borough Council—
Leslie J. Sigley.
William J. M. Luxford.
Alexander E. Halligan.

WHANGAREI FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Hugh Clifford Rishworth.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Thomas A. Blair.
John Ernest Morten.
Geoffrey Nevill.
- Elected by the Whangarei Borough Council—
John Samuel Dent.
Frank Cutforth.
Alexander Jack.

WOOLSTON FIRE BOARD.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John James Graham.
- Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Oswald B. Clayton.
James Hutchins.
Frederick A. Tapson.
- Elected by the Woolston Borough Council—
Leslie Hart.
G. S. White.
W. R. Blazey.

Notice respecting Proposed Alteration of Boundaries of City of Dunedin.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 10th June, 1921.

PURSUANT to section 132 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, it is hereby notified that petitions, in accordance with regulations, signed by not less than one-fourth of the electors of the area described in the Schedule hereto, being a portion of the Borough of St. Kilda, have been presented to His Excellency the Governor-General, praying that the said area may be excluded from the said borough and included in the City of Dunedin. All persons affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to or petitions against the proposed alteration within one month from the first publication of this notice. Such objections or petitions are to be addressed and forwarded to the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

AREA PROPOSED TO BE INCLUDED IN THE CITY OF DUNEDIN.
ALL that area in the Otago Land District bounded by a line commencing at the intersection of the Bay View Road and the Prince Albert Road, and thence proceeding north-easterly, south-easterly, and south-westerly along the boundaries of the St. Kilda Borough as described in the *New Zealand*

land Gazette, 1885, page 994, to Prince Albert Road, and north-westerly along the middle of said Prince Albert Road to the point of commencement.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notice respecting Proposed Change of Name of District, "Cabbage Bay" to "Colville."

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 13th June, 1921.

IT is hereby notified that a petition has been presented to His Excellency the Governor-General praying that the name of the district known as Cabbage Bay be altered to Colville, under the provisions of the Designation of Districts Act, 1908. All persons affected are hereby notified that any objections to or petitions against the proposed alteration of name must be lodged within one month from the first publication of this notice. Such objections or petitions are to be addressed and forwarded to the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Cancellation of Notice fixing the Closing-hours of (1) Booksellers and Stationers and (2) Fancy-goods Dealers' Shops in the Borough of Timaru, under the Shops and Offices Act, 1908.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) bookseller and stationer and (2) fancy-goods dealer in the Borough of Timaru, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the notice gazetted on the 26th November, 1914, fixing the closing-hours of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) bookseller and stationer and (2) fancy-goods dealer in the Borough of Timaru be cancelled:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) bookseller and stationer and (2) fancy-goods dealer within the Borough of Timaru:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 25 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1908, I do hereby direct that the notice gazetted on the 26th November, 1914, fixing the closing-hours of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) bookseller and stationer and (2) fancy-goods dealer in the Borough of Timaru shall be and is hereby cancelled as from the date of this notice.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of June, 1921.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

Urewera Blocks.

Native Department,
Wellington, 10th June, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting will be held at Ruatoki on the 18th July, 1921, for the purpose of considering the details of a scheme of the consolidation of the interests of Native owners who are non-sellers in the Urewera Blocks and of the Crown purchases.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

Auditor under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, licensed.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 9th June, 1921.

IN pursuance of the 10th section of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to license

NEVILLE VICTOR ROY JORDAN, of Palmerston North, to act as a Public Auditor under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909.

E. P. LEE, for Minister in Charge.

Result of Election of Trustee of a Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 4th June, 1921.

THE following result of an election of a trustee of a drainage district has been received from the Returning Officer, and published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

J. HISLOP, Under-Secretary.

Te Rapa Drainage District, County of Waipa—
Charles Edward Clarkson.

Letters of Naturalization granted.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 8th June, 1921.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART, Minister of Internal Affairs.

Name.	Nationality.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Naturalization.
Ahlgren, Gustav Wilhelm	Finnish	Manunui	Mill hand	2/6/1921.
Bilski, Frank	Polish	Ratapiko	Farmer	"
Christen, Franz Josep	Swiss	Auroa	"	"
Dravitzki, Vincent	Polish	Kaimata	"	"
Eriksen, Andrew Emanuel	Norwegian	Pahiatua	Retired farmer	"
Soetekouw, Juliana	Netherlands	Petone	Spinster	"

Notice to Mariners.—No. 25 of 1921.

BAY OF PLENTY.—EXISTENCE OF WRECK.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 13th June, 1921.

MARINERS navigating in the Bay of Plenty are hereby warned that the wreck of the s.s. "Tasman," which foundered recently off Rurima Rocks, is reported to lie in the following position: Latitude 37° 51' south, longitude 176° 50' 10" east.

It is reported that the truck of the vessel's mainmast is exposed at low water.

ROBERT DUNCAN, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 26 of 1921.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th June, 1921.

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

ROBERT DUNCAN, Secretary.

ENGLAND.

SOUTH COAST.—THE DOWNS.—AMENDED POSITIONS OF LIGHT-VESSEL AND BUOYS.

- (1.) South Goodwin light-vessel:
Position.—At a distance of about one cable south-eastward from charted position. Lat. 51° 9' 1" N., long. 1° 27' 54" E.
Description.—As described in the Admiralty List of Lights.
- (2.) South-east Goodwin buoy:
Position.—At a distance of about 1½ cables north-eastward from charted position. Lat. 51° 12' 55" N., long. 1° 34' 33" E.
Description.—Black and white vertically striped can buoy.
- (3.) Goodwin Fork buoy:
Position.—At a distance of about 2 cables south-westward from charted position. Lat. 51° 13' 42" N., long. 1° 28' 27" E.
Description.—Black conical buoy.
- (4.) Mid Brake buoy:
Position.—At a distance of about 2½ cables eastward from charted position. Lat. 51° 16' 58" N., long. 1° 27' 17" E.
Description.—Black and white chequered can buoy.
- (5.) Goodwin Knoll buoy:
Position.—At a distance of about one cable eastward from charted position. Lat. 51° 18' 51" N., long. 1° 33' 36" E.
Description.—Black conical buoy.
- (6.) North Brake buoy:
Position.—At a distance of about 2 cables north-eastward from charted position. Lat. 51° 19' 16" N., long. 1° 28' 25" E.
Description.—Black and white vertically striped can buoy.
- (7.) Gull light-buoy:
Position.—At a distance of about one cable northward from charted position. Lat. 51° 19' 27" N., long. 1° 30' 54" E.
Description.—Black and white chequered can light-buoy with group flashing white light.

RAMSGATE CHANNEL.—BUOY WITHDRAWN.

Position.—Near the western edge of Brake Sand and at a distance of about 13 cables southward from Ramsgate Harbour entrance. Lat. 51° 18' 19" N., long. 1° 25' 6" E.

Details.—The black can buoy has been withdrawn from the above position.

SPITHEAD APPROACH.—NAB TOWER.—INTENDED ALTERATION IN CHARACTERISTICS OF LIGHT.

Date of Alteration.—On or about the 27th April, 1921.

Position.—Lat. 50° 40' N., long. 0° 57' W. (approx.).

Details.—The two fixed red (vertical) lights will be replaced by a flashing white light every ten seconds, thus: Flash 1 sec., eclipse 9 secs.

Remarks.—The light will have a visibility of about 16 miles, and a power of about 12,000 candles.

Note.—Further notice will be given.

ENGLISH CHANNEL.

LIZARD HEAD.—CAUTION WITH REGARD TO SURVEYING OPERATIONS SOUTH-WESTWARD OF.

Date of Commencement.—On the 18th April, 1921.

Position.—Lat. 49° 50' N., long. 5° 21' W.

Caution.—From the above date until further notice H.M. surveying vessel "Beaufort" will be engaged in surveying operations in the above vicinity south-westward of Lizard Head. H.M.S. "Beaufort" may be distinguished by a white hull with yellow funnel and two masts.

Furthermore, floating beacons surmounted by staffs and parti-coloured flags will be moored within a distance of 5 miles, on a line running 70° and 250°, from the above position.

At night a fixed white light visible 3 miles will be exhibited from each of these beacons, but the lights cannot be entirely relied upon.

Remarks.—Further notice will be given when the survey has been completed and the beacons have been removed.

ATLANTIC OCEAN.

AZORES.—TERCEIRA.—BREAKERS REPORTED SOUTH-EASTWARD OF.

Position.—At a distance of about 30 miles south-eastward from Contendas Point. Lat. 38° 16' N., long. 26° 39' W.

Details.—The Netherlands s.s. "Barendrecht" reports having passed a small patch of discoloured water marked by breakers in the above position.

Note.—This position is to be circled on the charts by a danger line and marked "Reported (1921) Breaks."

BRAZIL.

EAST COAST.—RIO DE JANEIRO HARBOUR ENTRANCE.—CALHABOUÇO POINT.—NEW LIGHT ESTABLISHED.

Position.—On Calhabouço Point, the eastern extreme of the City of Rio de Janeiro. Lat. 22° 54' S., long. 43° 10' W. (approx.).

Abridged Description.—Lt. fl. ev. 3 secs., 25 ft. (U).

Details.—The fixed red and green light has been discontinued, and is replaced by a new light having the under-mentioned characteristics:—

Character.—Flashing white every three seconds, thus: Flash 0·3 sec., eclipse 2·7 secs.

Elevation.—25 ft. (7·6 m.).

Visibility.—Not stated.

Structure.—A black iron standard.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched.

Note.—The former light on this point is to be expunged from the small-scale Chart No. 530, and the new light is not to be shown.

ARGENTINA.

RIO DE LA PLATA.—RECALADA LIGHT-VESSEL.—ALTERATION IN LIGHT AND DESCRIPTION OF VESSEL.

Position.—At the entrance to Indio Channel. Lat. 35° 11' S., long. 56° 18' W. (approx.).

Alteration.—The light-vessel has been replaced by a new light-vessel having the undermentioned characteristics:—

(a.) Light:

New Abridged Description.—Lt. fl. ev. 8 secs., 44 ft., vis. 12 m.

Character.—Flashing white every eight seconds, thus: Flash 1 sec., eclipse 7 secs.

Elevation.—44 ft. (13.4 m.).

Visibility.—12 miles.

(b.) Fog-signal:

Description.—The fog-signal is similar to that of the old light-vessel, i.e., a siren, operated by compressed air, sounding one blast every minute, thus: Blast 5 secs., silent 55 secs.

(c.) Vessel:

Description.—The vessel has two masts, with a metal light-tower between them; the hull is painted in black and red bands, with "RECALADA" in white on sides.

Remarks.—The light-vessel is still a signal-station, but is no longer equipped with W/T. The pilot-vessel, which is stationed in the vicinity, is however, fitted with W/T.

JAPAN.

S. ENTRANCE TO KURUSHIMA STRAIT.—INLAND SEA.

Notice is hereby given that the character, the candle-power, and the visibility of the light of Ohama Lighthouse, Ochi-gun, Yehime Prefecture, will be changed as follows in near future. Further notice will be given after the change has been effected:—

Character of Light.—Alternating red and green, 5 secs. each (incandescent electric light).

Power.—Red light, 3,000 candles; green light, 1,900 candles.

Visibility.—17 nautical miles in clear night.

Note.—Positions, &c., remain unchanged.

SHIMONOSEKI STRAIT.

Notice is hereby given that the character, the candle-power, and the visibility of the lower light of Shimonoseki leading-lights, at the beach of E. extreme of Shimonoseki, have been changed as follows since the 1st April, 1921:—

Shimonoseki Lowlight—

Character of Light.—Fixed red (electric).

Power.—1,200 candles.

Visibility.—12 nautical miles in clear night.

Note.—Positions, &c., remain unchanged.

INLAND SEA.

Notice is hereby given that the character, the candle-power, and the visibility of the light of Hyakkwanjima Lighthouse, E. entrance to Mekari-seto, Inland Sea, have been changed as follows since the 28th March, 1921:—

Hyakkwanjima Lighthouse—

Character of Light.—Acetylene gas flashing white light, showing one flash every 10 secs.

Power.—10,000 candles.

Visibility.—22½ nautical miles in clear night.

AUSTRALIA.

TORRES STRAIT, PRINCE OF WALES CHANNEL.—INCE POINT (WEDNESDAY ISLAND).—INTENDED NEW LIGHT.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that a group flashing light with white and red sectors (U) will be established on Ince Point on or about 30th September, 1921.

Position.—On the north extreme of Wednesday Island. Lat. 10° 30½' S., long. 142° 18½' E., on Chart No. 691.

Details:—

Character.—Group flashing light, with white and red sectors, showing three flashes every fifteen seconds, thus: Flash ½ sec., eclipse 1 sec.; flash ½ sec., eclipse 1 sec.; flash ½ sec., eclipse 11½ secs.

Sectors.—White from about 50° (N. 45° E. mag.) through east, south, and west to 300° (N. 65° W. mag.); red from 300° (N. 65° W. mag.) to about 337° (N. 28° W. mag.). Obscured elsewhere by Wednesday Island.

Visibility.—White light, 17 miles; red light, 8 miles.

Power.—White light, 3,000 candles; red light, 1,200 candles.

Structure.—Red frame tower, 27 ft. in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—Further details will be given.

EAST COAST.—QUEENSLAND.—BRISBANE RIVER.—INFORMATION WITH REGARD TO DREDGED CHANNELS.

Position.—Pile Lighthouse, lat. 27° 19' S., long. 153° 13' E. (approx.).

Note.—The following notes are to be placed on the undermentioned charts:—

[Chart No. 1674.]

NOTE.

The cuttings and reaches are dredged (1920) as follows:—

(a.) Pile Lighthouse to Bulimba Reach, 26 ft. at L.W.

(b.) Bulimba Reach to Town Reach, 24 ft. at L.W.

Dredging to maintain these depths is always in progress. Attention must be paid to the tidal signals made from the Pile Lighthouse, as the depth is liable to change in all the dredged channels.

[Chart No. 1670B.]

The cuttings in the Brisbane River shown on this chart are dredged (1920) to a depth of 26 ft. at low water.

Remarks.—The existing notes, other than those which are superseded by the above notes, are to be amended for the new information given.

ADOLPHUS CHANNEL.—ALBANY ROCK.—INTENDED NEW LIGHT.

Mariners and others are hereby notified that a flashing light with white and red sectors (U) will be established on Albany Rock, on or about 15th September, 1921.

Position.—On the summit of Albany Rock. Lat. 10° 43½' S., long. 142° 37½' E., on Chart No. 1937.

Details:—

Character.—Flashing light with white and red sectors, showing one flash every five seconds, thus: Flash ½ sec., eclipse 4½ secs.

Sectors.—White from 116° (S. 69° E. mag.) through south and west to 339° (N. 26° W. mag.); red elsewhere except where obscured by adjacent islands.

Visibility.—White light, 15 miles; red light, 8 miles.

Power.—White light, 3,000 candles; red light, 1,200 candles.

Structure.—Square concrete house with white lantern, 22 ft. in height.

Remarks.—The light will be unwatched.

Note.—Further details will be given.

VICTORIA.—POPES EYE BUOY, SOUTH CHANNEL, PORT PHILLIP BAY.

Mariners are hereby notified that the Popes Eye buoy will, as soon as possible, be shifted about a cable to the westward to a position 7 cables, S. 25° W. magnetic, from No. 2 beacon on Popes Eye Annulus. The buoy will be moored in about 35 ft. of water, and will mark the south-western limit of the 22 ft. bank which extends from the annulus.

TASMANIA.—GARDEN ISLAND LIGHT, RIVER HUON.

Notice is hereby given that the light which was removed from the Butts Rock, River Huon, has been re-erected at the south end of Garden Island.

Description of Light.—Occulting, showing a steady white light, with total eclipses at short intervals, the duration of the light and of the eclipse being equal.

The light will be exhibited on and after the night of the 1st June proximo.

The tower is of wood, and is painted white. Height of focal plane above high water, 40 ft. Range of visibility, 11 miles from 303½° (N. 65½° W. mag.) through south to 120° (S. 69° E. mag.).

The light will be unwatched.

WEST COAST.—SHARK BAY, GASCOYNE ROAD.—BABBAGE ISLAND LIGHT.—ALTERATION IN CHARACTER.

Position.—On the north-western side of Babbage Island, near the inner end of the jetty. Lat. 24° 52' S., long. 113° 38' E. (approx.).

New Abridged Description.—Lt. fl. W.R. ev. 3 secs., 101 ft., vis. 13 and 9 m. (U).

Alteration.—The character of the light has been altered from fixed, with white and red sectors, to flashing, with white and red sectors, every three seconds, thus: Flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 2.7 secs.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched; the limits of the sectors remain unaltered.

NORTH-WEST COAST.—MOUNT BLAZE.—LIGHT ESTABLISHED.

Position.—Lat. 19° 59' 20" S., long. 119° 37' 45" E. (approx.), on Chart No. 1048.

Abridged Description.—(U) Lt. gp. fl. (2) ev. 6 secs.

Character.—Group flashing white showing two flashes every six seconds, thus: Flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 0.9 sec.; flash 0.3 sec., eclipse 4.5 secs.

Remarks.—The light is unwatched; further details are not stated.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 27 of 1921.

FOXTON HARBOUR.—DREDGER WORKING OFF WHARF.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 14th June, 1921.

THE Foxton Harbour Board notifies that the dredger "Hennessey" is now engaged in working off the Foxton Wharf, and for a distance of 530 fathoms seawards therefrom.

The dredger has six moorings laid out cardinally.

Masters of vessels are warned to exercise care when navigating in the vicinity of the dredger.

The following publications are effected: Admiralty Chart No. 2054; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, page 106.

ROBERT DUNCAN, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 28 of 1921.

WESTPORT.—DREDGER WORKING OFF WHARF.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 14th June, 1921.

THE Westport Harbour Board notifies that dredging operations are being carried out in the Buller River by the bucket-dredger "Erskine."

The dredger is working in the fairway up river from abreast the top end of the Staiths Wharf. She will be hauled out clear when any vessel or vessels are working to or from the wharf in daytime; and on and after Monday, 13th June, 1921, at night in fair weather she will remain at her moorings, which are at present about 300 ft. off the wharf.

ROBERT DUNCAN, Secretary.

Minister's Decisions under Customs Duties Act.

Customs Department, Wellington, 13th June, 1921.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Duties Act in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—"Not otherwise enumerated" appears as n.o.e.; "other kinds" as o.k.; "articles and materials suited only for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication of goods in the Dominion" as a. & m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.	
			General Tariff.	Preferential Surtax on Foreign Goods.
11/37/5	A. and m.s., viz.:— Motor-cycle side-car fittings—namely, pressed-steel fittings, bored, but not otherwise machined	As a. and m.s. (482)	Free.	
†3/211/2	Artificers' tools, n.o.e., viz.:— Tailors' irons (including tailors' electric irons, weighing 15 lb. and over)	As artificers' tools, n.o.e. (359) ..	Free.	
†14/23	Bottles (containing perfumed spirit), when of cut, ground, frosted, etched, or ingrained glass, suitable for permanent use when empty	As glassware (121)	20 per cent. . .	10 per cent.
2/97/8	Electric appliances, viz.:— Test-stand, the "F.B.," consisting of a work-table fitted up with the instruments necessary for testing an automobile electrical system—parts to be classified as under,— Electric motor	As electric motors (169B)	10 per cent. . .	10 per cent.
2/224	Balance of the apparatus Tungar rectifiers, for converting alternating current to direct current—the parts to be classified as follow,— Transformer portion	As electric appliances, n.o.e. (176) ..	20 per cent. . .	10 per cent.
15/5	Balance of the apparatus (including tungar bulbs) Handles, viz.: Straight round fork-handles of wood, slightly tapered all round at one end	As electric transformers (169B)	10 per cent. . .	10 per cent.
11/17/6	Metal-workers' machine or hand tools, viz.:— Wheel-truing brake-shoe, consisting of a brake-shoe with carborundum cutting surface, for use in truing the wheels of a tramway-car while running on the track	As electric appliances, n.o.e. (176) ..	20 per cent. . .	10 per cent.
3/118/3	Sealing-pliers, the "Acme," used in fastening together the ends of box-strapping by means of patent seals	As broom and similar handles (196)	20 per cent.	
3/118/3	Stretching tool, the "Acme," used in tightening box-strapping round cases, &c.	As metal-workers' machine or hand tools (379)	Free.	
3/118/3	Seals, metal, "Acme" patent, used in fastening together the ends of box-strapping round cases, &c.	As hardware, n.o.e. (178)	20 per cent. . .	10 per cent.
11/32/35	Scientific instruments and apparatus, viz.:— "Auto-altimeter," a species of barometer used on motor vehicles, designed to show the approximate height above sea-level as well as the air-pressure	As ship-chandlery, n.o.e. (473) ..	Free.	
16/45/3	Oil-tester, for testing the dielectric strength of transformer oil, consisting of a high-voltage transformer, induction regulator, circuit-breaker, and oil-testing spark gap	As scientific apparatus (280) ..	Free.	
3/47/13	Ship-chandlery, viz.:— Mooring-buoys, of galvanized iron, suitable for use as equipment of yachts and launches			

Notices of Appointments, Promotions, Transfers, &c.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 1st June, 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.			
Doig, Hugh Macneil	Orchard Instructor	Invercargill	30 Nov., 1920.
Steven, John	Meat Inspector	Dunedin	1
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.			
Jackson, Arthur Charles	Cadet	Dunedin	15 Nov., 1920.
Paddy, Joseph Edward	"	Wellington	22
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.			
Anderson, Agnes Evelyn	Shorthand-typist	Christchurch	4 Oct., 1920.
Keefe, Daphne Margaret	"	Wellington	21
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Gilby, John Emison	Sorter	Wellington	17 Nov., 1920.
Lumb, Ruby	Clerk-attendant	Christchurch	1 Sept., ..
Monahan, Lena	Typist	Wellington	4 Nov., ..
Muir, Mary	"	"	16
Wylie, Clara Elizabeth	Organizing Teacher	Special School, Nelson	4
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Boyd, John	Assistant District Health Officer	Auckland	9 June, 1920.
Collings, Edward	Sanitary Inspector	Napier	1 Oct., ..
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT (RELIEVING STAFF).			
Budge, Greta	Shorthand-typist	Wellington	12 Oct., 1920.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
McDowell, Amelia (Mrs.)	Charwoman	Dunedin	1 Oct., 1920.
McHardie, James	Nightwatchman	Wellington	9 Nov., ..
O'Donoghue, Florence Veronica	Shorthand-typist	Christchurch	9 April, ..
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.			
Johnson, Albert	Cadet	Dunedin	22 Nov., 1920.
Madden, John Clarence Symes	Cadet in Courts	Palmerston North	20
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.			
Chappell, William James	Housing Inspector	Invercargill	1 Nov., 1920.
Cox, Claude James Gratten	Clerk	Wellington	25
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.			
Connor, Winifred Grant	Shorthand-typist	Dunedin	2 Aug., 1920.
Kitto, Theodocia Elizabeth	Typist	Auckland	7 April, ..
Nisbet, Alexander Elder	Cadet	Nelson	12
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Logie, Thomas Morrison	Tracer	New Plymouth	1 Dec., 1920.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Broughton, Rose	Nurse	Christchurch	1 Mar., 1920.
Hustler, Arthur	Attendant	Porirua	1 Aug., 1919.
Simpson, William	"	Seacliff	1 April, ..
Young, James George	"	Porirua	1 Sept., ..
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.			
Cozens, Lewis William	Record and Staff Clerk	Wellington	18 Oct., 1920.
Flynn, Patrick Joseph	Night Watch Officer	Auckland	1
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Eckhoff, Daniel Myers	Assistant Accountant	Head Office, Wellington	9 Nov., 1920.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Bosselman, Vernon Cranley	Junior Engineer's Assistant	Christchurch	26 Oct., 1920.
Cooper, Thornhill	Overseer	Otira	3 Sept., ..
Hartley, Horace James	Storeman	Paeroa	30 Oct., ..
Judkins, Harry Edward	Carpenter	Christchurch	16 July, ..
Renner, Frederick Craig Martyn	Clerical Cadet	Head Office, Wellington	22 Nov., ..
Sandbrook, Nora	Shorthand-typist	Wellington	18
Williams, David Gwyn	Distribution Overseer	Addington	16 Oct., ..
STATE FIRE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Andrew, Bertha Candace	Office Assistant	Wellington	18 Nov., 1920.
Lunny, Grace Catherine	Typist	Auckland	6
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.			
Chapman, Catherine Mary	Bath-attendant	Rotorua	13 Nov., 1920.
Chapman, Charles Augustus	"	"	13
Harris, Vera	Masseuse	"	8
Dollimore, Edward Stewart	Cadet	Wellington	8
McAdam, Simon Peter	Pump and Boiler Attendant	Rotorua	1 Dec., ..
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.			
Cox, Robert Wallace	Cadet	Wellington	8 Nov., 1920.
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.			
McKay, Doris Gladys Jane Martin	Shorthand-typist	Dunedin	8 Nov., 1920.

OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.					
Grant, Peter	Inspector of Machinery ..	Nelson	Senior Inspector of Machinery ..	Christchurch	18 Dec., 1920.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.					
McKillop, Alexander Cameron ..	Acting Medical Superintendent ..	Seacliff	Medical Superintendent (1st Grade)	Seacliff	1 Jan., 1921.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.					
Mackintosh, Donald Alexander ..	Clerk	Wellington	Chief Clerk	Wellington	26 Aug., 1920.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Luck, George Hart	Clerk (P.E.)	Head Office, Wellington	Clerk (P.D.)	Head Office, Wellington	1 April, 1921.
Newcombe, Raymond	Clerk	Christchurch	Accounts Clerk	Christchurch	1 Mar., "
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Ball, William Arthur	Storekeeper	Otira	Storekeeper	Tauranga	12 April, "
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.					
Heley, Herbert John Franklin ..	Electric Lineman (2nd Grade) ..	Rotorua	Meter-reader	Rotorua	29 Mar., "
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.					
Tucker, Frank Kingswell	Clerk	Wellington	Clerk to the Assessment Court ..	Wellington	1 May, 1921.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL PROMOTIONS.					
Dodds, William Lillico	Clerical Cadet	Audit Department, Wellington	Professional Cadet	Health Department, Auckland	13 April, 1921.
Peddie, Jack James Gerald	"	Labour Department, Wellington	"	Health Department, Wellington	15 " "
Robertson, John	Assistant Keeper	Marine and Inspection of Machinery Department, Akaroa Lighthouse	Watchman	Customs Department, Auckland	23 Mar., "

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Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Adamson, Norman James ..	Orchard Instructor ..	Hamilton ..	Orchard Instructor ..	Wanganui (temporarily) ..	28 April, 1921.
Urquhart, Thomas Donaldson ..	Meat Inspector ..	Whangarei ..	Inspector of Stock ..	Te Puke ..	1 " "
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.					
Dimond, Sydney Martyn ..	Messenger ..	Christchurch ..	Watchman ..	Lyttelton ..	4 May, 1921.
Evans, Clive ..	Cadet ..	Wellington ..	Cadet ..	Blenheim ..	3 " "
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.					
Mair, John Richard Bowen Hogg	Group Clerk ..	Oamaru ..	Clerk ..	" A " Branch, Wellington ..	16 May, 1921.
Dennis	" ..	Greymouth ..	Group Clerk ..	Whangarei ..	16 " "
Orpwood, Frederick George ..	" ..	" ..	" ..	" ..	" ..
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Heal, Ernest Robert ..	Housemaster ..	Boys' Training Farm, Weraoia	Probation and Visiting Officer ..	Auckland ..	30 April, 1921.
Meikleham, William ..	Acting Manager ..	Probation " Home, Dunedin "	Farm Manager ..	Industrial School, Burnham ..	24 Feb., "
Potter, Miss Lillie Sophia ..	Sub-matron ..	" ..	Seamstress Attendant ..	Special School for Boys, Nelson	23 Mar., "
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.					
Petre, Joseph Austin ..	Clerk ..	Christchurch ..	Clerk ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	12 Aug., 1919.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.					
McLead, Meltreavers Campbell ..	Clerk ..	Wanganui ..	Clerk ..	Dunedin ..	29 April, 1921.
Stokes, George Edward ..	" ..	Dunedin ..	" ..	Wanganui ..	6 May, "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Harland, Lydia Evelyn ..	Shorthand-typist ..	Relieving Staff, Wellington ..	Shorthand-typist ..	Registrar-General's Office, Auckland	1 April, 1921.
Janes, Marjorie Kathleen ..	Cadette ..	" ..	Cadette ..	Census and Statistics Office, Wellington	1 " "
Jelly, Jean ..	Typist ..	" ..	Typist ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	1 " "
Jones, Sydney Yates ..	Clerk ..	" ..	Clerk ..	" ..	1 " "
Longhurst, Thelma Maureen ..	Shorthand-typist ..	" ..	Shorthand-typist ..	" ..	1 " "
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
Craig, Archibald Wilson ..	Surveyor ..	North Auckland ..	Draughtsman and Computer ..	North Auckland ..	1 April, 1921.
Dickens, Charles Edward ..	Clerk ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	Cashier ..	Nelson ..	17 May, "
Hodgkinson, Alfred ..	Surveyor ..	Napier ..	Draughtsman and Computer ..	Auckland ..	9 " "
Innis, Robert Leslie ..	Survey Cadet ..	Chief Drainage Engineer's Office, Auckland	Survey Cadet ..	" ..	4 " "
Plimmer, Norman ..	Draughting Cadet ..	Gisborne ..	Clerical Cadet ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	6 " "
Torrance, James ..	Clerk ..	North Auckland ..	Senior Clerk ..	Dunedin ..	23 " "

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED—continued.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.					
Beveridge, Robert	Inspector of Machinery	Wellington	Inspector of Machinery	Hamilton	8 July, 1920.
McIntyre, Donald Fergus	"	"	"	Napier	27 April, 1921.
Noy, Henry George Laurence	"	Wanganui	"	New Plymouth	16 Sept., 1919.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.					
McLaren, Clarissa Eliza	Matron (Class A)	Tokanui	Matron (Class A)	Seacliff	1 Mar., 1921.
Martin, Mary Josephine	Matron (Class C)	Seacliff	Matron (Class C)	Tokanui	1 " "
MINES DEPARTMENT.					
Brace, Frank	Clerk	Greymouth	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	10 Jan., 1921.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.					
Escott, Ada Watters	Senior Assistant Matron	Point Halswell	Senior Assistant Matron	Addington	22 May, 1921.
O'Reilly, James	Warder	"	Warder	Wellington	11 " "
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Bretherton, Arthur Charles	Reviewing Inspector	Christchurch	Reviewing Inspector	Dunedin	7 May, 1921.
Dufaur, Frederick Walter	Estates Administration Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Estates Administration Clerk	Auckland	17 " "
Earles, Samuel Baldwin	Junior Estates Administration Clerk	District Office, Wellington	Junior Estates Administration Clerk	"	16 " "
Elliffe, George Henry	Reviewing Inspector	Dunedin	Local Deputy Public Trustee	Dunedin	7 " "
Oswin, Reginald Alfred Vernon	Sorter	District Office, Wellington	Sorter	Head Office, Wellington	16 " "
Wilson, George William	Estates Administration Clerk	Napier	Estates Administration Clerk	"	6 " "
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Fielder, Ebenezer	Electrical Inspector	Addington	Electrical Inspector	Hamilton	18 May, 1921.
Mardon, Walter Arnold	Clerk	Paeroa	Clerk	Whangarei	10 " "
Tait, Harry Webb	Storekeeper's Assistant	Mauku	Storekeeper's Assistant	Waiotira	17 " "
INTERDEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.					
Carter, Raymond Sydney	Cadet	Head Office, Government Insurance Department, Wellington	Cadet	Head Office, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	4 May, 1921.
Dickson, William Stewart	"	National Provident and Friendly Societies Department, Wellington	"	Census and Statistics Office, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	17 " "
Henderson, David James	Foreman Binder	Treasury Department, Wellington	Binder	Printing and Stationery Department, Wellington	23 " "
*Macpherson, Joseph Alexander	Clerk	Group Office, Defence Department, Auckland	Clerk	North Auckland Office, Lands and Survey Department, Auckland	26 April, "
Rogers, Inis George	Clerical Cadet	Public Works Department, Oakleigh	Cadet	Customs Department, Auckland	3 May, "

* Amending entry on page 1145 of *New Zealand Gazette* No. 46, of 12th May, 1921.

RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.			
Tomlinson, John	Inspector of Stock	Taumarunui	7 May, 1921.
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.			
Ross, Arthur Eric	Group Clerk	Whangarei	19 May, 1921.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Bettany, Elizabeth	Health Patrol	Auckland	30 April, 1921.
Smith, Ruth	Sub-matron	Wellington	30 " " "
Wilson, Christina Annie Munro	School Nurse	Dunedin	14 May, "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
*Clifford, Elizabeth Anne	Charwoman	Wellington	20 Jan., 1921.
Simmons, Mary Jane (Mrs.)	"	"	27 April, "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT (RELIEVING STAFF).			
Tancred, Agnes Clare	Typist	Wellington	28 May, 1921.
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.			
Bower, Hugh Lee Bromley	Officer-in-Charge	District Office, Wellington	31 May, 1921.
Sarton, Pearl Evelyn	Shorthand-typist	Christchurch	31 " "
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.			
Parsons, Charles	Cadet	Wellington	30 May, 1921.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Cross, Clair	Nurse	Auckland	28 May, 1921,
Tuohey, Eileen	"	"	22 " "
NATIVE DEPARTMENT.			
Stowell, Henry Matthew	Translator and Interpreter	Native Land Court, Welling- ton	12 May, 1921.
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.			
Manthel, Marie Olive	Cadette	Wellington	28 May, 1921.
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.			
Hatfield, Herbert Arthur	Assistant	Wellington	17 May, 1921.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Harold, Christopher Boyle	Accounts Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	11 May, 1921.
Knowles, Alfred Stephen	Cadet	Hamilton	30 April, "
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.			
Miles, Albert Edward	Clerk	Christchurch	25 Mar., 1921.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.			
MacDonald, Henry Ross	Bath-attendant	Rotorua	13 May, 1921.

* Amending entry on page 1146 of *New Zealand Gazette* No. 46, of 12th May, 1921.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.				
Howie, John	Collector	Gisborne	19 May, 1921	Retired on super-annuation.
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.				
Laird, Elizabeth Lillian	Shorthand-typist	Group Office, Milton	31 May, 1921	Appointment annulled.
Stanley, Arthur Osborne	Cadet	" Christch'ch	31 " "	Ditto.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.				
Caines, Albert George	Nightwatchman	Wellington	10 May, 1921	Deceased.
Cotter, Ellen (Mrs.)	Charwoman	"	31 " "	Retired.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.				
Browne, Alexander Francis	Draughtsman in Charge	Native Branch, Napier	21 April, 1921	Deceased.
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.				
Healy, Patrick Joseph	Inspector of Machinery	Wellington	1 May, 1921	Deceased.
Judd, Leslie Ernest	Accounts Clerk	"	19 " "	Dismissed.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Hodgson, Ronald George Keith	Assistant Medical Officer	Porirua	30 March, 1921	Absent without leave.
Hunt, James	Attendant	Seacliff	30 " "	Ditto.
Robertson, Carl Nedrick	"	"	30 " "	"
Scott, John Charles	"	"	30 " "	"
Stocks, George	"	"	30 " "	"
Watt, Hubert Raymond Aitcheson	"	"	30 " "	"
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.				
Watts, Robert	Warehouseman	Wellington	31 May, 1921	Retired on super-annuation.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.				
Allen, James Edwin	District Manager	Blenheim	10 April, 1921	Retired medically unfit.
Devereux, Peter Alexander	"	"	8 May, "	Deceased.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Rodgerson, William	Foreman Carpenter	Blenheim	5 May, 1921	Retired on super-annuation.

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 May, 1921:—

	Preliminary Census Population, 1921.	Total Births registered, May, 1921.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN MAY, 1921.							Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, May, 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	81,718	139	1.70	1	1	35	5	..	35	77	0.94	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	76,032	141	1.85	9	1	25	2	2	21	60	0.79	
Total for Auckland Metropolitan Area	157,750	280	1.77	10	2	60	7	2	56	137	0.87	
Wellington City	88,876	137	1.54	4	..	28	5	3	20	60	0.68	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	18,552	34	1.83	1	..	4	1	1	7	14	0.75	
Total for Wellington Metropolitan Area	107,428	171	1.59	5	..	32	6	4	27	74	0.69	
Christchurch City	67,232	126	1.87	5	2	22	2	2	23	56	0.83	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	37,743	59	1.56	2	..	14	..	..	9	25	0.66
Total for Christchurch Metropolitan Area	104,975	185	1.76	7	2	36	2	2	32	81	0.77	
Dunedin City	59,198	97	1.64	2	1	13	2	..	20	38	0.64	
Remainder of Metropolitan Area ..	14,339	18	1.26	1	..	6	..	..	3	10	0.70
Total for Dunedin Metropolitan Area	73,537	115	1.56	3	1	19	2	..	23	48	0.65	
Gisborne Borough	10,974	26	2.37	1	1	8	1	1	..	12	1.09	
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	3,547	1	0.28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Gisborne Suburban Area	14,521	27	1.86	1	1	8	1	1	..	12	0.83	
Napier Borough	14,302	29	2.03	5	..	2	..	..	4	11	0.77
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	2,629	7	2.66	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.38
Total for Napier Suburban Area	16,931	36	2.13	5	..	3	..	..	4	12	0.71
New Plymouth Borough	11,393	21	1.84	..	..	6	..	..	3	9	0.79
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,250	4	3.20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for New Plymouth Suburban Area	12,643	25	1.98	..	..	6	..	..	3	9	0.71
Wanganui Borough	16,434	30	1.83	1	..	3	..	..	5	9	0.55
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	7,095	13	1.83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Wanganui Suburban Area	23,529	43	1.83	1	..	3	..	..	5	9	0.38
Palmerston North Borough	15,648	31	1.98	..	..	4	1	..	5	10	0.64
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,235	1	0.81	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.81
Total for Palmerston North Suburban Area	16,883	32	1.90	..	..	5	1	..	5	11	0.65
Nelson City	9,285	11	1.18	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.32
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,347	3	2.23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Nelson Suburban Area	10,632	14	1.32	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.28
Greymouth Borough	4,842	9	1.86	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.41
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	3,360	5	1.49	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	0.60
Total for Grey Valley Boroughs Suburban Area	8,202	14	1.71	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	0.49
Timaru Borough	14,059	40	2.85	1	..	5	..	..	7	13	0.92
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	1,354	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Timaru Suburban Area	15,413	40	2.60	1	..	5	..	..	7	13	0.84
Invercargill Borough	15,204	28	1.84	1	..	1	..	..	6	8	0.53
Remainder of Suburban Area ..	3,854	3	0.78	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Invercargill Suburban Area	19,058	31	1.63	1	..	1	..	..	6	8	0.42
Grand totals	581,502	1,013	1.74	84	6	183	19	9	170	421	0.72	

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

	Death-rate per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City	0.94	
Auckland Metropolitan Area		0.87
Wellington City	0.68	
Wellington Metropolitan Area		0.69
Christchurch City	0.83	
Christchurch Metropolitan Area		0.77
Dunedin City	0.64	
Dunedin Metropolitan Area		0.65

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

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

	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.
Auckland Metropolitan Area	0.72	0.94	1.00	0.87
Wellington Metropolitan Area	0.86	0.92	0.87	0.69
Christchurch Metropolitan Area	0.74	0.83	1.11	0.77
Dunedin Metropolitan Area	0.98	0.92	1.11	0.65

The total births registered for the four metropolitan areas amounted to 751, as against 814 in April—a decrease of 63. The deaths in April were 340—an increase of 54 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 177, females 163. Fifty-five of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 16.18 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 May, 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 ..	12	9	5	10	9	4	4	2	10	3	40	28
5 and under 10 years ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3
10 " 15 " ..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	5	1
15 " 20 " ..	2	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	2	..	4	4
20 " 25 " ..	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	2	6
25 " 30 " ..	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	4	2	7
30 " 35 " ..	5	..	1	2	2	1	2	..	2	1	12	4
35 " 40 " ..	5	2	3	2	1	1	..	1	2	3	11	9
40 " 45 " ..	2	2	3	1	1	3	..	1	2	1	8	8
45 " 50 " ..	4	4	4	..	3	2	3	1	1	1	15	8
50 " 55 " ..	3	2	6	2	..	3	1	1	5	1	15	9
55 " 60 " ..	5	1	1	3	5	..	1	1	1	2	13	7
60 " 65 " ..	3	3	4	5	4	3	4	1	2	1	17	13
65 years and over ..	26	38	10	8	19	16	7	14	17	15	79	91
Totals ..	72	65	37	37	45	36	23	25	46	35	223	198

The deaths of 170 persons of 65 years and upwards were registered for the four metropolitan and nine suburban areas during the month of May, 1921, as against 141 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	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	3	2
66	3	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	5	2
67	..	3	..	..	4	..	..	1	1	..	5	4
68	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	3
69	..	4	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	5
70	4	2	..	..	1	2	1	..	2	2	8	6
71	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	2
72	1	4	1	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	5	6
73	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..
74	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2
75	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	2	2	3	5
76	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	2	..	5
77	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	4	3	6
78	5	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	8	1
79	2	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	1	4	4
80	2	1	..	..	1	2	1	1	3	1	7	5
81	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	3
82	2	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	4	3
83	..	6	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	1	3	9
84	..	1	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	2	3
85	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3
86	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
87	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	4
88	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	3	2
89	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1
90	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
91	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
94	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
95	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Totals ..	26	38	10	8	19	16	7	14	17	15	79	91

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas registered during May, 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>											
1. Typhoid Fever	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
7. Scarlet Fever	1	1
8. Whooping Cough	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
9. Diphtheria	1	..	2	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	7
10. Influenza	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases.</i>											
20. Septicæmia	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	5
24. Tetanus	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
28. Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4	..	4	..	5	..	5	..	4	22
30. Tuberculous Meningitis	1	1	2
31. Tuberculous Peritonitis	1	1
34. Tuberculosis of Kidney	2	2
35. General Tuberculosis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
39. Cancer of Buccal Cavity	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
40. " Stomach and Liver	4	..	3	..	5	..	3	..	5	20
41. " Intestines, Rectum, &c.	2	..	2	..	4	8
42. " Female Genital Organs	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
43. " Breast	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
44. " Nose	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Antrum	1	..	..	1
45. " Bladder	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
45. " Groin	1	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Hip	1	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Pancreas	1	..	..	1
45. " Prostate	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. Disseminated Cancer	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	4
47. Acute Rheumatism	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	3
43. Spondylitis Deformans	1	1
49. Sourvy	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
50. Diabetes	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	5	11
51. Exophthalmic Goitre	1	..	..	..	..	1
53. Lymphatic Leucæmia	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
54. Anæmia	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	3
55. Adeposity	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
56. Alcoholism	1	..	..	..	1	2
Totals	4	28	4	15	3	23	..	16	1	28	122
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.											
61. Simple Meningitis	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3
63. Other Diseases of Spinal Cord	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	5
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	6	..	5	..	3	..	4	..	5	23
66. Paralysis without specified cause	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
67. General Paralysis of Insane	1	..	..	..	..	1
68. Other Forms of Mental Alienation	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
69. Epilepsy	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	4
71. Infantile Convulsions	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	2	11	..	7	1	7	1	6	..	7	42
III.—DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.											
78. Acute Endocarditis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
79. Organic Diseases of the Heart	21	..	10	..	15	..	4	..	7	57
80. Angina Pectoris	1	..	1	2
81. Diseases of Arteries, Atheroma, &c.	2	..	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	7
82. Embolism, Thrombosis	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals	26	..	12	..	16	..	7	..	8	69
IV.—DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.											
89. Acute Bronchitis	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	4
90. Chronic Bronchitis	2	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	7
91. Broncho-pneumonia	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	1	6
92. Pneumonia	6	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	13
93. Pleurisy	1	..	1	2
94. Hypostatic Pneumonia	1	1
95. Gangrene of Lung	1	1
97. Pulmonary Emphysema	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	10	3	5	2	4	1	1	1	8	35

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas, registered during May, 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.											
101. Rupture of Oesophagus .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
102. Ulcer of the Stomach .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
105. Enteritis (over 2 years) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
108. Appendicitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
109. Volvulus .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
111. Acute Yellow Atrophy of Liver .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Cirrhosis of the Liver .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
114. Gall-stones .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
115. Other Diseases of the Liver .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
117. Peritonitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	1	5	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	2	13
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.											
119. Acute Nephritis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
120. Bright's Disease	1	5	..	4	..	8	..	..	..	4	22
122. Pyelitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
124. Cystitis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
125. Urethral Stricture .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
129. Polypus of Uterus .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
130. Pelvic Abscess .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals	1	7	..	7	..	8	..	2	..	5	30
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.											
135. Puerperal Hæmorrhage .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
136. Other Accidents of Labour .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
137. Puerperal Septicæmia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
138. " Eclampsia .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
139. " Embolism .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	2	8
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.											
143. Carbuncle .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
144. Cellulitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Totals .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
X.—MALFORMATIONS.											
150. Congenital Heart-disease	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	6
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.											
151. Congenital Debility, Icterus, &c. ..	2	..	4	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	9
151A. Premature Birth	7	..	3	..	4	..	1	..	7	..	22
152. Other Causes peculiar to Early Infancy	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	4
153. Lack of Care .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	10	..	8	..	7	..	2	..	9	..	36
XII.—OLD AGE.											
154. Senility .. ..	..	15	..	5	..	5	..	5	..	2	32
XIII.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.											
158. Suicide by Drowning .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
160. " Cutting Throat .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
167. Accident—Burns .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
169. " Drowning .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4
170. Traumatism—Firearms .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
172. " Fall .. ..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
175. " Other Crushing .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	3	8
185. Fractures (undefined) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
186. Other External Violence .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals .. ..	..	9	..	1	..	3	..	3	..	6	22
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.											
Ill-defined .. ..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Grand totals	21	116	15	59	13	68	6	42	13	68	421

Census and Statistics Office,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th June, 1921.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of April, 1921. Observations taken 9 a.m.

Altitude of Observatory, 10 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected in Inches to Lat. 45°.	From Self-regulating Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.					Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.	Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	Rainfall in Points (100 to 1 Inch).
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Fah.	Fah.						
1	30.505	67.9	43.9	55.9	122.0	32.3	53	0	S.S.E.	..	..
2	30.415	65.4	58.6	62.0	122.0	56.0	404	1	N.N.W.	..	..
3	30.478	66.1	54.9	60.5	123.0	50.1	178	10	S.S.E.	..	..
4	30.571	61.8	53.0	57.4	122.0	48.9	282	2	S.E.	..	..
5	30.372	62.2	41.6	51.9	127.0	30.5	131	4	Calm	..	..
6	30.108	66.5	44.1	55.3	133.0	33.8	125	9	N.W.	15	..	
7	29.809	61.0	56.7	58.8	114.0	53.2	408	10	N.	..	..
8	29.922	64.0	50.0	57.0	120.0	41.2	151	0	N.E.	..	..
9	29.579	69.5	58.1	63.8	123.0	52.8	191	10	N.W.	35	..	
10	29.284	68.4	58.1	63.2	134.0	54.8	553	0	N.N.W.	..	..
11	29.677	63.2	46.0	54.6	116.0	33.0	243	0	N.W.	3	..	
12	29.783	62.3	56.8	59.5	116.0	54.0	498	1	W	Trace	..	
13	29.783	65.0	55.9	60.4	119.0	51.9	407	10	N.W.	Trace	..	
14	30.257	65.9	39.3	52.6	114.0	27.8	302	4	S.	..	..
15	30.255	58.8	38.4	48.6	114.0	26.8	204	9	N.E.	..	..
16	29.966	60.5	46.3	53.4	126.0	37.0	111	9	N.E.	..	..
17	30.119	65.5	50.7	57.8	119.0	41.8	184	8	S.	..	..
18	29.804	58.8	52.0	55.4	92.0	41.3	140	8	N.N.W.	32	..	
19	29.668	62.5	43.7	53.1	116.0	39.4	328	3	S.S.W.	17	..	
20	29.431	58.0	40.4	49.2	111.0	30.8	180	2	W.N.W.	29	..	
21	29.898	61.0	43.7	52.3	113.0	41.7	326	7	S.S.W.	Trace	..	
22	29.952	56.3	43.7	50.0	106.0	34.8	194	3	N.	..	..
23	30.078	57.8	43.0	50.4	113.0	36.8	127	9	N.E.	..	..
24	30.103	63.0	40.4	51.7	114.0	31.8	33	6	N.W.	..	..
25	30.086	63.8	42.7	53.2	112.0	33.8	152	8	N.	10	..	
26	30.240	60.8	50.0	55.4	117.0	48.8	359	10	S.S.E.	..	..
27	30.287	53.8	47.4	50.6	101.0	45.1	320	9	S.S.W.	..	..
28	30.382	54.0	37.4	45.7	105.0	28.7	181	4	E.	..	..
29	30.431	58.6	37.7	48.1	115.0	29.9	43	8	S.E.	..	..
30	30.392	58.4	38.1	48.2	111.0	30.1	91	6	Calm	..	..
*	30.055	62.0	47.1	54.5	116.3	40.0	230	5.6	..	..	141
†	30.044	62.8	51.3	57.0	106.7	44.0	230	..	..	..	389

* Means, &c.

† Means previous years.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
6	4	1	2	8	..	2	5	2

NOTE.—The weather during the month has been bright and sunny, with precipitation 64 per cent. below the mean of previous years. Total bright sunshine 182 hours 3 minutes, and no sunless days, giving an average of 6 hours 4 minutes per diem. A thunderstorm occurred on the 18th, and hail fell on the 20th. Mean earth-temperature at 1 ft. was 56.2°, and 59.3° at 3 ft. Mean dew-point, 45.6°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0.306 in.; and mean relative humidity, 71 per cent. of saturation.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

April, 1921.

Altitude above Sea-level.	Name of Station and Observer.	Extremes.			Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (½ Point or more).
		Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
Ft. 125	NORTH ISLAND. AUCKLAND F. A. F. Burnett	Deg. 59.1	Deg. 65.2	Deg. 53.0	Points. 292	Dys. 11
131	RUAKURA FARM, HAMILTON EAST W. B. Monro	58.3	75.4	41.3	286	10
46	TE AROHA G. F. McGirr	58.3	67.1	49.6	216	8
340	WAIHI C. F. Sims	55.0	66.3	43.7	466	11
100	TAURANGA C. J. Butcher	54.4	66.2	42.7	327	5
925	ROTORUA G. J. O'Brien	52.6	63.6	41.6	185	7
..	NEW PLYMOUTH	..	..	..	..	..
250	MOUMAHAKI J. G. McFarlane	53.4	63.3	43.6	286	16
2080	TAHAPE A. R. Fennin	48.6	56.3	41.0	231	15
100	PALMERSTON NORTH J. A. Colquhoun	50.6	61.3	40.0	136	9
119	CENTRAL DEVELOPMENT FARM, WERAROA J. Beverley	52.6	62.2	43.0	135	6
70	GREENMEADOWS, NAPIER 3 S.S.W.	55.1	64.9	45.4	70	4
377	MASTERTON R. Brown	52.0	64.5	39.6	170	11
186	GREYTOWN J. P. Eccleton	54.4	66.8	42.0	234	8
..	TRENTHAM MILITARY HOSPITAL	47.1	53.5	40.8	268	6
10	WELLINGTON	54.5	62.0	47.1	141	7
..	SOUTH ISLAND. BRIGHTWATER Ven. Archdeacon Kempthorne	53.3	64.1	42.6	322	8
34	NELSON Wm. C. Davies	53.9	62.4	45.5	322	8
1220	HANMER SPRINGS W. G. Morrison	49.8	61.0	38.6	108	11
25	CHRISTCHURCH H. F. Skey	51.3	59.8	42.9	206	7
42	LINCOLN Wm. C. Purdie	51.7	62.2	41.3	128	7
1220	KISSLTON A. R. Blackwood	50.3	62.0	38.6	165	4
..	RAKAIA Miss A. Hardy	51.6	62.3	40.9	156	4
130	TIMARU Caretaker of Domain	51.0	60.7	41.3	53	5
200	WAIMATE F. Akhurst	50.6	59.8	41.4	71	9
300	DUNEDIN D. Tannock	..	..	..	206	15
245	GORE A. T. Newman	48.2	58.0	38.5	405	17
12	HOKITIKA J. A. Chesney	51.8	59.5	44.2	719	12
12	INVERCARGILL L. Lennie	48.6	57.4	39.8	406	21

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1921.

Rainfall was again below the average, with the greatest deficiency in districts with an easterly aspect. Anticyclonic systems were dominant during the first week, between the 15th and 17th, and from the 22nd to the close of the month. The weather proved fair generally about these periods, with fine, clear days and frosty nights.

From the 7th to the 14th a very intense westerly disturbance brought unsettled, and at times stormy, conditions. High north-west winds backed to southerlies on the latter date, but the weather then rapidly improved.

Another, but less intense, westerly "low" was in evidence between the 18th and 21st, when squally conditions prevailed, and occasional rain fell. In the early-morning hours of the 19th a severe electrical disturbance was experienced in the vicinity of Cook Strait, accompanied by heavy rain showers.

The shade temperature for the month was generally about 2.5 degrees F. below the April mean.

D. C. BATES, Director.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR APRIL, 1921.

[NOTE.—Late returns for stations appear at end of table.]

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND.		
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.		
Cape Maria van Diemen (the light-house-keeper)	111	6
Mangonui	187	9
Kaeo	340	5
Russell	257	9
Kawakawa	243	6
Puhupuhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei	319	8
Aponga .. .. .	..	..
Ruatangata	325	8
Wairua Falls, Power-station .. .. .	..	..
Kamo	137	11
Whangarei	215	10
Puwera, Whangarei	187	7
Maungaturoto	160	9
Mangawai	203	12
Mount Eden, Auckland	313	13
Kaukapakapa, Auckland	310	16
Cuvier Island	143	7
Rocky Bay, Waiheke	245	10
Tairua	360	10
Turua, Thames	249	9
Matamata	273	9
The Domain, Paeroa .. .. .	..	..
Belle Vue Farm, Mangaiti	278	7
Karaka	365	13
Morrinsville	207	5
Springdale, Waitoa	328	9
Omanawa Falls, Tauranga	338	7
Tirau	212	7
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua	199	6
Waio tapu	203	7
Ruatoki	286	4
Maraehako, Opotiki	191	4
Waiawa, Opotiki	96	3
Mautotara, Te Araroa	696	10
Raukokore, Thames	215	8
Pohueroro Station, Raukokore	322	9
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT.		
Rangitahi .. .. .	..	..
Kaitiaki	442	2
Herekino	400	8
Umawera, Hokianga	396	13
Wekaweka	956	13
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour	442	13
Okaihau .. .. .	..	..
Kohukohu	381	12
Waimatenui	594	9
Oranoa, Whatoro	355	9
Keretoki Station, Waimatenui	417	9
Matakohe, Kaipara .. .. .	..	..
Terawhati, Pakotai	524	8
Helensville	311	16
Paparoa, Helensville .. .. .	..	..
Onehunga	281	13
Waiuku, Auckland .. .. .	..	..
Onewhero	384	10
Kawhia	366	11
Turangaomoana, Matamata	302	4
Taupo	222	7
Taharua Station, East Taupo	404	10
Otewa, Waitomo County .. .. .	..	..
Waitomo Caves	631	6
Roto-o-Rangi School, Cambridge	237	10
Te Kuiti	367	10
Puketiti, Piopio	723	11
Hamilton, Waikato .. .. .	..	..
State Farm, Waerenga	349	11
Horahora Rapids, Churchill	161	7
Ngaruawahia	483	11
Waitere te Awamutu	284	9
Waiatua, Kaitieke, Raurimu	305	9
Mangaotaki (550 ft.)	936	9
Paekaka, Paemako	329	9
"Te Matai," Aria	494	10
Ohura	394	12
Mangatoti, Mokau River	460	11
Uruti, Taranaki	387	12
Okoke	434	14
Purangi	409	10

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1921—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain
NORTH ISLAND—continued.		
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT—continued.		
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.)	643	13
Inglewood	640	12
Pilot Station, Waitara	351	8
Upper Mangorei .. .. .	..	..
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.		
Opunake	254	12
Riverlea, Kaponga .. .. .	..	..
Eltham .. .. .	..	..
Rawhitiroa, Mata, Eltham	316	9
Stratford (1,020 ft.)	569	10
Stratford Post-office	522	9
Ohawe, Hawera	301	14
Hawera	311	10
Hawera Post-office	286	14
Patea	204	14
Mataimoana	281	11
Oruamatua, Moawhango .. .. .	..	..
Whangamomona	374	10
Mangapurua Landing, Wanganui River .. .. .	..	..
Taumarunui	307	8
Okahukura	198	5
Tokaanu .. .. .	..	..
Ohakune	285	10
Raetihi	365	11
Horopito	359	13
Waiouru .. .. .	..	..
Marybank, Wanganui	144	11
Belmont, Tayforth, Wanganui	184	11
Waitahinga, Kai Iwi	401	10
Wanganui	157	7
Dalvey, Turakina	136	10
Erehwon Station, Moawhango .. .. .	..	..
Hunterville	202	11
Waituna West, Feilding	150	12
Thoresby, Marton .. .. .	..	..
Waitatapia, Bull's	94	7
Glen Oroua	152	5
Foxton	92	5
Feilding	85	9
Komako	113	9
Kimbolton .. .. .	..	..
Kairanga	120	5
Arapeti, Mangaore	214	10
Arapeti, Mangahao	281	9
Mangahao, No. 1	330	12
Mangahao, No. 2	386	12
Shannon	172	12
Otaki	197	10
Kapiti Island	177	9
Waikanae .. .. .	..	..
Pahautanui .. .. .	..	..
Makara	123	7
Reservoir, Brooklyn	171	9
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.		
East Cape	149	8
Waitakaro	593	6
Pakihiroa	493	6
Waihou, Tolaga Bay	250	13
Kaharoa, Waimata Valley .. .. .	..	..
Marumoko, Motu	582	13
Moanui, Motu	529	6
Motuhora	586	13
Koranga Valley	411	12
Eastwood Hill, Gisborne	152	8
Otoko	251	10
Whatatutu	107	7
Te Karaka	98	11
Puha, Poverty Bay	101	10
Glenroy Station, Gisborne	270	11
Waihuka, Gisborne	133	6
Ormond	117	10
Patutahi, Gisborne	216	10
Whakapunake	320	16
Strathblane, Hangaroa .. .. .	..	..
Muriwai .. .. .	..	..
Tahora, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Gisborne	137	13
Morere	238	12
"Pihanga," Ruakituri Valley, Napier	179	11
Mangaone Valley, Tangitere	413	14
Portland Island	134	12
Maungaharuru, Wairoa	200	6

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1921—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
NORTH ISLAND—continued.		
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.		
Omanuanui, Wairoa .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Tarawera	211	10
Tutira Lake	227	6
Eakdale, Hedgeley	109	6
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier	86	4
Park Island	73	6
Napier	81	6
Wahine, Sherenden, Hastings	71	7
Mokopeka, Hastings	59	5
Frimley, Hastings	69	6
Whanawhana, Hastings	112	7
Maraekakaho, Hastings	65	5
Te Mata, Havelock North	57	5
Te Roto, Poukawa	64	3
Pukehou, Te Aute	83	7
Gwavas, Tikokino	151	15
Blackburn, Hawke's Bay	155	8
Aramoana, Waipawa	149	9
Rangitapu, Waipawa	68	8
Mount Vernon, Waipawa	55	8
Waimarama, Hawke's Bay	44	6
Waipukurau	45	4
Motuotaraia, Wanstead	96	8
Makaretu .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Oruawharo, Takapau	59	10
Tangarewa Station, Takapau .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Ormondville	104	10
Woodbank, Wimbledon	45	8
Pine Grove, Dannevirke	91	7
Mangatainoka	110	11
Pahiatua	123	11
Eastry, Tane, Eketahuna	160	9
Tawataia, Eketahuna	167	9
Putara	275	7
Eketahuna .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Castlepoint .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Annedale, Tinui	105	10
Ditton, Masterton .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Bush Grove, Masterton	120	11
Marangai	91	13
Eringa, Masterton	123	13
"Tyneside," Masterton .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Hikurangi College, Clareville .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Waihakeke, Carterton	180	10
Glendhu, Martinborough	147	12
Martinborough	90	11
Featherston	212	8
Summit	309	10
Waiwetu	166	7
Waiuimata Reservoir	211	7
Western Hutt .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Whangai Moana, Pirinoa	75	4
Karori Reservoir	163	9
Seatoun	114	7

SOUTH ISLAND.

(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.

Collingwood	570	10
Bainham	1,290	10
Onakaka	592	13
Takaka	769	11
Motueka	447	12
Upper Moutere	317	9
Stanley Brook, Nelson	270	11
"Harakeke," Central Moutere .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Upper Sherry River	337	11
Twynham Station Creek, Glenhope	399	9
Tophouse	365	10
Port Hardy, French Pass .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Stephen Island	107	4
The Brothers .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Cape Campbell	23	6
Picton	288	7
Freezing-works, Picton .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Endeavour Inlet	456	9
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound	620	7
Yncyca, Pelorus Sound	632	7
Waitata Bay, Pelorus Sound	249	6
Hartley Hills, Hillersden	266	3
Seddon	13	3
"Chancet," Ward	50	2
Timara Station, Renwicktown	181	3
Kaituna, Marlborough .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1921—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA—continued.		
Spring Creek, Blenheim	170	7
Erina, Blenheim	270	4
Avondale Station, Blenheim	174	4
Marshlands, Blenheim	110	8
Hapuku	266	9
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.		
Farewell Spit	318	8
Karama, Westport	530	9
Ariki	495	8
Westport	530	14
Warwick Junction .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Reefton (643 ft.)	572	11
Greymouth	591	12
Otira (1,255 ft.)	909	6
Ross, Westland	900	18
Okura .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Puysegur Point .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.		
Culverden	57	5
Riverside Farm, Amuri	58	5
Highfield, Amuri	52	6
Weka Pass, Canterbury	32	3
Keinton Combe, Waiau, Amuri	97	7
Waiau	41	5
Gore Bay, Cheviot .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Oxford	85	4
Amberley	62	7
Alford Forest .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Mount Somers	153	7
Bealey	443	5
Arthur's Pass .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Rhodes Convalescent Home, Cashmere Hills	181	7
Islington	197	6
Governor's Bay	219	4
Otahuna, Tai Tapu	151	6
Little River	170	4
Puaha	142	5
Magnet Bay, Little River	88	3
Pigeon Bay	415	2
Coalgate	229	5
Hororata	158	6
Darfield .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Akaroa .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Mount Torlesse, Springfield	191	5
Methven	99	2
Rudstone, Methven	145	9
Lake Coleridge Homestead .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Double Hill	341	6
Winchmore, Ashburton	106	4
Ashburton	266	6
Roxburgh, Springburn	117	7
Staveley .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Evandale, Mount Somers	128	4
Lynnford, Hinds	94	6
Peel Forest	168	7
"Rata View," Peel Forest	235	7
Kapunatiki, Rangitata	50	3
Cefn Orchard, Geraldine	93	9
Waitui, Geraldine	78	10
Orari Gorge	295	10
Orari Estate, Orari	84	5
Balmoral	145	6
Braemar	171	3
Horwell Downs, Fairlie	177	8
Lambrook, Fairlie	76	4
"Craigieburn," Kimbell .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Mary Burn Station, Mackenzie Country	133	6
Godley Peaks, Te Kapo, Mackenzie Country	201	4
Waratah, Albury	145	5
Kakahu Bush, Geraldine	105	6
Pleasant Point	92	7
Te Pah Farm, Seadown	41	5
Smithfield	95	4
Timaru Reservoir	72	4
Benmore Station, Omarama	177	5
Otiake	32	7

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1921—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS—continued.		
Duntroon	30	5
Pukeuri, Oamaru	66	9
Oamaru	43	7
Steward Settlement, Oamaru	50	3
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove	93	12
Kauroo Hill, Maheno	20	8
Bushey Park, Palmerston South	107	8
Opoho, Dunedin (383 ft.)	214	12
Burnside, Dunedin	170	18
Fish-hatchery, Portobello	251	12
Whare Flat .. .. .	..	..
Mosgiel	162	13
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.		
Paerau	203	9
Great Moss Swamp, via Patearoa	186	10
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly	125	11
Waipiata	95	8
Naseby	220	8
Robertislea, Middlemarch	235	15
Tarras .. .. .	..	..
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell	153	4
Maungawera, Otago	203	4
Luggate, Cromwell	191	5
Manorburn Dam	225	13
Frankton	239	9
Queenstown	208	10
Moa Creek	120	9
St. Bathans	201	11
Blackstone Hill	162	7
Clyde	101	6
Earnsclough	83	6
Teviot River .. .. .	..	..
Roxburgh	201	10
Sunnyvale Orchard, Island Block .. .. .	..	..
Balclutha	246	11
Garston	327	5
Fairlight Station, Nokomai .. .. .	..	..
Glenfalloch Station, Nokomai	290	11
Wendonside	374	15
Wendon	260	12
Lawrence	280	13
Owaka	325	3
Tapanui Nursery	363	17
Edievale	351	12
Waikawa Valley	474	17
Tahakopa, Wharuarimu	486	14
Uplands, Waimahaka	402	17
Roslin Estate, Woodlands	426	16
Dipton	207	..
Bluff .. .. .	..	..
Radio-Awarua	284	16
Nightcaps	350	14

New Zealand Rainfall for April, 1921—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT continued.		
Otautau	392	14
Creighton	360	11
Manapouri .. .. .	..	..
Monowai (Sunnyside)	511	17
(I.) ISLANDS.		
Centre Island	474	13
Stewart Island	576	18
Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island	567	17
Niue Island	1,490	21
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands	1,092	23
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Mangaia, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Chatham Island .. .. .	..	..
Vava'u	3,093	26
LATE RETURNS.		
Cape Maria van Diemen, March, 1921	98	8
Waiawa, January, 1921	175	4
.. February, 1921	434	9
.. March, 1921	347	4
Horopito, January, 1921	453	15
.. February, 1921	218	10
.. March, 1921	305	12
Pakihiroa, March, 1921	213	6
Mangaone Valley, March, 1921	117	7
Stephen's Island, October, 1920	850	9
Coalgate, March, 1921	128	8
Double Hill, May, 1920	245	3
.. June, 1920	205	5
.. August, 1920	634	5
Bushey Park, February, 1921	74	5
.. March, 1921	204	11
Opoho, November, 1920	270	19
Mount Pisa, December, 1920	105	2
.. January, 1921	40	3
.. February, 1921	13	2
.. March, 1921	269	6
Glenfalloch, January, 1921	196	8
.. February, 1921	170	7
.. March, 1921	495	16
Avarua, Rarotonga, March, 1921	571	26
.. November, 1920	512	15
.. December, 1920	694	13
.. January, 1921	831	19
.. February, 1921	539	15
Wahine, Sherenden, February, 1921	74	6
.. March, 1921	41	5
Ward, March, 1921	45	3
Niue Island, January, 1921	1246	19
.. February, 1921	499	17
.. March, 1921	569	15

Immigration and Emigration Returns.

RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the MONTH of MAY, 1921, showing the Countries from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, and the Ports of Arrival and Departure.

ARRIVALS FROM AND DEPARTURES TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.

Countries.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.	
United Kingdom	81	139	18	17	255	196	194	49	47	486
Australian Commonwealth	1,180	920	149	158	2,407	1,287	855	134	139	2,415
Cook Islands	6	3	..	..	9	10	10	2	3	25
Niue Islands	10	1	1	..	12	5	..	1	1	7
Fiji	29	23	5	4	61	58	69	10	8	145
Canada	50	40	11	9	110	76	69	1	8	154
United States and Canal Zone	39	14	2	8	63	71	43	7	9	130
Foreign Pacific Islands (undefined)	17	19	7	4	47	58	26	1	6	91
Totals, May, 1921	1,412	1,159	193	200	2,964	1,761	1,266	205	221	3,453
Totals, May, 1920	1,822	1,557	342	326	4,047	1,704	1,605	204	181	3,694

The departures during the month of May, 1921, exceeded the arrivals by 489. In the corresponding month of 1920 there was an excess of arrivals over departures of 353.

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland	1,096	171	710	557	1,267	1,200	147	754	593	1,347
Wellington	1,394	208	845	757	1,602	1,732	265	1,139	858	1,997
Lyttelton	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	3
Invercargill	79	14	48	45	93	92	14	73	33	106
Totals, May, 1921	2,571	393	1,605	1,359	2,964	3,027	426	1,966	1,487	3,453
Totals, May, 1920	3,379	668	2,164	1,883	4,047	3,309	385	1,908	1,786	3,694

CHINESE (included above).

Arrivals.				Departures.		
At Auckland	Males.	Females.	From Auckland	Males.	Females.	
.. .. .	2	..	.. .. .	16	..
„ Wellington	23	11	„ Wellington	48	15	
	25	11		64	15	

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

Census and Statistics Office,
Wellington, 8th June, 1921.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Notice published pursuant to the Provisions of Section 15 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and Sections 18 and 19 of the Public Trust Office Amendment Act, 1913.

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

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Allcorn, Alice	Auckland	Spinster	22/8/20	8/6/21	Testate	Auckland.
2	Armstrong, James	Christchurch	Retired blacksmith	16/4/21	8/6/21	Intestate	Christchurch.
3	Bald, Robert	Opotiki	Miller	2/5/21	10/6/21	„	Auckland.
4	Church, Elizabeth	Christchurch	Widow	15/5/21	8/6/21	Testate	Christchurch.
5	Clims, James Henry	Taumarunui	Sawmill hand	23/11/18	8/6/21	Intestate	Wellington.
6	Dickason, Charles Thomas	Lilley, near Luton, England	Publican	25/11/15	8/6/21	Testate	„
7	Dowrick, Margaret May	East Clive	Spinster	6/5/21	8/6/21	„	Napier.
8	Edmonds, Isabella	Christchurch	Married woman	11/3/21	8/6/21	„	Christchurch.
9	Evans, Richard	Dunedin	Brickmaker	26/3/21	8/6/21	„	Dunedin.
10	Hood, William George	Petone	Engine-driver	23/11/12	8/6/21	„	Christchurch.
11	James, William	Reefton	Miner	6/4/21	8/6/21	Intestate	Wellington.
12	Jansen, Jack	Wellington	Labourer	10/4/21	8/6/21	„	„
13	Johns, John	Nightcaps	Farmer	9/7/20	8/6/21	„	Invercargill.
14	Kukulj, Joseph	Kaikohe	Stonemason	28/6/19	8/6/21	„	Wellington.
15	Lemon, Daisy Edith	Taumarere	Spinster	18/11/20	10/6/21	„	Auckland.
16	Miles, William Charles; or Emmerson, William Charles Miles; or Emmerson, William Charles	Umutaoroa	Labourer	15/2/21	8/6/21	„	Wellington.
17	Morgan, William Henry	Eskdale	„	6/3/21	8/6/21	„	Napier.
18	Murphy, James Patrick	Waimea West	Bushman	4/8/17	8/6/21	„	Wellington.
19	Nicholls, Ethel Rose	Inglewood	Married woman	12/3/17	10/6/21	„	„
20	Parker, Arthur Sydney Frederick	Hindon	Miner	10/2/21	8/6/21	„	Dunedin.
21	Price, Eleanor	Blenheim	Married woman	25/7/20	10/6/21	„	Wellington.
22	Price, Elizabeth	Glentunnel	Widow	10/12/15	8/6/21	Testate	Christchurch.
23	Schroder or O'Connell, Lina	Wellington	Married woman	5/5/21	8/6/21	Intestate	Wellington.
24	Sheridan, Edith Elsie	Ngarua wahia	„	19/10/20	10/6/21	„	Auckland.
25	Spillane, Patrick Francis	Dunedin	Butcher	26/8/20	10/6/21	„	Dunedin.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 14th June, 1921.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Officiating Ministers for 1921.—Notice No. 18.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th June, 1921.

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

Free Methodist Church.
William Wright Stewart.
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 Spiritualistic Band of Helpers is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of June, 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 Hakatere Social and Athletic Club (Registered) is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of June, 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 Riverton Athletic Society (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on its operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 10th day of June, 1921.
R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 10th June, 1921.

THE Alberta Lodge No. 53, situated at Morningside, Auckland, is registered as a branch of The Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 8th day of June, 1921.

R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

School Colours.

Education Department,
Wellington, 9th June, 1921.

THE undermentioned school colours have been registered in accordance with regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 12th August, 1915.

JNO. CAUGHLEY, Registration Officer.

TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL, PUKEKOHE.

Colours.—Band 2½ in. wide in black and red (cardinal) horizontal stripes; black central stripe 1½ in. wide flanked on each side by two red stripes each ½ in. wide intersected by a black stripe ⅜ in. wide.

Public Trust Office.—Establishment of Agency at Cambridge.

IT is notified, for public information, that an agency of the office has been opened at Cambridge, under the control of Mr. P. T. Glanville as agent.

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of June, 1921.
J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Mining Privileges struck off the Register.

Warden's Court,
Havelock, 14th June, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have this day, pursuant to section 30 of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914, struck the undermentioned mining privileges off the Mining Register, viz:—

Residence-site No. 33, held by Irwin Hart at Deep Creek.
Residence-site No. 43, held by Bernard Kearns at Deep Creek.

A. F. BENT, Mining Registrar.

CROWN LANDS NOTICE.

Education Reserves in Southland Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 13th June, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction for a term of twenty-one years at this office on Friday, 29th July, 1921, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION ENDOWMENTS.
Town of Invercargill.

SECTION 3, Block XXVII: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rental, £4.

Building-site, with frontage to Ettrick Street.

Town of Lumsden.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Upset Annual Rental.			Valuation for Improvements.		
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
11	I	0 1 0	0	10	0	1	0	0
13	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	1	0	0
15	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	1	10	0
17	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	1	10	0
15	II	0 1 0	0	15	0	30	0	0
15	III	0 1 0	0	15	0	30	0	0
13	IX	0 1 0	0	10	0	..	..	..
7	X	0 1 0	1	0	0	245	0	0
8, 15	XI	0 2 0	0	10	0	3	0	0
10, 13	"	1 0 0	1	0	0	4	0	0
17	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	1	0	0
10, 13	XII	1 0 0	1	0	0	2	0	0
8	XIII	0 1 0	0	15	0	1	10	0
15	"	0 1 0	0	15	0	..	..	..
15	XIV	0 1 0	0	15	0	20	0	0
3, 6, 17	XVII	0 3 0	2	0	0	4	0	0
7	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	..	..	..
8	"	0 1 0	0	5	0	..	..	..
10	"	0 2 0	1	0	0	..	..	..
13	"	0 2 0	0	10	0	..	..	..
14	"	0 1 0	0	5	0	..	..	..
15	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	1	0	0
10	XVIII	0 2 0	1	0	0	..	..	..
11	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	..	..	..
13	"	0 1 0	0	10	0	..	..	..
14	"	0 1 0	0	5	0	..	..	..
2	XXII	5 2 0	2	10	0	..	..	..

Most of these sections in the Town of Lumsden are suitable building-sites, while others are suitable for grazing, and some are wet and swampy.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Possession will be given on day of sale.
2. A term of twenty-one years from 1st January, 1922.
3. At end of term lease to be submitted at auction, weighted with valuation for improvements payable by incoming tenant.
4. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and rent for the broken period between the date of sale and 31st December, 1921, lease and registration fees (£2 2s.), stamp duty, and valuation for improvements, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
5. No assignment, sublease, mortgage, or other disposition without consent of Land Board.
6. Interest at rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrears.
7. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before subdividing, erecting any buildings, or effecting other improvements.
8. Leases will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
9. Leases liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

THOS. BROOK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE RASMUSSEN, of Oruanui (Rotorua), Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Rotorua, on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1921, at 11 o'clock a.m.

9th June, 1921. W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CLARENCE GEORGE VAIL, of Gisborne, Tobacconist, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 20th day of June, 1921, at 2.30 o'clock.

7th June, 1921. A. G. BEERE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WETINI ANARU, of Tongoi, Aboriginal Native, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1921, at 10.30 o'clock.

8th June, 1921. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES P. COYLE, of Raetihi, Road Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Raetihi, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of June, 1921, at 10 o'clock a.m.

11th June, 1921. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that ERNEST FELIX VOITREKOVSKY, of Palmerston North, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1921, at 2.30 o'clock.

13th June, 1921. CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HERBERT ANDERSON JONES, of Masterton, Architect, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse on Tuesday, the 14th day of June, 1921, at 11.45 o'clock.

4th June, 1921. ARTHUR D. LOW,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES DAVIDSON, of Ponotahi (near Carterton), Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 24th day of June, 1921, at 10.30 o'clock.

13th June, 1921. ARTHUR D. LOW,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

In the matter of HARRY KNEWELL, of Dunedin, Importer, a debtor.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an order of the Court, dated Wednesday, the 8th day of June, 1921, the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy is appointed the Receiver and Manager of the said debtor's estate.

Dunedin, 9th June, 1921. W. W. SAMSON,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DUNCAN MCFARLANE SUTHERLAND, formerly of Edendale, now of Gisborne, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 10th day of June, 1921, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

2nd June, 1921. CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of loss of certificate of title, Vol. 96, folio 213, affecting Sections 245 and 246, Suburbs of Pokeno, in favour of DONALD McDONALD, of Auckland, Farmer, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title on expiration of fourteen days from the 16th day of June, 1921.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Auckland this 10th day of June, 1921.

THOS. HALL, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 235, folio 183, affecting Lot 3 of part Allotment 31, Parish of Waitemata, in favour of EMILY MARY LOUISE SHAW, Wife of SAXON SHAW, of Auckland, Storekeeper, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title on the expiration of fourteen days from the 16th day of June, 1921.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Auckland this 11th day of June, 1921.

THOS. HALL, District Land Registrar.

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

Application 1462 (plan No. 4079). FRANCIS MIKODAM ZIMMERMANN.—2 roods, being Sections 1 and 2, Block LXV, Town of Waitara West. Occupied by applicant.

Application 1463 (plan No. 4063). ARTHUR EDWIN WILLIAMS.—202 acres 1 rood 34 perches, being Sections 110, 111, 112, and 133, Omata District. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of June, 1921, at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth.

A. L. B. ROSS, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in the name of CECILIA WILLIAMS, Wife of CHARLES WILLIAMS, of Weraroa, Storekeeper, for 25.1 perches, being part Lot 66 on deposited plan 687, part Subdivision 10, Horowhenua Block, and being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 164, folio 235 (Wellington Registry), and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

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

W. WYINKS, District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in the name of SARAH ANNIE BARNARD, of Alicetown, Storekeeper, for 18 perches, being Lot 173, deposited plan 50, part Section 17, Hutt District, and being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 126, folio 187 (Wellington Registry), and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice of my intention to issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 15th day of June, 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.

Application 4958 (deposited plan 4757). BANK OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—13·6 perches, part Section 16, Rangitikei Agricultural Reserve (Borough of Marton). Occupied by applicant.

Application 5021 (deposited plan 5006). KENNETH MALCOLM McDONALD.—2 roods 12·1 perches, part Section 3, Kaiwarra (Allotments 42, 43, 44, 45, Wadestown). Occupied by applicant.

Application 5031 (deposited plan 5018). EDWARD WILSON.—13 perches, part Sections 420 and 421, City of Wellington. Occupied by tenant.

Application 5009 (deposited plan 5002). WILLIAM CHARMAN.—24·3 perches, part Section 1007, City of Wellington. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

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

W. WYINKS, District Land Registrar.

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

1587. EFFIE NEWBIGGEN RICHARDSON.—2 acres 0 roods 4·6 perches, Sections 310 and 312, Halifax Street, City of Nelson. Occupied by Lewis Richard Cotton.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1921, at the Land Registry Office, Nelson.

J. A. FRASER, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 8, folio 218, of the Register-book, in favour of EMILY GRACE MACKENZIE, for Sections 686A, 692, 693, and 694 of the Town of Picton, having been lodged with me, and application made to issue a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title accordingly at the expiration of fourteen days from the 16th instant.

Dated the 14th day of June, 1921, at the Land Registry Office at Blenheim.

J. CARADUS, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 18th day of July next.

Application No. 797. JOHN HARRY HADFIELD.—Part of Lot 1 of Section 6, District of Omaka, containing 3 acres 2 roods 20·6 perches. Occupied by a purchaser.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1921, at the Land Registry Office, Blenheim.

J. CARADUS, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 245, folio 193, for part Rural Section 347, Borough of Woolston, whereof CAMILLA ANN SHADBOLT, Wife of ALFRED SHADBOLT, of Akaroa, Labourer, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch, this 14th day of June, 1921.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

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EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of the original Memorandum of Lease No. 4561, of part Rural Section 121, Block XIV of the Christchurch Survey District, whereof ANNIE ETHEL WILSON, of Christchurch, Widow, is the registered lessee, and application having been made to me for the issue of a provisional lease in lieu of the said original, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional lease at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch, this 14th day of June, 1921.

C. E. NALDER, 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.

12912. FRANCES ELIZABETH McBRIDE, JOHN McBRIDE, and JOHN McRAE.—8 acres 1 rood 7 perches, Rural Section 6700, Block X, Arwhenua Survey District. Occupied by the said Frances Elizabeth McBride.

12890. CHARLES SEYMOUR.—38·9 perches, part of Rural Section 311, Edgeware Road, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

12813. JOHN TOMLINSON.—34·5 perches, part of Rural Section 105, Cox Street, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

12913. JAMES McDERMOTT.—1 rood, part of Rural Section 243B, Manchester Street, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

12914. JOHN EVANS.—2 acres 2 roods 28 perches, part of Rural Section 16, St. Martins Road, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1921, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

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

Union Timber Sash and Door Company (Limited).

Given under my hand at Wellington this 8th day of June, 1921.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Bacon's Aerated Water Company (Limited).

The Silver-pine Timber Company (Limited).

The Colonial Farmers' Co-operative Trading Company (Limited).

The King George Gold-mining Company (Limited).

Given under my hand at Wellington this 10th day of June, 1921.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

G. E. Noble and Company (Limited).

Given under my hand at Wellington this 13th day of June, 1921.

P. G. WITHERS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

TAKE notice that the names of the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies have been dissolved, as from the 24th day of May, 1921 :—

- 99/12. The Merchants and Traders Agency (Limited).
 05/10. The Booklovers Library Co-operative Association (Limited).
 13/26. B. B. Grange and Company (Limited).
 15/32. The Waimate Times (Limited).
 19/25. The Citizens Loan and Discount Company (Limited).
 19/42. The New Zealand Property Buyers and Sellers Association (Limited).

Dated at Christchurch this 10th June, 1921.

J. MURRAY,
 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

IT having been reported to me that the undermentioned company has ceased to carry on business, I hereby give notice that at the expiration of three months from date hereof the name of such company will, unless cause be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved :—

- 1910/14. Oreti Tramway Company (Limited).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Invercargill this 9th day of June, 1921.

F. W. BROUGHTON,
 Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of Part IX of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of KODAK (AUSTRALASIA) PROPRIETARY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Christchurch office or place of business of Kodak (Australasia) Proprietary (Limited) has been removed from 94A Hereford Street in the City of Christchurch to 148 Lichfield Street in the said city, and that the Dunedin office or place of business of the said company has been removed from 76 Stuart Street in the City of Dunedin to Moray Buildings, Moray Place, in the said city.

Dated this 6th day of June, 1921.

Kodak (Australasia) Proprietary (Limited),
 By its Attorney,

HAROLD ANTHONY BEAUCHAMP.

Witness—H. Jowett, Solicitor, Wellington. 482

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE A. BOND AND COMPANY (LIMITED), a company having its registered office in Sydney, New South Wales, proposes to carry on business in the City of Wellington, and that the office of the company will be at No. 54 Victoria Street, Wellington.

A. R. ATKINSON AND DALE,
 Solicitors for the Company.

215 Lambton Quay,
 Wellington, 8th June, 1921. 493

THE UPLAND ESTATE COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that all claims against the above company must be lodged at the company's office, 37 Panama Street, Wellington, on or before 30th June, 1921.

LEWIS H. B. WILSON,
 For the Liquidators. 494

NEW ZEALAND.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1909.—ADVERTISEMENT OF CANCELLING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 70 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, by writing under his hand dated this sixth day of June, 1921, cancelled the registry of Hope of

Frankton Tent No. 14, branch of the New Zealand District No. 84 of the Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society, Salford Unity, Register No. 190, held at Frankton Junction, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist. 495

R. E. HAYES, Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned, ROBERT JOSEPH LOGAN and ADELA KATE SARGENT, in the *Waimate Advertiser* business has been dissolved as from the thirty-first day of May, 1921, from which date the said business will be carried on by the said ADELA KATE SARGENT, who will pay all accounts owing by the late firm.

Dated at Waimate this first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

ROBERT JOSEPH LOGAN.

Witness to the signature of Robert Joseph Logan—S. I. Fitch, Solicitor, Waimate.

ADELA KATE SARGENT.

Witness to the signature of Adela Kate Sargeant—J. B. Nichol, Solicitor, Dunedin. 496

NEW ZEALAND.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1909.—ADVERTISEMENT OF CANCELLING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 70 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, by writing under his hand dated this ninth day of June, 1921, cancelled the registry of Pride of Wallace Tent, branch of The New Zealand Central District Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society, Register No. 110, held at Otautau, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist. 497

R. E. HAYES, Registrar.

NEW ZEALAND.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1909.—ADVERTISEMENT OF CANCELLING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 70 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, by writing under his hand dated this ninth day of June, 1921, cancelled the registry of Lily of the South Tent No. 5, branch of The New Zealand Central District Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society, Register No. 110, held at Invercargill, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist. 498

R. E. HAYES, Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to the powers given by section 168 of the Companies Act, 1908, the following resolution was entered in the minute-book of the ROBERTS STEEL, IRON, AND OVEN WORKS (LIMITED), and was signed by all the shareholders in such company on the 9th day of June, 1921 :—

“That it is proved to its satisfaction that the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same.

“That THOMAS DAVIES, of Wellington, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the company.”

Dated at Wellington this 13th day of June, 1921.

499 THOMAS DAVIES, Liquidator.

OHURA FARMERS' UNION CLUB (INCORPORATED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of members of the above-named club will be held in the Public Hall, Ohura, on Saturday, 2nd July, 1921, at 1.30 p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the club 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 club and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated this 10th day of June, 1921.

500 GEO. DENISON, Liquidator.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the OIL FUEL ECONOMISER (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in New South Wales under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1899, proposes to carry on business in New Zealand; and that the office or place of business of the company in New Zealand, where legal process of any action may be served upon it and to which notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is situate at the office of Messrs. Hicks and Ainger, 162 Manchester Street, Christchurch.

Dated this thirteenth day of June, 1921.

R. L. HICKS,

Local Secretary for the said Company.

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CANTERBURY COLLEGE.

ELECTION OF MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS.

IN pursuance of regulations under the Canterbury College and Canterbury Agricultural College Act, 1896, I, Leonard Aubrey Stringer, Returning Officer, do hereby declare that the undermentioned persons have been duly elected members of the Board of Governors of Canterbury College, by the electors on the several electoral rolls:—

Elected by Members of Parliament: Jonathan Charles Adams, B.A.

Elected by Graduates: George Mackenzie Lester Lester, M.A., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.; Very Rev. Walter Harper, M.A.

Elected by Teachers: Thomas Hughes, B.A.

Elected by School Committees: Hugh Boyd.

Elected by Prefectorial Board: Andrew Fairbairn.

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L. A. STRINGER, Returning Officer.

WAITOMO 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, and all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Waitomo County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of nine hundred pounds (£900), authorized to be raised by the Waitomo County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of completing the reforming and metalling of the several roads mentioned in the original Mangaotaki metalling scheme, the said Waitomo County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one farthing (¼d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Mangaotaki Special Rating Area of the County of Waitomo, comprising all that area in the Auckland Land District bounded as follows:—

Commencing at the south-western corner of Puketiti No. 5; thence along the southern boundary of the said section in an easterly direction to Hunt's Road; thence along Hunt's Road in a northerly direction to the north-east corner of the said section; thence along the northern boundary of the said section in a westerly direction to the south-east corner of Kinohaku East 4H Number 3; thence along the eastern boundary of the said section and the eastern boundary of Kinohaku East Section 4H 4 to the western boundary of Kinohaku East 4B Section 3; thence along the southern boundary of Kinohaku East 4B Section 3 and through the last-mentioned section to include 464 acres 2 roods 19 perches of the said last-mentioned section in the area; thence along the northern boundary of the said section Kinohaku East 4B Section 3 to the south-east corner of section Kinohaku East 4B 2A; thence along the eastern boundary of the last-mentioned section, the eastern boundary of Kinohaku East 4B 2B, the northern boundary of 4B 2B, then again to the northern boundary of Kinohaku East 4B Section 3; thence along the northern boundary of the said last-mentioned section to the south-east corner of Kinohaku East 4D 2; thence along the eastern and northern boundaries of Kinohaku East 4D 2 and part of the eastern boundary of Kinohaku East 4D 4, part of the southern, eastern, and northern boundaries of Kinohaku East 4E, to the north-east corner of Kinohaku East 4G No. 2; thence along the northern boundary of Kinohaku East No. 4G 2, the northern boundary of 4G No. 3, to the north-eastern boundary of Section 5, Block XI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence along the eastern boundary of the said section to the Kihikihi Road; thence along the Kihikihi Road in a south-westerly direction to the south-east corner of Section 11, Block XI, Maungamangero Survey District; thence along the eastern boundary of the said section

in a northerly direction to the north-eastern corner; thence along the northern boundaries of the said last-mentioned section and Sections 12, 13, 26, 27, 28, to the Mahoenui-Kawhia Road; thence along the Mahoenui-Kawhia Road to the north-western corner of Section 3, Block VI, Maungamangero S.D., this being a point on the boundary between Awakino and Waitomo Counties; thence along the boundary between the two counties in a southerly direction to the starting-point.

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

JAS. WALL, Chairman.

P. MORA, County Clerk.

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TAURANGA HARBOUR BOARD.

LOAN OF £10,000.—FIRST PORTION OF A SPECIAL LOAN OF £125,000 UNDER AUTHORITY OF THE TAURANGA HARBOUR BOARD EMPOWERING ACT, 1919.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the Tauranga Harbour Board Empowering Act, 1919, the Harbours Act, 1908, and amendments, and all other Acts in that behalf enabling it, the Tauranga Harbour Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £125,000, authorized to be raised by the Tauranga Harbour Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of paying and discharging all previously existing debentures issued by the Board as they may mature (£3,078), and for the construction of the following works in and for the Tauranga Harbour recommended by Mr. J. Blair Mason:—

For dredging, deepening, widening, and improving the channel from the Heads to Tauranga, and the construction of the necessary training-walls, groynes, or aprons for maintaining the same, and the purchase, construction, and hiring of all such dredges, tugs, cranes, wharves, jetties, sheds, quarries, equipment, and plant (all of which are hereinafter referred to as "plant and machinery") as may be necessary for such work (£57,847); and for constructing a pier at Maunganui, and the purchase, construction, and hiring of the necessary plant and machinery (£33,000); and for purchasing acquiring, and constructing quay and training-wall from Tauranga to Sulphur Point (£24,000); and to pay the expenses of the poll taken on the proposal (£200) —

the Tauranga Harbour Board hereby makes and levies a special rate on the capital value of all rateable property in the Tauranga Borough, and in the Mount portion of the County of Tauranga, as defined in the Tauranga Harbour Board Empowering Act, 1919, of one penny in the pound sterling; in the rest of the Tauranga County, the Te Puke Town Board District, and the Matata Riding of the County of Whakatane, of three farthings in the pound sterling; in that portion of the Rotorua County defined in the Schedule to the Tauranga Harbour Board Empowering Act, 1919, of one-eighth of a penny in the pound sterling; and in the rest of the Rotorua County and Rotorua Town District, of three-eighths of a penny in the pound sterling, as security for the interest and sinking fund in connection with such loan: Provided that the rate struck in the Rotorua Town District and County shall not be levied until a railway shall be actually constructed and open for traffic connecting the Town of Rotorua with the Main East Coast line eastward of Tauranga.

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 April 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.

ROBERT KING, Chairman.

C. LOWE, Secretary.

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INGLEWOOD 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 Inglewood 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 £550, authorized to be raised by the Inglewood County

Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of reforming, grading, and metalling the Toitoto Road, the said Inglewood County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{4}{5}$ ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Toitoto Road No. 3 Special Rating Area, comprising Section 1, containing 517 acres, Block XV, Waitara S.D.; Sections 8 and 9, containing 626 acres, Sections 10 and 14, containing 364 acres, and part of Section 5, containing 20 acres, Block III, Huiroa S.D. And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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S. NIELSON, County Clerk.

**CHEMISTS DEFENCE ASSOCIATION (INCORPORATED).
VOLUNTARY WINDING-UP.**

NOTICE is hereby given that at general meetings of the Chemists Defence Association (Incorporated) held on 13th December, 1920, and on 3rd February, 1921, the following resolutions were carried:—

"That this general meeting resolves that the association shall be voluntarily wound up in terms of section 24 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908, and subsequently registered under the Companies Act, 1908, subject to confirmation at the next general meeting.

"That this general meeting of the Chemists Defence Association confirms the resolution passed at the last general meeting to the effect that this association shall be voluntarily wound up in terms of section 24 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908, and subsequently registered under the Companies Act, 1908."

Also at a meeting held on 1st June, 1921:—

"That all the funds and assets of every description now belonging to the Chemists Defence Association (Incorporated), as shown by Liquidator's statement to date 31st May, 1921, be transferred to the Chemists Defence Association of New Zealand (Limited), and that the Chemists Defence Association (Incorporated) be wound up as from that date."

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E. C. CACHEMAILLE, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between CHARLES CHAMBERS and JAMES PETTIE, carrying on business at Auckland as Bakers, Pastry-cooks, Caterers, and Dining-room Proprietors, under the style or firm of "John Buchanan," has been dissolved as from the first day of June, 1921, so far as concerns the said James Pettie, who retires from the said firm. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said CHARLES CHAMBERS, who will carry on the said business as heretofore under the style or firm of "John Buchanan." 507

I, WILLIAM BARNETT REEKIE, M.B., Bach. Surg., Univ. N.Z., 1920, now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 17th July next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Wellington.

WILLIAM BARNETT REEKIE,

Kaitangata, Otago.

Dated at Wellington 16th June, 1921.

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