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

[L.s.] 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 Crown 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.—CROWN LAND.

Wairoa County.—Opotiki Survey District.—Te Reinga Block.

SECTION	Area,	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 2, Block II	550	0	0	0
" 3 "	399	2	0	0
" 4 "	650	0	0	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 13th day of March, 1922.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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.] 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-

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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 6, Block XV, Waihou Survey District: Area, 64 acres 1 rood 8 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 March, 1922.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block XI, Waitoa Survey District, Piako 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 Waitoa Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
1	2	25	Section 7 (16433, blue); coloured red.
0	0	31·8	Ohinearei; coloured yellow.
0	0	4·7	" " blue.

Situated in Block XI, Waitoa Survey District (S.O. 21440.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 52911, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at

Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Land taken for a Government Work, and not required for that Purpose, to be Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, 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 declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of stopped Government road declared to be Crown land:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
6	1	9	Sections 8 and 9, Block VII, Benger Survey District; coloured green.
20	3	25	P.R. "D" 7, 3, 12, 8, 11, 9, 10, Block VII, Benger Survey District; coloured green.
1	3	39	Section 1, Block V, Benger Survey District; coloured green.
5	1	14	Section 1, Block VI, Teviot Survey District; coloured green.
5	2	19	Section 11, Block VII, Benger Survey District; coloured blue.

Situated in Otago R.D.

In the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53695, 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 March, 1922.

W. FRASER,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IX, Paritutu Survey District, Taranaki County.

[L.S.] JELICOE, 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 Paritutu Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	0	23.1	Section 509, Grey District; coloured pink.
0	0	7	509
0	1	21.8	521

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	28.5	Section 509, Grey District; coloured green.
0	1	28.5	Secs. 509 & 521, Grey Dist.

All situated in Block IX, Paritutu Survey District Taranaki R.D.). (S.O. 5845.)

All in the Taranaki Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53834,

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 14th day of March, 1922.

E. P. LEE, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block IX, Takapau Survey District, Dannevirke County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 2 acres 0 roods 10 perches.

Portion of Section 59, Block IX, Takapau Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.) (S.O. 123, green.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53552, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 2nd day of March, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Blocks IV and VIII, Tokomaru Survey District, Waikato County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	0	7.4	Section 2A, Block IV; coloured pink.
0	0	5	4A " " yellow.
0	0	3.9	4B " " blue.
0	0	3.7	4C " " green.
0	0	3.5	4D " " purple.
0	0	3.2	4E " " green.
0	0	1.6	4F " " neutral.
0	2	2	7 " " pink.
0	2	39	Section 7A, Blocks IV and VIII; coloured yellow.
0	0	13	Section 7, Block VIII; coloured blue.

Situated in Tokomaru Survey District (Mangahauin Block), (Poverty Bay R.D.). (S.O. 932, brown.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53868, 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 14th day of March, 1922.

W. FRASER,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block II,
Moeangiangi Survey District.*

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
1	1	33.6	Portion of Section 1.
3	2	0	"

Situated in Block II, Moeangiangi Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 633, green.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 48089 (sheet 1), deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 8 acres.
Portion of Kinohaku East 4B No. 1, Block XI, Otakeke Survey District.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 7th day of March, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking a Proclamation taking Land for the Purposes of a Public School in Block XI, Otakeke Survey District.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, 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 revoke the Proclamation dated the eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 27, page 692, of the eighteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, taking portion of Kinohaku E 4B No. 1,

Block XI, Otakeke Survey District, for the purposes of a public school, such Proclamation containing an error in substance.

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 March, 1922.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block VI, Katikati Survey District.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road hereby stopped: 19 acres 2 roods.

Being portion of road adjoining Te Kauri Village, situated in Block VI, Katikati Survey District, Tahawai Parish (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21736.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53482, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of March, 1922.

W. FRASER,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Defining the Middle-line of a Further Portion of the Huntly-Awaroa Branch of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway—namely, 8 Miles 34.78 Chains to 9 Miles.

[L.S.] JELICOE, 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 Huntly-Awaroa Branch of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway—namely, 8 miles 34.78 chains to 9 miles—shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point indicated by iron pipe V in centre of road intersecting Section 10, Parish of Pepepe, Block I, Newcastle Survey District, and marked 8 miles 34.78 chains, which point is also the termination of the railway described in a Proclamation dated the 4th day of October, 1917, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 154, of the 11th day of October, 1917, proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction for a distance of 45.22 chains, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands, &c.—viz., Sections 141, 140, 139, 119, and 119B, Parish of Pepepe, Block I, Newcastle Survey District, and terminating in the said Section 119B at a point approximately 26.25 chains east and 5.50 chains north of the south-western corner of the said Section 119 marked 9 miles; including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and watercourses: all in the Auckland Land District. As the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53875, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District. (Auckland D.O. No. 7219.)

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

E. P. LEE, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land set apart as Provisional State Forests.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section thirty-four of the War Legislation and Statute Law Amendment Act, 1918, 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 set apart the Crown land described in the Schedule hereto as and for provisional State forests.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

Provisional State Forest No. Pt. 67.

ALL that area of Crown land, containing an area of 195 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section 5, Block XV, Manganui Survey District. As the same is more particularly delineated on forest atlas No. 062, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

Provisional State Forest No. 70.

All that area of Crown land, containing a total area of 1,351 acres 2 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Sections 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 14, 19, 20, Block IV, and Sections 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, Block VIII, Hautapu Survey District. As the same is more particularly delineated on forest atlas No. 078, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Commissioner of State Forests.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land withdrawn from State-forest Reservation.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land specified in the Schedule hereto is a State forest under the control of the Commissioner of State Forests appointed under the State Forests Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and the said land is now no longer required for State forest purposes:

And whereas plans showing the extent and portion of the said land, and a statement of the reasons why it is no longer required for State forest purposes, have been laid before both Houses of Parliament for a period of thirty days, and no resolution has been passed by either of such Houses objecting to the issue of this Proclamation:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section twenty-eight of the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Proclamation specified in the said Schedule so far as it relates to the land described in the said Schedule, as from the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*; and doth proclaim and declare that from and after such date the land described in the said Schedule shall no longer be subject to the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 370 acres, more or less, situated in Block VII, Maungataniwha Survey District, bounded as follows:—

Commencing at a point being the intersection of the southern boundary of Allotment 70, Maungataniwha Parish, with the north-western boundary of Allotment 37 of the aforesaid parish, and bounded towards the south-east by the last-mentioned allotment to and across a public road, again by the said Allotment 37 to the northern boundary of the Kauri Putete Block; thence towards the south-east and south generally by that block to and across a public road; thence towards the south-west generally again by the same block and Section 1A, Block VII, Maungataniwha Survey District, to and by a formed road 100 links wide to the

southern boundary of Allotment 67, Maungataniwha Parish; and thence towards the north by the said Allotment 67 and Allotments 72, 71, and 70 of the aforesaid parish to the point of commencement.

As the same is more particularly delineated on atlas No. 005, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.

Proclamation dated 26th July, 1881, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 61, of 28th July, 1881.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand; and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, at the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Commissioner of State Forests.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Boundaries of Borough of Ashburton altered.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to the Governor-General under section one hundred and thirty-two of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, praying that a certain area be excluded from the Borough of Ashburton, and included in the County of Ashburton:

And whereas a notice showing the proposed alteration of boundaries of the said borough has been gazetted and publicly notified, and no objections in writing against such alteration have been lodged:

And whereas it is desirable to alter the boundaries of the said Borough of Ashburton as aforesaid:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, the area described in the Schedule hereto shall be excluded from the Borough of Ashburton and included in the County of Ashburton.

SCHEDULE.

AREA EXCLUDED FROM THE BOROUGH OF ASHBURTON.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, being part of Rural Section 13757, bounded on the north-east by Jones Street, towards the south-west by Wakanui Road, and towards the north-west by Trevor's Road.

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

Glen Eden Town District not to be Part of County of Waitemata.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Governor-General is satisfied that the population of the Glen Eden Town District, in the County of Waitemata, exceeds five hundred, and the Town Board of the said Glen Eden Town District has made application that the said town district shall not form part of the County of Waitemata, being the county within the boundaries of which it is situated:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Town Boards Amendment Act, 1908 (No. 2), and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that, on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, the Glen Eden Town District shall not form part of the County of Waitemata.

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

*Consenting to stopping Portion of Road in Block IX,
Takapau Survey District, Dannevirke County.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of
March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 Dannevirke County Council stopping the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road permitted to be stopped: 2 acres 2 roods 2 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 56 and 57, Block IX, Takapau Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 123, green.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53552, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

*Consenting to Land being taken for the Purposes of a Road in
Block I, Waiwera Survey District.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of
March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purposes of a road, portion of such land being occupied by an orchard.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land permitted to be taken: 6 acres 0 roods 30 perches.

Being portion of Allotments N.E. 110, M. 110, and S.W. 110, Parish of Puhoi, situated in Block I, Waiwera Survey District.

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53510, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Consenting to Land being taken for the Purpose of a Road
in Blocks IV and VIII, Tokomaru Survey District, Waiapu
County.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of
March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for the purpose of a road, portions of such land being occupied by buildings and an orchard.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Section	Portion of	Colour
0	0	7.4	Section 2A,	Block IV;	coloured pink.
0	0	5	"	4A	" " yellow.
0	0	3.9	"	4B	" " blue.
0	0	3.7	"	4C	" " green.
0	0	3.5	"	4D	" " purple.
0	0	3.2	"	4E	" " green.
0	0	1.6	"	4F	" " neutral.
0	2	2	"	7	" " pink.
0	2	39	Section 7A,	Blocks IV and VIII;	coloured yellow.
0	0	13	Section 7,	Block VIII;	coloured blue.

Situated in Tokomaru Survey District (Mangahaui Block), (Poverty Bay R.D.). (S.O. 932, brown.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53868, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

*Consenting to stopping Portion of Road in Block XIII,
Hukerenui Survey District, Whangarei County.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of
March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 Whangarei County Council 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.	Description
4	3	13	Adjoining or passing through Section 11.
3	3	12.3	" " Secs. 1 and 2.

Situated in Block XIII, Hukerenui Survey District. (S.O. 21633.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53694, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

*Consenting to stopping Portion of a Road in Block VIII,
Tokomaru Survey District, Waiapu County.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of
March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 Waiapu County Council stopping the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road permitted to be stopped: 1 acre 2 roods 25 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Mangahaui No. 10, and B 6 D 2, Tokomaru, Block VIII, Tokomaru Survey District (Poverty Bay R.D.). (S.O. 933, brown.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53285, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made, under section twenty, subsection one, of the Finance Act, 1919, for the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the several local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto to borrow the sums set out therein, and it is expedient that such consent should issue :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the raising of the loans hereinafter mentioned by the several local authorities set out in the Schedule hereto, and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Finance Act, 1919, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor-General in Council to the raising of the loans hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

	£
ONE Tree Hill Road Board (for road improvements) ..	50,000
Palmerston North Borough Council (for construction of water-tables, footways, and cycle-tracks) ..	14,500
Wanganui Hospital Board (for hospital purposes) ..	12,000
Palmerston North Borough Council (for storm-water drainage) ..	10,000
Matakaoa County Council (for harbour-works at Hick's Bay) ..	9,000
Mangahoe Drainage Board (for deepening, widening, and improving the Mangahoe Stream) ..	2,000
Pahiatua County Council (for constructing McFarlane's Bridge) ..	2,000
Palmerston North Borough Council (for purchasing a site for public library) ..	1,550
Motueka Borough Council (for completing electric light and power works) ..	1,400
Manurewa Town Board (for completing workers' dwellings) ..	200

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS application has been made, under section twenty, subsection one, of the Finance Act, 1919, for the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council to enable the several local authorities mentioned in the Schedule hereto to borrow the sums set out therein, and it is expedient that such consent should issue :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the raising of the loans hereinafter mentioned by the several local authorities set out in the Schedule hereto; and it is hereby declared that this Order in Council is made under the provisions in that behalf of the Finance Act, 1919, and shall operate accordingly as a consent of the Governor-General in Council to the raising of the loans hereby authorized.

SCHEDULE.

	£
OTAKI Borough Council (for waterworks) ..	5,000
Gonville Town Board (for water and drainage extensions and street improvements) ..	5,000
Akaroa and Wainui Road Board (for road construction) ..	5,000
Kaikōhe Town Board (for kerbing, channelling, and topdressing footpaths) ..	3,000
Hamilton Borough Council (for completing electric-light works) ..	2,600
Heathcote County Council (for purchasing Mount Pleasant waterworks) ..	2,500

Franklin County Council (for the construction of roads)	600
Horowhenua County Council (for metalling a portion of Pretoria Road) ..	900
Orapui Road Board (for permanent roadworks) ..	110
Inglewood County Council (for completing Makara Bridge and completing the metalling of Cooper's Hill) ..	105

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

Declaring Union Road, in the Kawhia County, to be a County Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

THAT road in the Auckland Land District, Kawhia County, known as Union Road, commencing at its junction with Makomako and Kawaroa Roads in Section 3D, Moerangi and Matakowhai Block, Block III, Kawhia North Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly direction, adjoining or passing through the said Section 3D and Section 3B, Moerangi and Matakowhai Block, Blocks III, Kawhia North, and XIV, Karioi Survey Districts, and terminating at its junction with the Te Maari Road; being a distance of 1 mile 23 chains, more or less. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53847, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Declaring Portion of Road in Block III, Otamatea Survey District, to be a Government Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road declared to be a Government road: 1 rood 11 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Sections 173 and 33, situated in Block III, Otamatea Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21775.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53636, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

Electric Lines Regulations Amendments.—Private Lines and Private Telephone Lines.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, and the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1919, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the regulations and fix the charges set forth in the Schedule hereto with respect to the erection and maintenance of private lines and private telephone lines; and doth order and declare that any regulations and charges of similar purport heretofore made are hereby revoked in so far as they are not in agreement with the regulations and charges made in the said Schedule, but that otherwise any such other regulations and charges shall remain in full force and virtue, and shall be read and applied together with the regulations and charges hereby made and fixed; and doth further order and declare that such revocation and the regulations and charges hereby made and fixed shall have effect on and after the date of publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

PRIVATE-LINE REGULATIONS.

1. FOR the purpose of these regulations the following words and phrases shall have the meanings attached to them respectively :—

“Department” means the Post and Telegraph Department of New Zealand :

“Private line” is a non-departmental line erected and maintained by the Department usually within town limits for and on behalf of a person, company, or corporation, and used for some purpose other than that of a private telephone line :

“Private telephone line” means a line used for telephonic or other approved means of communication and as a general rule adapted for being linked up with the Department’s telephone system as provided by these regulations, but not erected or maintained by the Department :

“Telephone exchange” means a telephone system established by the Department for the purpose of providing telephonic intercommunication between groups of subscribers :

“Telephone office” means a Departmental office at which telephonic communication over the Department’s toll lines may be obtained and to which private telephone lines may be connected as provided by these regulations :

“Road” includes street.

PRIVATE LINES.

2. At the principal centres or other places specially approved, and where there are poles or cables which, in the opinion of the Chief Telegraph Engineer, may be conveniently used for carrying private lines without detriment to the Department’s business, private line circuits between places of business or other premises may be erected at the cost of the applicant, including in the case of open aerial wires an initial charge of 5s. for each pole to which the wires are attached.

3. If a private line or any portion thereof cannot be erected on any existing telephone poles, and therefore necessitates the erection of new poles, the applicant will be charged with the cost of the labour in erecting the poles plus the 5s. pole privilege in respect of each pole, but where such new poles are required exclusively for the private line the whole cost of the line will be charged.

4. The maintenance fees in respect of such private lines are as follows, payable half-yearly in advance :—

For the first mile of single-wire circuit, or where the total distance is less than one mile, £3 per annum, and 15s. per annum for every additional quarter of a mile or fraction thereof.

For the first mile of metallic circuit, or where the total distance is less than one mile, £4 per annum, and £1 per annum for every additional quarter of a mile or fraction thereof.

5. The rates for maintenance of private lines as above mentioned do not include the maintenance of any telephones or other instruments connected with such private lines, nor do they include the maintenance of poles required exclusively for the private line, which will be maintained at the expense of the lessee.

6. The Department may undertake the maintenance of telephones of approved pattern which are connected with private lines, the charges to be at the rate of £1 per annum per telephone.

7. The installation of additional instruments or any alteration to the circuit must not be undertaken without first obtaining the approval in writing of the District Telegraph Engineer.

8. The lessee of a private line must use the line for his own *bona fide* business only, and must on no account, directly or indirectly, allow the line to be used for any purpose which might be construed as an attempt to deprive the Department of revenue.

9. Application for the erection of a private line should be made on the printed form “Application for Private-line Connection.”

10. The District Telegraph Engineer will supply any information regarding the cost of construction and the conditions under which private lines will be erected and maintained.

PRIVATE TELEPHONE LINES.

11. Private telephone lines as heretofore defined may be used in the following respects :—

(a.) For communication with a telephone office.

(b.) As an extension of a departmental telephone-exchange subscribers’ line.

(c.) For communication between premises not connected with the Department’s telephone system.

12. Private telephone lines may not be erected otherwise than pursuant to a license issued by the Department in accordance with the regulations made under section 29 of the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1919. (See Regulations Nos. 27 to 93 inclusive.)

13. The party or parties forming a private telephone line shall be represented by a duly appointed agent, who shall be responsible to the Department for the due observance of these regulations.

14. A private telephone line may be connected with a telephone office on the following conditions:—

- (a.) The line must be led into the telephone office by or under the supervision of a duly authorized departmental officer.
- (b.) The apparatus required at the telephone office shall be provided free of cost by the Department, but all other costs incidental to the installation shall be a charge against the owner or the agent for the private telephone line.
- (c.) For each private telephone line connected with the telephone office there shall be charged a maintenance fee of 10s. per annum to cover the cost of maintaining the apparatus at the telephone office. Such fee shall cover routine maintenance carried out during the periodical visits of a departmental officer. If a special visit is requested, the travelling time and expenses of the departmental officer will be charged against the agent making the request.

15. A private telephone line may not be connected with more than one telephone office except under special circumstances and by the written authority of the Secretary or Chief Telegraph Engineer.

16. When a private telephone line is connected with a telephone office in charge of a permanent officer a switching fee, to be payable in advance, of £1 10s. per annum for each telephone connecting therewith is charged for switching a private telephone line to other private telephone lines. The service for switching a private telephone line to a toll line, and the transmitting and receiving of telegrams on the private telephone line, will be performed free of charge; but the schedule rates for telegrams and toll messages will be charged, the telephone office to which the private telephone line is connected being regarded as the originating office for the toll calls.

17. Where a one-party private telephone line is connected with a telephone office in charge of a non-permanent telephonist a minimum fee of £2 per annum shall be chargeable for switching the line to another private telephone line or to a departmental line, or *vice versa*. Where there is more than one party connected to a private telephone line the minimum fee to be charged shall be £1 per annum per party for the like service. All such fees shall be paid by the owner of the private telephone line to the telephonist in addition to the usual scale charges for telegrams and toll communications.

18. If premises connected by a private telephone wire with a telephone office are transferred from an occupier to another the incoming occupier must in every case sign an application on the proper form before making use of the line. In all cases the transfer shall be subject to the approval of the Department, and of the telephonist in the case of a non-permanent office.

19. The Department will, where practicable, repair telephones used for communication over a private telephone line connected with a telephone office upon application being made and upon payment of the expenses incurred, including cost of any material used.

20. Upon the establishment of a telephone exchange at a telephone office all private telephone lines connected with the office must be converted to telephone-exchange connections or be discontinued.

21. Where a telephone exchange has been established, private telephone lines may, as indicated in clause 11 (b), be connected with the same on the owners signing the prescribed form of application and paying the entrance fee of £1 and the authorized charges.

22. For the equipment of a private telephone line which forms part of a telephone-exchange circuit the Department supplies the telephone, lightning-arrester, and inside wiring free of charge to each subscriber, and, where necessary, an earth-plate; but these remain the property of the Department, and are not installed or maintained by the Department except at the expense of the subscriber, and when the Department can conveniently spare the services of a lineman; neither does the Department maintain any part of the private telephone line. The Department will, however, upon application, supply material for renewing batteries, and will also repair or replace a defective telephone if it is sent in to the telephone exchange by the subscriber. Otherwise such subscribers have all the privileges of ordinary subscribers. No telephones or apparatus other than that supplied by the Department for the purpose may be joined to the line without the approval of the Chief Telegraph Engineer having first been obtained.

23. When a private telephone line is erected for the purpose of connecting with a departmental telephone-exchange line the Department shall decide at what point the private telephone line may be connected with the Department's exchange lines.

24. When a telephone-exchange circuit composed partly of a private telephone line becomes faulty, the Department may require that the owner of the private telephone line shall first examine his section of the line and give an assurance that no fault exists thereon before the Department's portion of the circuit is examined.

25. If after receiving the assurance mentioned in the preceding paragraph the fault is found to be on the privately owned section of the line, the Department may charge the cost of examining its section against the private telephone line owner.

26. By arrangement with the Department, a departmental lineman may be detailed to examine the privately owned section of a line in order to remove a fault, provided the services of the lineman can be spared and the owner of the private telephone line undertakes to pay the whole cost of the work including labour, travelling time and expenses.

CONDITIONS FOR ERECTION OF PRIVATE TELEPHONE LINES.

27. Application for permission to erect a private telephone line shall be made on the printed form "Application for License to erect Private Telephone Lines."

28. Every such license shall be in the form set out in the Schedule hereto. No fee shall be charged in respect of the issue of a license.

29. The construction or maintenance of private telephone lines is not undertaken by the Department, but where engineers or other competent officers can be made available their services in a consultative capacity will be given free of charge.

30. The construction of a private telephone line along a road is subject to the owner obtaining the consent of the County Council, Road Board, or other local body; but such consent will not abrogate the claims of the Department to the right of the

road whenever such becomes necessary. Any private telephone line interfering with the construction or maintenance of any departmental line will be liable to removal on the order of the Minister of Telegraphs.

31. The written consent to the erection of a line, of each local body concerned, must be obtained by the applicant in the proper space upon the printed application form before the form is forwarded to the District Telegraph Engineer.

32. A sketch showing the locality and route of the proposed line must accompany each application. If a freehand sketch does not make the position clear, a suitable map or maps should be obtained from the Lands and Survey Department.

33. Every point where the proposed private telephone line will cross telegraph lines, electric light and power lines, railway lines or railway track, must be shown on the plan, and be mentioned on the application form.

34. Private telephone lines must not be used by any person or persons for hire or profit, or for any purpose which might be construed as an attempt to defraud the Department of revenue.

35. One side of every road shall be deemed to be reserved for telegraph lines, and in running a private telephone line along a road where no telegraph lines exist the private telephone line shall be kept to one side of the road.

36. Except by permission of the District Telegraph Engineer, all private telephone lines shall be placed on the opposite side of the road to that on which any telegraph lines exist.

37. Where one side of a road is occupied by a telegraph line and the other side by a power line, a private telephone line may, subject to the written consent of the District Telegraph Engineer being first obtained, and to such conditions as he may deem necessary, be placed upon the same side of the road as the telegraph line.

38. When a private telephone line is erected across or over a road it shall not be placed so low as to stop, hinder, or interfere with the passage for any purpose whatsoever along the road; provided that no stoppage, hindrance, or interference shall be deemed to be caused if the line is placed at a height of not less than 18 ft. above the crown of the road.

39. Where a private telephone line crosses over or under any navigable waters it shall be placed in such manner as not to hinder or obstruct the navigation of such waters.

40. Where a private telephone line crosses from one side of a road to the other the angle formed by the original alignment and the portion of the line crossing the road shall approximate as closely as practicable to a right-angle, and shall not exceed 135°. The crossing span shall be as short as possible.

41. Where private telephone lines intersect telegraph lines the crossing, wherever practicable, must be made at the telegraph pole at the cost of the licensee, and in every case must be made in such manner as may be considered necessary by the District Telegraph Engineer.

42. Where private telephone lines intersect electric lighting and power wires the crossing must be made in such a manner as may be considered necessary by the Department.

43. Where a private telephone line crosses the New Zealand Government Railways the minimum clearance above the rail-level shall be 18 ft.

44. No line of any nature shall be erected or constructed upon, over, or under any part of New Zealand Government railways unless it conforms with the Railway Department's regulations in regard to construction, and until the licensee has obtained the consent of the Minister of Railways thereto as required by section 4 of the Government Railways Amendment Act, 1910 (No. 2).

45. No person shall enter upon any land for the purpose of constructing or maintaining any private telephone line unless with the consent of the owner or occupier of such land or his authorized agent.

46. In maintaining, repairing, altering, or removing any private telephone line no unnecessary or avoidable obstruction shall be caused to the traffic along or the use of any road or navigable waters.

47. In cases of accident, and in emergencies such as breakdowns of lines, &c., authorized officers of the Post and Telegraph Department, the Public Works Department, or of the Railway Department shall have the right to cut in by means of portable telephones on any private telephone line and make use of such line in the public interest.

48. Private telephone lines must be maintained by the owners in good order and condition. The Department may refuse to connect an inefficient private telephone line to any circuit owned by the Department, or may disconnect an inefficient private telephone line from any telephone office or telephone exchange.

49. For the purpose of ascertaining whether these regulations are being complied with, the Minister of Telegraphs, or any person appointed by him in that behalf, may at all reasonable times enter on the lands or premises used by or in occupation of the licensee.

CONSTRUCTION OF PRIVATE TELEPHONE LINES.

50. The following regulations are not intended to be a specification for the construction of a private telephone line, but are a statement of the conditions which must be observed in the construction and maintenance of private telephone lines generally.

51. Where conditions are suitable, a single wire may be erected for each circuit, the earth to be used as the return. In other cases two wires suitably crossed or transposed shall be erected for each circuit, to form a complete metallic loop, known as a metallic circuit. Where automatic exchanges are established, the full advantages of the system can only be obtained by erecting an approved metallic circuit.

52. The system best suited to the circumstances of each case shall be decided after consultation with the District Telegraph Engineer.

Poles.

53. Hewn, sawn, or natural-round wooden poles may be generally used for private telephone line construction. Of the more easily procured local timbers totara, silver-pine, and puriri are among the most durable in the ground.

54. In bush districts, where the length of life of a pole is not an important consideration, almost any class of sapling may be used as a pole.

55. Timbers such as rimu, matai, blue-gum, &c., which are not so durable in the ground may be affixed to fence-posts or other suitable supports made of more durable timber.

56. The factor of safety in poles supporting telephone wires at road crossings and along roadways, and at all other places where the safety of the public is involved, shall be at least 4.

57. Poles erected on private property with the consent of the owner of such property shall have such factor of safety as the owner of the property demands.

58. Poles must in all cases be placed clear of gateways.

59. The length of each pole must be such as will support the wires at a safe height above the ground.

60. Angle poles should be strengthened either by staying or strutting.

61. Every pole shall be so placed as to avoid unduly obstructing pedestrian or vehicular traffic.

62. The length of the span between poles will vary according to the class of country, the number of wires on the pole, and the dimensions of the poles used. For reliable service a span not exceeding three chains is recommended.

Cross-arms.

63. Cross-arms shall be of durable timber, and shall be of sufficient strength to support any load likely to be placed upon them.

64. As a general rule, when more than three wires are required on a pole line cross-arms should be used.

65. Poles should be slotted to take the cross-arm, which should be secured to the pole by a bolt of $\frac{1}{2}$ in. diameter and of suitable length.

66. The distances between insulators fixed to the cross-arm should be not less than 9 in.

Insulators.

67. Where cross-arms are used, insulators having straight spindles should be used where the wires are straight through. "J" bolts may be used where line wires terminate.

68. Where there is only one wire on a pole line an insulator affixed to a straight spindle at the top of the pole may be used.

69. Where only two or three wires are required on a pole line, insulators supported by swan-neck bolts screwed into the pole alternately on opposite sides may be used.

70. American button insulators should not be used except when their use is unavoidable, and then only upon the shortest lines. Insulators of the "petticoat" type give the best results, and are essential on long lines.

Wires.

71. Galvanized-iron wire of the following sizes is most economical and suitable for use in the construction of private telephone lines: (a) No. 12 gauge, weighing 150 lb. per mile; or (b) No. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ gauge, weighing 200 lb. per mile. Iron wire of smaller gauge than No. 12 shall not be used. If the line is a long one, or is erected in country subject to snow, wire of No. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ gauge should be used. Larger wire than No. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ gauge may be used provided the poles are strong enough to carry the load.

72. Galvanized-iron binding wire No. 16 gauge, weighing 60 lb. per mile, should be used for binding the line wire to the insulators and also for making joints in the wire.

73. In jointing line wires, the Britannia joint should be used. In making this joint the ends of the two lengths of wire to be jointed are cut off square, cleaned thoroughly, and laid side by side for a distance of 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. The binding wire being taken in the middle of its length is applied first at the centre of the joint, is whipped evenly round the wires until the right-hand portion is finished, then the left-hand portion is similarly dealt with. A suitable soldering flux is applied, the joint is rapidly soldered, superfluous metal wiped off, and the joint allowed to cool naturally.

74. It is of the utmost importance that all joints in a line wire or any other wire used for telephone purposes shall be properly soldered.

Telephones.

75. Private telephone lines intended to be connected with a telephone office must be equipped with telephones of the pattern known as high-wound or bridging-bell.

76. Low-wound telephones are only suitable for use on lines not used for connecting with the Department's system, and on which there are only two telephones—that is, one at each end.

77. The number of telephones on any line connected with a telephone office must not exceed ten, exclusive of the instrument in the telephone office.

78. The number of telephones on any line connected with a telephone exchange must not exceed six.

79. Two Leclanche cells or two dry cells should be used for the operation of each telephone.

80. Where extension telephones are fitted on party lines suitable switches must be provided, so that the main and any extension telephones connected therewith are not in circuit at the same time.

Earth-plates.

81. Where metallic circuits are used, the earth connection is part of the equipment installed for the purpose of protecting the telephone from lightning discharges.

82. Where earth-working circuits are used the earth connection also forms part of the speaking circuit.

83. In both cases mentioned in the two preceding paragraphs it is absolutely necessary that a good connection be obtained and maintained with the general mass of the earth. This point is of prime importance.

84. A good "earth" may be obtained by joining the earth-wire to any of the following:—

(a.) To a sheet of galvanized iron 2 ft. square buried in permanently moist ground.

(b.) To a length of galvanized-iron pipe 5 ft. long driven into ground which is permanently moist.

(c.) To a water-pipe connected with an underground water-supply system.

85. Telephone earth-wires must not be connected to gas-pipes or electric-lighting conduit,

86. Earth-wires should be of not smaller than No. 16 gauge copper wire, and should be run as straight as possible. Where changes of direction are unavoidable the change must be in the nature of a curve and not a sharp angle.

Internal Fittings and Wiring.

87. A lightning-arrester shall be provided on all premises where a telephone is installed. In electric lighting and power areas suitable fuses shall also be provided.

88. Between the leading-in insulator and the lightning-arrester rubber-insulated wire of No. 18 gauge should be used.

89. Between the lightning-arrester and the telephone rubber-insulated wire of a gauge not less than No. 20 may be used.

90. Bare wire may be used for connecting the lightning-guard with the earth-plate.

91. The lightning-arrester shall be placed as near as possible to the point where the line wire enters the building.

Default and Penalty.

92. (1.) If the licensee of any private telephone line fails to observe any of the conditions or obligations imposed upon the licensee by these regulations, then in any such case it shall be lawful for the Minister of Telegraphs to revoke the license and to order that the private telephone line be dismantled by and at the expense of the licensee, and within such time as the Minister of Telegraphs may determine.

(2.) If any such licensee commits a breach of any of these regulations or of the terms of any license issued thereunder, he shall be liable for any such breach to a fine not exceeding £20.

Minister's Decision Final.

93. The Minister of Telegraphs shall be the sole judge of the fact whether the requirements of these regulations have been complied with; and he may from time to time cause inquiry to be made into any matter connected therewith or arising hereunder, in such manner as he thinks fit, and his decision shall be final, and the licensee shall comply with such decision; provided always that this clause shall not affect the right of any person, corporate body, or local authority in cases of damage or injury for which an action by such person, corporate body, or local authority may lie against the licensee.

SCHEDULE.

Post and Telegraph Department.

LICENSE TO ERECT, MAINTAIN, AND USE PRIVATE TELEPHONE LINE.

Mr.

As the authorized agent of the signatory/signatories to an application dated the day of _____, 192____, for permission to erect certain private telephone lines, described in the schedule to the above-mentioned application, and proposed to be erected within the boundaries of the [*Insert names of local districts*], you are hereby advised that the signatory/signatories to the said application is/are hereby licensed to erect, maintain, and use such private telephone lines in accordance with the regulations in force, or which may from time to time be made, under section 29 of the Post and Telegraph Amendment Act, 1919.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 192____.

(Signed)....., Secretary [*or Chief Telegraph Engineer*].

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

Additional Regulations under Customs Acts.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Customs Act, 1913, the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, and section eighteen of the Finance Act, 1921-22, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following additional Customs regulations.

REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations shall be deemed to be part of the Customs Regulations gazetted on the 2nd day of July, 1914.

2. The complaint to be made by any person aggrieved by the importation of any goods of a class or kind on which the special duty under section 13 of the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, as amended by section 18 of the Finance Act, 1921-22, is not imposed shall be in the form in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.

New Zealand Customs.

COMPLAINT RESPECTING GOODS IMPORTED FROM COUNTRIES HAVING DEPRECIATED CURRENCIES.

Place : _____, 19____ :
Date : _____, 19____ :

To the Hon. the Minister of Customs, Wellington, New Zealand.

I, [*Full name of person signing complaint*], [*Position held, e.g., partner, director, manager, chief clerk, or principal officer of (Full name of complainant(s))*], being (a) manufacturer(s) of [*or agent(s) of (Full name and address of manufacturers)*], manu-

facturer(s) of] [*Name of class or kind of goods respecting which complaint is made*], the manufacture of which is an industry established in New Zealand [*or name of other part of British dominions*], do hereby complain that goods of the class or kind aforesaid are imported into New Zealand without payment of the special duty imposed under section 13 of the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, as amended by section 18 of the Finance Act, 1921-22, and do require you to determine whether or not the importation of such goods will prejudicially or injuriously affect the aforesaid industry established at [*Name of town(s) and street(s) where industry established*], in New Zealand [*or name of other part of British dominions*].

To assist you in determining the matter, I submit the following particulars respecting the industry of manufacturing goods of the class or kind concerning which this complaint is made:—

Particulars where the Complaint has reference to an Industry established in New Zealand.	Particulars where the Complaint has reference to an Industry established in some Part of the British Dominions other than New Zealand.
<p>(1.) Average number of persons employed in my/our factory/factories during 19 * :</p> <p>(2.) Average total wages per week paid to employees at such factory/factories during 19 * : £</p> <p>(3.) Capital invested,— (a.) Value of plant and machinery : £ . . . (b.) Value of buildings : £ . . . (c.) Value of land used in business : £ . . .</p> <p>(4.) Cost of raw materials used in my/our factory/factories during 19 *,— (a.) Imported : £ . . . (b.) Produced in New Zealand : £ . . .</p> <p>(5.) Total value at ordinary wholesale selling-prices of goods produced in my/our factory/factories during 19 * : £</p> <p>(6.) Names and addresses (if known) of other New Zealand manufacturers of goods of the class or kind concerning which complaint is made,— (a.) , . . . (b.) , . . . (c.) , . . .</p> <p>(7.) Approximate proportion which the total New Zealand output bears to the total requirements of New Zealand in the above-mentioned goods : [E.g., the New Zealand manufacturers supply one-half (or one-) of the requirements of the Dominion.]</p> <p>(8.) (i.) Name of country/countries having depreciated currencies from which goods of the class or kind concerning which complaint is made are imported into New Zealand— (a.) . . . (b.) . . . (c.) . . . (ii.) Average weekly wages paid to employees in such countries in the industry of manufacturing such goods (if available),— (a.) , £ . . . (b.) , £ . . . (c.) , £ . . . (iii.) Authority from which particulars <i>re</i> wages are obtained :</p> <p>(9.) Reasons why the importation of goods of the class or kind mentioned injuriously affects the industry in question,— (a.) The wholesale selling-price at the factory/factories in New Zealand is £ : : per (b.) The wholesale selling-price(s) in New Zealand, c.i.f. and duty paid, of similar goods imported from the following countries having depreciated currencies is/are as under,— (i.) Imported from [<i>Name of country</i>] : £ : : per (ii.) Imported from [<i>Name of country</i>] : £ : : per (iii.) Imported from [<i>Name of country</i>] : £ : : per (c.) Other reasons :</p>	<p>(1.) Average number of persons employed in my/our factory/factories during 19 * :</p> <p>(2.) Average total wages per week paid to employees at such factory/factories during 19 * : £</p> <p>(3.) Capital invested,— (a.) Value of plant and machinery : £ . . . (b.) Value of buildings : £ . . . (c.) Value of land used in business : £ . . .</p> <p>(4.) Total value at ordinary wholesale selling-prices of goods produced in my/our factory/factories during 19 * : £</p> <p>(5.) Names and addresses (if known) of other manufacturers of similar goods in the United Kingdom or in other parts of the British dominions,— (a.) , . . . (b.) , . . . (c.) , . . .</p> <p>(6.) (i.) Name of country/countries having depreciated currencies from which goods of the class or kind concerning which complaint is made are imported into New Zealand,— (a.) . . . (b.) . . . (c.) . . . (ii.) Average weekly wages paid to employees in such countries in the industry of manufacturing such goods (if available),— (a.) , £ . . . (b.) , £ . . . (c.) , £ . . . (iii.) Authority from which particulars <i>re</i> wages are obtained :</p> <p>(7.) Reasons why the importation of goods of the class or kind mentioned injuriously affects the industry in question,— (a.) The wholesale selling-price at the factory/factories in [<i>Name of part of British dominion</i>] is £ : : per (b.) The wholesale selling-price in New Zealand, c.i.f. and duty paid, of the goods produced at the above factory/factories is £ : : per (c.) The wholesale selling-price(s) in New Zealand, c.i.f. and duty paid, of similar goods imported from the following countries having depreciated currencies is/are— (i.) Imported from [<i>Name of country</i>] : £ : : per (ii.) Imported from [<i>Name of country</i>] : £ : : per (iii.) Imported from [<i>Name of country</i>] : £ : : per (d.) Other reasons :</p>

And I do hereby declare that the above-mentioned particulars are correct.

Declared† before me at this day of , 19 .

[Signature.]

[Officer of Customs, Postmaster, Customs Agent, Solicitor, Notary Public.]

* Figures for a yearly period should be for the last complete financial year.

† If the declaration is made outside New Zealand it may be made before any person competent to sign as a witness to signatures on ordinary business documents.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Loburn Domain.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

ARTHUR ERNEST CHARLES COOK,
GEORGE THOMAS CROFT,
THOMAS DAWSON,
JOHN WILLIAM MACLEOD, and
HENRY THOMPSON METHERELL,

as from the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, to be the Loburn Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Tuesday, the twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the residence of Mr. John William Macleod, Loburn, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

SCHEDULE.

LOBURN DOMAIN.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 25 acres, more or less, and being Reserve 3442, situated in Block II, Rangiora Survey District. Bounded towards the north by Lot 13 of D.P. 4199, 292.6 links; towards the north-east and east by Crown land and by the Makerikeri River respectively; towards the south by Lot 14 of D.P. 4199, 1208 links; and towards the west generally by the Main Loburn Road, 546.4, 941.7, and 1016.5 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less.

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

Electric Lines Regulations.—Fee for Transfer of Telephone Exchange Connection.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, for fixing and determining the fees and rates to be demanded for telephone exchange connections, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the regulation and prescribe the fee set forth in the Schedule hereto for the transfer of an existing telephone exchange connection; and doth declare that such regulation shall have effect from the date of publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

TRANSFER OF EXISTING TELEPHONE EXCHANGE CONNECTION.

AN applicant for the transfer of an existing telephone exchange connection shall pay a transfer fee of 5s., which must be deposited with the application. This fee is in addition to any charges which may become due for any work involved in the removal of the telephone instrument or the alteration of the line.

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

The North-eastern 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 House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in 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 twenty-seventh 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 north-eastern side of Drummond Street beginning at its junction with the Asylum Reserve and extending for a distance of 98.50 links, being the whole frontage of Lot 12, Town Section 747, in the said city”;

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the north-eastern 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 Lot 12, Town Section 747. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51065, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

The North-eastern Side of Portion of Majoribanks 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 House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in 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 second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, 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 north-eastern side of Majoribanks Street beginning at a point approximately 78.79 links from the south-eastern boundary of Town Section 374 and extending for a distance of 65.91 links, being frontage of Lot 10, part Town Section 374, City of Wellington”;

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the north-eastern side of the portion of Majoribanks 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 Majoribanks Street, abutting on Lot 10, part Town Section 374. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53786, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

The Southern Side of Portion of Tapiri 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 House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in 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 thirteenth day of October, 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 southern side of Tapiri Street beginning at its junction with Moxham Avenue and extending for a distance of 181 links, being whole frontage of Lot 57, D.P. 168, being part of land comprised in C.T. 163/99, Kilbirnie";

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the southern side of the portion of Tapiri 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 Tapiri Street, abutting on Lot 57, D.P. 168. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53066, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Portion of Wayside, Miramar, 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 House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 twenty-seventh day of October, 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 the following streets at Miramar in the said city, such streets being constructed in the Labour Department's subdivision of land for housing purposes—viz., Str'aron Road, Torridon Road, Burgie Lane, The Quadrant, Fife Lane, Tarves Lane, Wayside";

in so far as such resolution refers to the portion of Wayside described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street, situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Wayside, Miramar, commencing at its junction with Princes Street, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction to its junction with Broadway. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53146, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

Str'aron Road, Torridon Road, Burgie Lane, The Quadrant, Fife Lane, Tarves Lane, and Portion of Wayside, Miramar, 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 House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in 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 twenty-seventh day of October, 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 the following streets at Miramar in the said city, such streets being constructed in the Labour Department's subdivision of land for housing purposes—viz., Str'aron Road, Torridon Road, Burgie Lane, The Quadrant, Fife Lane, Tarves Lane, Wayside";

in so far as such resolution refers to Str'aron Road, Torridon Road, Burgie Lane, The Quadrant, Fife Lane, Tarves Lane, and the portion of Wayside described in the Schedule hereto, subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on either side of Str'aron Road, Torridon Road, Burgie Lane, The Quadrant, Fife Lane, Tarves Lane, and the portion of Wayside described in the Schedule hereto within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said streets and portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those streets situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Str'aron Road, Torridon Road, Burgie Lane, The Quadrant, Fife Lane, Tarves Lane, and portion of Wayside (being in the Labour Department's subdivision of land comprising parts of Sections 9, 10, 11, and 13, Watts Peninsula). As the said streets and portion of street are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53146, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

Providing that Regulations under the Explosive and Dangerous Goods Amendment Act, 1920, shall take effect as By-laws within certain specified Boroughs.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Minister of Internal Affairs, in pursuance of the powers conferred up him by section fifteen of the Explosive and Dangerous Goods Amendment Act, 1920, did by notice dated the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, require the several Borough Councils mentioned in the Schedule hereto, being licensing authorities under the said Act, to make by-laws under and for the purposes of the said Act:

And whereas the said Borough Councils have failed to make such by-laws:

And whereas by Order in Council made on the fifth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted on the eighth day of December then instant (hereinafter termed "the said Order in Council"), regulations were made under the said Act and declared to take effect and be in force in the districts of the Borough Councils set out in the First Schedule to the said Order in Council:

And whereas it is desirable to provide that the said regulations shall be in force in the districts of the Borough Councils set forth in the Schedule hereto:

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 pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by section fifteen aforesaid, doth hereby amend the said Order in Council by the addition to the First Schedule of the said Order in Council of the names of the Borough Councils set out in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby declare that the regulations set forth in the Second Schedule to the said Order in Council shall take effect as by-laws and be in force as from the date of this Order in the districts of the several Borough Councils mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

BOROUGH COUNCILS.

Blenheim.	Inglewood.	Paeroa.	Riverton.
Cromwell.	Kaipoi.	Pahiatua.	Roxburgh.
Devonport.	Masterton.	Patea.	Tauranga.
Greytown.	Milton.	Queenstown.	Temuka.
Hamilton.	Ohakune.	Rangiora.	Winton.
Hastings.	Otauhu.	Richmond.	

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

Providing that Regulations under the Explosive and Dangerous Goods Amendment Act, 1920, shall take effect as By-laws within certain specified Town Districts.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Minister of Internal Affairs, in pursuance of the powers conferred on him by section fifteen of the Explosive and Dangerous Goods Amendment Act, 1920, did by notice dated the twenty-sixth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, require the several Town Boards mentioned in the Schedule hereto, being licensing authorities under the said Act, to make by-laws under and for the purposes of the said Act:

And whereas the said Town Boards have failed to make such by-laws:

And whereas by Order in Council made on the fifth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted on the eighth day of December then instant (hereinafter termed the "said Order in Council"), regulations were made under the said Act and declared to take effect and be in force in the districts of the Town Boards set out in the First Schedule to the said Order in Council:

And whereas it is desirable to provide that the said regulations shall be in force in the districts of the Town Boards set forth in the Schedule hereto:

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 pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by section fifteen aforesaid, doth hereby amend the said Order in Council by the addition to the First Schedule of the said Order in Council of the names of the Town Boards set out in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby declare that the regulations set forth in the Second Schedule to the said Order in Council shall take effect as by-laws and be in force as from the date of this Order in the districts of the several Town Boards mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

TOWN BOARDS.

Amberley.	Hunterville.	New Lynn.	Waiuku.
Castlecliff.	Johnsonville.	Taradale.	Waverley.
Havelock North.	Mangapapa.		

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Time for Preparation of Valuation Roll, Grey County, under Section 46 of the Rating Act, 1908, extended.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the County Council of the Grey County having failed, through misadventure, to prepare the valuation roll of mining property in the Grey County in the month of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, as required by section forty-six of the Rating Act, 1908, it is expedient to extend the time for preparing the said roll as hereinbefore mentioned:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in order that the purpose and intent of the said Rating Act, 1908, may have effect, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the said Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby extend the time for the preparation of the valuation roll for the Grey County under the Rating Act, 1908, until the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two; and doth also hereby extend the time within which the valuers shall give notice of the rateable value determined by them to each occupier, so that such notices may be given on or before the twenty-sixth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and that objections to such valuations may be made on or before the twenty-third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

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

Revoking the Prohibition of the Importation of Fruit-pulp and Jam produced or manufactured in Australia.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-six of the Customs Act, 1913, and of all other powers and authorities 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 Order in Council made on the thirtieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, which prohibited to the extent specified therein the importation into New Zealand of fruit-pulp and jam wholly or partially produced or manufactured in the Commonwealth of Australia.

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

Revoking the Prohibition of the Exportation of Wheatmeal, Flour, Bran, and Pollard.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-seven of the Customs Act, 1913, and of all other powers and authorities 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 Order in Council made on the eighteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted on the third day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, which prohibited to the extent specified therein the exportation from New Zealand of certain goods, including wheatmeal, flour, bran, and pollard; provided that nothing in this Order in Council shall be deemed to affect the Board of Trade (Wheat Industry) Regulations, 1922, made by Order in Council on the twenty-third day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and gazetted on the twenty-fourth day of February then instant, which, *inter alia*, prohibited the export of wheat save with the approval of the Minister of Customs given on the recommendation of the Wheat Controller.

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

Recreation Reserve in Hawke's Bay Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

BY virtue of the powers and authorities vested in me by the twenty-sixth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby order and declare that the reserve for recreation in the Hawke's Bay Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of the Eskdale Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Eskdale Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 10, Block XI, Puketapu Survey District: Area, 5 acres 0 roods 35 perches.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the Sum of £5,600, being the Balance of a Loan of £16,000 authorized to be raised for the Purchase of a Property to be used for Municipal Purposes.

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of sixteen thousand pounds for the purchase of a property for municipal purposes for a term of thirty-six years, and is now desirous of borrowing five thousand six hundred pounds, being the balance of the sixteen thousand pounds, for a term of fifteen years :

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 term for which the said five thousand six hundred pounds may be borrowed be reduced to fifteen 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 prescribe that the term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the said sum of five thousand six hundred pounds shall be fifteen years, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five thousand six hundred pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the Sum of £4,200, being the Balance of a Loan of £6,200 authorized to be raised for the Construction of the North Richmond Waterworks.

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six thousand two hundred pounds for the construction of the North Richmond Waterworks for a term of twenty-five years, and is now desirous of borrowing four thousand two hundred pounds, being the balance of the six thousand two hundred pounds, for a term of fifteen years :

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 term for which the said four thousand two hundred pounds may be borrowed be reduced to fifteen 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 prescribe that the term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the said sum of four thousand two hundred pounds shall be fifteen years, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of four thousand two hundred pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the Sum of £6,430, being the Balance of a Loan of £7,430 authorized to be raised for paying off the Sydenham Waterworks Loan.

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven thousand four hundred and thirty pounds for paying off the Sydenham Waterworks Loan for a term of thirty-six years, and it is now desirous of borrowing six thousand four hundred and thirty pounds, being the balance of the seven thousand four hundred and thirty pounds, for a term of fifteen years :

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 term for which the said six thousand four hundred and thirty pounds may be borrowed be reduced to fifteen 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 prescribe that the term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the said sum of six thousand four hundred and thirty pounds shall be fifteen years, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of six thousand four hundred and thirty pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the Sum of £98,000, being the Balance of a Loan of £150,000 authorized to be raised for the Distribution and Supply of Electricity.

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand pounds for the distribution and supply of electricity for

a term of thirty years, and is now desirous of borrowing the sum of ninety-eight thousand pounds, being the balance of the one hundred and fifty thousand pounds, for a term of fifteen years :

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 term for which the said ninety-eight thousand pounds may be borrowed be reduced to fifteen 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 prescribe that the term for which the said Christchurch City Council may borrow the said sum of ninety-eight thousand pounds shall be fifteen years, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of ninety-eight thousand pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Hobson County Council in respect of £3,000, being the Balance of a Loan of £5,000 authorized to be raised for Forming and Metalling Bayly's Coast Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Hobson County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds for forming and metalling Bayly's Coast Road, and is now desirous of borrowing the sum of three thousand pounds, being the balance of the five 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 three thousand pounds may be borrowed be increased to not exceeding six per centum per annum :

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 Hobson County Council in respect of the three thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Hobson County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the Sum of £7,500 authorized to be raised for the Renewal of the Linwood Public Works Loan.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined,

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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 Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven thousand five hundred pounds for the renewal of the Linwood public-works loan for a term of thirty-six years, and is unable to obtain the money for this term :

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 term for which the said seven thousand five hundred pounds may be borrowed be reduced to fifteen 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 prescribe that the term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the said sum of seven thousand five hundred pounds shall be fifteen years, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of seven thousand five hundred pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Tuakau Town Board may borrow £1,200 for bridging, forming, and metalling Roads.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Tuakau Town Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of twelve thousand pounds for bridging, forming, and metalling roads for a term of thirty-six years, and is now desirous of borrowing the sum of twelve hundred pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for a term of thirty-six and a half years :

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 term for which the said twelve hundred pounds may be borrowed be amended to 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 prescribe that the term for which the Tuakau Town Board may borrow the said sum of twelve hundred pounds shall be thirty-six and a half years, and the said Tuakau Town Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twelve hundred pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the Sums of £3,647 15s. 11d., £267 19s. 4d., and £2,001 4s. 1d., being the Unraised Portions of Loans of £4,700, £450, and £2,500 authorized to be raised for the Renewal of Loans raised by the late Spreydon Borough Council.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1921, provides that, notwithstanding any-

thing 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sums of four thousand seven hundred pounds, four hundred and fifty pounds, and two thousand five hundred pounds for paying off certain loans raised by the late Spreydon Borough Council for a term of twenty-two years, and is now desirous of borrowing the sums of three thousand six hundred and forty-seven pounds fifteen shillings and elevenpence, two hundred and sixty-seven pounds nineteen shillings and fourpence, and two thousand and one pounds four shillings and one penny, being the unraised portions of the loans of four thousand seven hundred pounds, four hundred and fifty pounds, and two thousand five hundred pounds for a term of fifteen years:

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 term for which the said sums of three thousand six hundred and forty-seven pounds fifteen shillings and elevenpence, two hundred and sixty-seven pounds nineteen shillings and fourpence, and two thousand and one pounds four shillings and one penny may be borrowed be reduced to fifteen 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 prescribe that the term for which the said sums may be borrowed by the Christchurch City Council shall be fifteen years, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sums of three thousand six hundred and forty-seven pounds fifteen shillings and elevenpence, two hundred and sixty-seven pounds nineteen shillings and fourpence, and two thousand and one pounds four shillings and one penny for this term.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Ellerslie Town Board in respect of a Loan of £2,000 for providing the Equipment for the Volunteer Fire Brigade.

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

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Ellerslie Town Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of two thousand pounds for providing the equipment for the Volunteer Fire Brigade, and is unable to obtain the money:

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 money may be borrowed be increased to not exceeding six and a half per centum per annum:

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 Ellerslie Town Board in respect of the said loan of two thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six and a half per centum per annum, and the said Ellerslie Town Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of two thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waipawa Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £500 authorized to be raised for the erection of a Clock-tower and the installation of a Town Clock as a permanent War Memorial.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Waipawa Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six hundred pounds for the erection of a clock-tower and the installation of a town clock as a permanent war memorial:

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 six hundred pounds may be borrowed be increased to not exceeding six per centum per annum:

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 Waipawa Borough Council in respect of the said loan of six hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Waipawa Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of six hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Tauranga Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £3,000 for completing the Electrical Works in the Borough.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Tauranga Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of thirty thousand pounds for electric-lighting purposes, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional three thousand pounds under the authority of section 18 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913:

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 money may be borrowed be increased to not exceeding six per centum per annum:

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 Tauranga Borough Council in respect of the

loan of three thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Tauranga Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Nelson City Council in respect of a loan of £70,000 authorized to be raised for providing an Electric Steam Plant and Electric Reticulation.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Nelson City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seventy thousand pounds for providing an electric steam plant and electric reticulation, and is unable to obtain the money :

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 seventy thousand pounds may be borrowed be increased to not exceeding six and a half per centum per annum :

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 Nelson City Council in respect of the said loan of seventy thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six and a half per centum, and the said Nelson City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of seventy thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the Sum of £7,000 authorized to be raised for Sanitary Works.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Christchurch City Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven thousand pounds for the purpose of sanitary works for a term of thirty-two years, and is unable to obtain the money for this term :

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 term for which the said seven thousand pounds may be borrowed be reduced to fifteen 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 prescribe that the term for which the Christchurch City Council may borrow the said sum of seven thousand pounds shall be fifteen years, and the said Christchurch City Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of seven thousand pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Gore Borough Council may raise a Loan of £2,000 for Flood-protection Works and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment 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, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, 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 Gore Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of twenty thousand pounds for flood-protection works for a term of twenty-one years and at five and a quarter per centum interest, and is now desirous of borrowing a supplementary loan of two thousand pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for a lesser term and 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 term for which the said two thousand pounds may be borrowed be reduced to ten years and the rate of interest payable thereon be increased to not exceeding six per centum per annum :

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 term for which the Gore Borough Council may borrow the said sum of two thousand pounds be reduced to ten years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be increased to not exceeding six per centum, and the said Gore Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of two thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Kaitieke County Council.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for a site for a roadman's cottage: And whereas it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Kaitieke 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, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Kaitieke County, in trust, for a roadman's cottage site.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 3, Block X, Kaitieke Survey District: Area, 2 acres.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Pahiatua County Council.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved for a site for a roadman's cottage: And whereas it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Pahiatua 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, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Pahiatua County, in trust, for a site for a roadman's cottage.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 106, Block VI, Mangahao Survey District: Area, 5 acres 2 roods.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.*Withdrawing Land from the Operation of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 14th day of March, 1922.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Order in Council gazetted, on the recommendation of the Land Board, declare that any land comprised in a kauri-gum reserve shall, from a date to be specified in the Order, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and on and after the date so specified the land to which the Order relates shall become subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908:

And whereas the Land Board of the North Auckland Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the Pohenui Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto be exempted from the operations of the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section forty-six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1913, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the Pohenui Kauri-gum Reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall, from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, cease to be subject to the Kauri-gum Industry Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 190 acres, more or less, being Pohenui Kauri-gum Reserve, situate in Block XIII, Ruakaka Survey District, as set aside by Order in Council dated the 26th June, 1899, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* of 1899, page 1214. Bounded, commencing at the westernmost corner of Section 10, Waipu Parish, towards the north-east by Sections 10 and 11 of the Parish of Waipu and by a public road; towards the south-west by a public road; towards the south-east by Sections 226, 12, and 161 of the aforesaid parish; again towards the south-west by Section 212 of the same parish; and towards the north-west by a public road and by Sections 156 and 36, Waipu Parish, to the point of commencement. (Auckland plan 697.)

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.*Warrant apportioning the Annual Payments of Interest and other Charges in respect of a Loan originally raised by the Patea County Council between the Patea and Waitotara County Councils.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section seventy-three of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, it is, *inter alia*, provided that where part only of an area over which a special rate is made as security for a loan is merged or included within the district of a local authority other than the local authority that made the rate, then the whole of the liability in respect of the loan shall continue to be a liability of the local authority that raised the loan, but the Governor-General may, upon the written application of that local authority, by Warrant under his hand, direct that any local authority in whose district part of such area has been merged shall pay annually to the first-mentioned local authority during the currency of the loan, on such date as is specified, such amount as he considers a duly proportionate part of the interest and other charges in respect of the loan:

And whereas a part of the area over which a special loan of eighteen hundred pounds for re-erecting, replacing, and constructing bridges in the Ngamatapouri Special Rating Area was raised by the Patea County Council has been merged or included in the County of Waitotara:

And whereas it has been mutually agreed between the Patea County Council and the Waitotara County Council that the amount of eight pounds seven shillings and threepence be paid annually by the Waitotara County Council to the Patea County Council as its duly proportionate part of the interest and other charges payable in respect of the loan:

And whereas written application has been made by the Patea County Council to direct accordingly:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on me by section seventy-three of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, do hereby direct that the Waitotara County Council shall in respect of the above-mentioned loan pay annually to the Patea County Council, on the first day of February in each and every year during the currency of the said loan, the above-mentioned amount of eight pounds seven shillings and threepence as its duly proportionate part of the interest and other charges payable in respect of the said loan.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1922.

W. FRASER,
For Minister of Finance.*Regulations for Deer-shooting, Wanganui.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing the deer-shooting season in the Wanganui Acclimatization District, comprising all that area in the Wellington and Taranaki Land Districts bounded by a line commencing on the sea-coast at the mouth of the Waitotara River, and proceeding thence up the middle of that river to and up the middle of the Mangaone Stream to a point in line with the southern boundary of Section 16, Block V, Nukumaru Survey District; thence to and along the said southern boundary to the trig. station on Wharekarangi; thence along the eastern boundary of Section 16 aforesaid to and up the middle of the Mangaone Stream to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of Lot 4 on plan No. 659, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence along the said south-eastern boundary to and across the Waitotara Road, and along the western boundaries of Lots 14 and 17 on plan No. 918 deposited as aforesaid to trig. station on Orangihoangi; thence along the south-eastern and north-eastern boundaries of Section 11, Block XIV, Momahaki Survey District, and along the production of the last-named boundary to the middle of the Mangamingi Stream; thence down the middle of that stream and up the middle of Te Korokio Stream, and along the western and northern boundaries of the Mangani-o-Tahu Block to Watershed Road near trig. station on Taurangapiopio; thence to the middle of that road and northerly along the middle of that road and Pipiriki and Pokaka Roads, and along the summit of the range, passing through trig. station on Maungarau to the trig. station on Mount Humphries; thence north-easterly along a right line, running in the direction of the confluence of the Tangarakau and Wanganui Rivers, to its first intersection with the said Wanganui River; thence to and down the middle of that

river and up the middle of the Paparoa Stream in Block XI, Tauakira Survey District, to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of Section 9, Block XI, Tauakira Survey District; thence to and along the said south-eastern boundary, and along the south-eastern boundary of Section 3, Block XI, the south-western and south-eastern boundaries of Section 1, Block XII, the southern boundary of Section 1, Block IX, Ngamatea Survey District, and the south-western boundary of Ohotu No. 9 Block and its production to the middle of the Mangawhero River; thence down the middle of that river and up the middle of the Rangitatau Stream to Fields Track crossing; thence along the middle of Fields Track in a north-easterly direction generally to the middle of the stream forming the north-eastern boundary of Ohotu No. 6A No. 1 Block; thence down the middle of that stream and up the middle of the Wangaeahu River to the northern boundary of Block IV, Ngamatea Survey District; thence easterly along that boundary and the northern boundaries of Blocks I and II, Maungakaretu Survey District, to the middle of the Turakina River, and up that river to the northern boundary of the Raketapauma No. 3A Block; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of the Raketapauma Nos. 3A, 1A, 1G, and 1I Blocks to the middle of the Waiouru-Moawhango Road; thence northerly along that road to its junction with the Tokaanu Road at Waiouru; thence north-easterly along a right line to Totem Trig. Station and a right line to Auahitotara Trig. Station; thence southerly along a right line to Trig. Station 16 and a right line to Trig. Station 32; thence westerly along a right line to the junction of the Panemango and the Tomakomako Streams; thence up the middle of the Panemango Stream to and along the southern boundary of Ruanui No. 2 Block; thence along the south-western boundary of Section 1, Block X, Maungakaretu Survey District, to the middle of the Turakina River; thence along a right line to the Maungakaretu Trig. Station on the summit of the eastern watershed of the Wangaeahu River; thence in a south-westerly direction generally by lines from hill to hill along a summit of that watershed to and along a right line which runs in a north-westerly direction through trig. station on Okaipepe (Block XIV, Mangawhero Survey District) to a point in the middle of the Wangaeahu River due west about eighteen chains from the western boundary of Block XIV, Mangawhero Survey District; thence down the middle of the said river to the sea; thence in a north-westerly direction along the sea-coast to the point of commencement: and the conditions affecting the same, and also the form of license and the fee payable therefor.

REGULATIONS.

1. FALLOW-DEER bucks may be taken or killed within the Wanganui Acclimatization District from the 1st day of April, 1922, to the 15th day of May, 1922, both days inclusive.
2. Licenses to take or kill such deer may be issued by the Chief Postmaster at Wanganui, on payment of a license fee of £1, in the form prescribed in the Schedule hereto, and subject to the said Act and these regulations. The number of such licenses shall not exceed forty; provided that not more than one such license shall be issued to the same person.
3. No licensee shall take or kill more than two bucks, and no buck shall be killed carrying antlers with less than four points.
4. No doe or fawn shall be taken or killed on any pretext whatever; and no licensee shall allow any dog to accompany either himself or any attendant he may have with him.
5. The licensee must give notice to the said Chief Postmaster of the date on which it is his intention to stalk deer; such notice to be posted, or delivered, or telegraphed three clear days before such date.
6. Nothing herein contained shall extend to authorizing any person to sell any deer or portion thereof.
7. Any person committing a breach of any of these regulations shall be liable, on conviction, to a fine not exceeding £20.

SCHEDULE.

No.
License to take or kill Game (Deer).
 , of , having this day paid the sum of £ , is hereby authorized to take or kill deer (bucks), of not less than points, within the Wanganui Acclimatization District, from the day of , 1922, to the day of , 1922 (both days inclusive), subject to the provisions of the Animals Protection Act, 1908, and all regulations thereunder in force within the said district.
 Dated at this day of , 1922.

 Chief Postmaster.
 As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of March, 1922.
 G. JAS. ANDERSON,
 For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Regulations under the Census and Statistics Act, 1910.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on me by the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing additional matter in regard to which the Statistician shall collect statistics.

REGULATIONS.

1. EVERY owner of bees shall upon request, and within such time or times as he may be required by the Statistician so to do, furnish annually to the Statistician, or to any person appointed by him in writing, the particulars specified in the form set out in the Schedule hereto, and shall sign the form and transmit it by post or otherwise to the officer appointed by the Statistician.
2. In the above regulation "owner" includes the manager or person for the time being in charge of a place where one or more hives of bees are kept for use; "hive of bees" includes any number of bees kept in captivity.

SCHEDULE.

Name of person keeping bees :
 Postal address :
 County in which bees are kept :
 Quantity of honey produced during twelve months ended 31st May, 19 : lb.
 Quantity of beeswax produced during twelve months ended 31st May, 19 : lb.

I declare that the information contained in this Schedule is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[Signature of the person furnishing the information.]

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of March, 1922.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
 For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Amending a Warrant cancelling the Reservation over Portion of a Primary-education Endowment in the Hawke's Bay Land District, and reserving Crown Land in lieu thereof.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section five of the Land Act, 1908, it is provided that every Proclamation, Order in Council, or other instrument, whether made under or by virtue of that Act or of any former Land Act, and all regulations, by-laws, conditions, or rules made by the Governor, the Minister, or any Land Board, may be altered, amended, or revoked from time to time:

And whereas it is necessary to amend a Warrant dated the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-first day of that month, and issued under section thirty-seven of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1914, cancelling the reservation over portion of a primary-education endowment in the Hawke's Bay Land District, and reserving Crown land in lieu thereof, the aforesaid portion of a primary-education endowment being erroneously described as portion of Section 2, Block I, Urutawa Survey District, instead of as portion of Section 2, Block I, Urutawa East Survey District:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby amend the said Warrant by substituting the words "Urutawa East Survey District" for the words "Urutawa Survey District" wherever the last-mentioned words occur in the first Schedule to the said Warrant dated the eighteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1922.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the Auckland, Marlborough, Otago, and Southland Land Districts.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

And whereas by the sixty-ninth section of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, it is further provided that the Governor-General may from time to time, as he thinks fit, set aside reserves for any specified public purpose out of land acquired under the last-mentioned Act, provided that no land so acquired shall be set aside for endowments:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the Auckland, Marlborough, Otago, and Southland Land Districts described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes in the said Schedule specified at the end of the respective descriptions of the lands so intended to be temporarily reserved.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 11·2 perches, more or less, being part of Sections 192, 193, 194, 195, and 196, Town of Ngaruawahia. Bounded towards the north-east by the North Island Main Trunk Railway, 690·05 links; towards the south-east by Stowe Street, 251·4 links; and towards the south-west by the South Road, 453·6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 6/11/20, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (Auckland plan No. 5784, blue.) For a drill-shed site.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Marlborough Land District, containing by admeasurement 65 acres 1 rood 13 perches, more or less, being Section 184 and part of Sections 122 and 123, Block XI, Onamalutu Survey District. Commencing at the northernmost corner of Section 123 aforesaid, bounded towards the east and north by part Section 122, 500 and 700 links respectively; again towards the east by the abuttal of a public road, 100 links; again towards the north by a public road, 796·5 links; thence again towards the east by part of Section 122, 778·5 links, across a public road, 104·5 links, and by Section 119, 416·5 links; towards the east and south generally by Section 4, Block XI aforesaid, 3259·3 links; towards the west by Section 124, 357 links, across a public road, 101 links; again by Section 124, 1742 links; by Section 183, 100 links; and again by Section 124, 500 links; and towards the north by Small Grazing-run 65, 1500 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: and excepting from the above description the public road traversing the said land, for which due allowance has been made in the above area. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 4/308, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. For a recreation reserve.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Otago Land District, containing 7 acres 0 roods 2·7 perches, more or less, being parts of Sections 72 and 73, Block V, Lower Kaikorai Survey District, and part of Section 63, Block VI, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, and being the whole of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 195, folio 92, Dunedin Registry. For a recreation reserve.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

All that area in the Southland Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 3 roods 28·7 perches, more or less, being part of Section 4, Otahu Settlement, part of Section 5, Block IV, Waiarau Survey District. Bounded towards the north-west by other part of Section 4, Otahu Settlement, 703 links; towards the north-east by other part of said Section 4, 736·5 links; towards the south-east by other part of said Section 4, 700 links; and towards the south-west by a public road one chain wide, 671·8 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 6/6/204, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered green. For a public-school site.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1922.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Setting apart Crown Land under Section 20 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section twenty of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby

set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.—OPOE SURVEY DISTRICT.

	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 25, Block V	Area,	24	3 33
" 26 "	"	25	2 4

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1922.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Setting apart Crown Land under Section 20 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section twenty of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 4, Block VII, Ruakaka Survey District: Area, 25 acres 0 roods 1 perch.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of March, 1922.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Howick Public Cemetery appointed.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fourth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the several persons whose names are specified in Part I of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in Part II of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Part I.—Names of Trustees.

FRANK EDWARD ALLEN,
WILLIAM COOPER,
JOHN FITZPATRICK,
WILLIAM THOMAS MAY, and
LEMUEL HENRY WHITE, Sen.

Part II.—Name of Cemetery and Description of Land.

HOWICK.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods 12 perches, more or less, being Allotment 8 of Section 7 of small lots near the Village of Howick. Bounded towards the north by a line, 692 links; towards the east by a line and a road, 1131 links; towards the south by a road, 692 links; and towards the west by Allotment 7, 1131 links.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1922.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Vesting the Control of a Scenic Reserve in the Pongaroa Scenic Board.

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 reserve described in the Schedule hereto (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,—

EVAN WILLIAM DAVIES,
FREDERICK FREEMAN,
SAMUEL GIBSON,
FREDERICK WILLIAM GREGORY,
MAX KAYSER,
WILLIAM NELSON LANKEY,
WALTER HENRY PLOWMAN, and
ROBERT WILLIAM MORRIS,

who are hereby constituted for that purpose a special Board by the name of the Pongaroa Scenic 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 first meeting of the Board shall be held on Wednesday, the fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, at eight o'clock p.m., in the Public Hall, Pongaroa, and thereafter the Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Wednesday in each quarter at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board.

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

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

4. Any five 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 the 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 for 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 in Charge of Scenery Preservation 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.

PONGAROA SCENIC RESERVE.—WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 1 to 12, Block IV, Town of Pongaroa: Area, 5 acres 1 rood 35 perches.

Also Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 13, Block VII, Town of Pongaroa: Area, 2 acres 3 roods 11 perches.

Also part of Section 5 and Sections 6 to 16 inclusive, Block XII; parts of Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and Sections 11, 13, and part Section 14, Block XIII, part Section 16 and Sections 14 and 18 to 24 inclusive, Block IX, Town of Pongaroa; Section 14, Suburbs of Pongaroa; and roads within the above area stopped by Proclamation dated 18th February, 1908, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 12, of the 20th February, 1908, page 608: Area, 48 acres 1 rood 13 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 10th day of March, 1922.

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

Additional Rules under the Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WE, the undersigned Judges of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, of whom the Chief Justice is one, in pursuance and exercise of the powers for this purpose conferred on us by the Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Act, 1908, do hereby make the following rules, to come into operation on the sixteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

RULES.

1. RULE 51 of the rules made under the above-mentioned Act on the 15th day of December, 1910, is hereby amended by substituting six clear days for the period of three clear days mentioned in that rule.

2. In every case to which the provisions of subsection (3) of section 2 of the Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Amend-

ment Act, 1921-22, applies the following procedure shall be followed:—

(a.) The petitioner shall give to the respondent not less than twenty-one days' notice in writing of the motion to make the decree *nisi* absolute.

(b.) If the respondent has not entered an appearance in the cause, and it is impossible or difficult to effect service of the notice on the respondent personally, the petitioner shall apply to the Court or a Judge in Chambers for directions as to service.

(c.) If the respondent intends to oppose the making of the decree *nisi* absolute he or she shall give to the petitioner at least ten clear days' notice in writing of such intention, and shall state in such notice the grounds of opposition and shall give therein full particulars of the alleged wrongful acts or conduct on the part of the petitioner on which the respondent relies.

(d.) Where such notice as aforesaid has been given by the respondent, the parties shall attend on the day fixed for the hearing of the motion or so soon thereafter as counsel can be heard to obtain a fixture for hearing oral evidences in connection with the motion.

Given under our hands this 27th day of February, 1922.

ROBERT STOUT, C.J.
W. A. SIM, J.
J. H. HOSKING, J.
T. W. STRINGER, J.
A. L. HERDMAN, J.

Approved in Council.

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

Ranger under the Animals Protection Act appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 13th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

HENRY RICHARD PIKE

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

W. FRASER,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Honours conferred by His Majesty the King.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs the publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the notification of the honours conferred by His Majesty the King as follows:—

Knight Bachelor—

James Hugh Buchanan Coates, Esq., of the City of Wellington.

John Ross, Esq., of the City of Dunedin.

C.M.G.—

James Henry Gunson, Esq., C.B.E., Mayor of the City of Auckland.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Ranger under the Animals Protection Act and Officer under Part II of the Fisheries Act appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

CHARLES TOMLIN

a Ranger under the Animals Protection Act, 1908, for the Waimate Acclimatization District, and an Officer under Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Consul for the Republic of Poland at Sydney appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that he has been informed by His Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies that the King's Exequatur empowering NONIDES EARP to act as Consul-General for the Republic of Poland at Sydney, with jurisdiction over New Zealand, received His Majesty's signature on the 20th ultimo.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Members of Board of Trustees of Drainage District appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1922.

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

JOHN CASEY, Esq.,
ALFRED JAMES DEMPSEY, Esq.,
ERNEST FLAY, Esq.,
THOMAS DONALD MACDONALD, Esq., and
ALBERT MOORE WILSON, Esq.,

to be members of the Board of Trustees of the Kirikiriroa Drainage District.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Members of Southland Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 13th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to reappoint

HENRY JONATHAN MIDDLETON and
JAMES FLEMING

to be members of the Southland Land Board, as from the 8th April and 22nd May, 1922, respectively.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Chairmen of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 15th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES RANKIN BARTHOLOMEW, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the districts of Dunedin, Dunedin South, and Chalmers, *vice* H. Y. Widdowson, Esq., S.M.; and

HOWELL YOUNG WIDDOWSON, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the districts of Lyttelton, Christchurch, and Avon, *vice* W. Wilson, Esq., S.M.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Clerks, &c., Magistrate's and Warden's Courts appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 15th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable JOHN O'SHEA

to be Clerk of the Magistrate's Court and Bailiff of the Magistrate's and Warden's Courts at Arrowtown, on and from the 18th day of February, 1922. *vice* Constable H. McMahon, transferred; and

Constable HAROLD JACKSON THOMPSON

to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrate's Court at Hunterville, on and from the 2nd day of February, 1922, *vice* Constable R. Sims, transferred.

E. P. LEE, Minister of Justice.

Official Member of Maori Council appointed.

Native Department,
Wellington, 10th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

GEORGE KIRK

to be the Official Member of the Maori Council for the Maori Council District of Horouta, *vice* B. J. MacDonnell, left the district.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

Registrar of Incorporated Societies appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 9th March, 1922.

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

DONALD GEORGE CLARK

to be Registrar of Incorporated Societies for the purposes of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of March, 1922.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 9th March, 1922.

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

JOSEPH LISSANT PALETHORPE

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district of Wellington, as from the 1st day of February, 1922; and

EDWARD MOORE CRAIG BURN

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Dannevirke, and Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district of Dannevirke, as from the 1st day of April, 1922.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Registrar of Electors appointed for the Electoral District of Waikato.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 10th March, 1922.

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

JOHN DUNCAN FERGUSON

to be the Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Waikato, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of March, 1922.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Substitute Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Ellesmere appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 15th March, 1922.

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

CHARLES JOHN LAFFERTY

to be Substitute Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Ellesmere, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of March, 1922.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 14th March, 1922.

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.* :—

Leonard Griffith North	.. ..	Ohakune.
Charles John Lafferty	.. ..	Ellesmere.
John Francis Barrett	.. ..	Kawakawa.
Thomas Oswald Dykes	.. ..	Temuka.
Laurence McKenzie McLaurin Monteath	.. ..	New Plymouth.
Frederick Horace Thomas	.. ..	Mangonui.
George Frederick Church	.. ..	Maungaturoto.
Albert Nyanza Wallace	.. ..	Matamata.
Leslie Stevenson Shannon	.. ..	Kaikoura.
Arthur Edward Stephens	.. ..	Brunner.
Miss Dauphine Edwards	.. ..	Aria.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Arrangements for First Election, &c., Turua Town District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1922.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

JAMES EDWIN GREEN, Esq.,

to be Returning Officer and person to prepare the roll of electors for the first election of a Board of seven Commissioners for the Turua Town District, recently constituted under the Town Boards Act, 1908; also to appoint Tuesday, the 4th day of April, 1922, as the day, and the office of Messrs. Miller and Son, Solicitors, Turua, as the place, for holding such first election; also to appoint Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1922, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon as the time, and the office of Messrs. Miller and Son aforesaid as the place, for holding the first meeting of the Board of Commissioners, so elected.

W. FRASER,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

By-laws of the Whanganui District Maori Council, under the Maori Councils Act, 1900, and the Health Act, 1920, approved.

Native Minister's Office,
Wellington, 1st November, 1921.

It is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following by-laws made by the Maori Council of the Whanganui Maori District, under the provisions of section 16. of the Maori Councils Act, 1900.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Native Affairs.

Approved.

JELICOE, Governor-General.

THE MAORI COUNCIL OF THE WHANGANUI
MAORI DISTRICT.

BY-LAWS.

THE Maori Council of the Whanganui Maori District, constituted under the Maori Councils Act, 1900, and its amendments, and the Public Health Act, 1920, hereby makes the following by-laws in lieu of the by-laws published in the *New Zealand Gazette* dated 6th February, 1902, under and by virtue of the said Acts and amendments, such by-laws to come into operation upon approval thereof by the Governor-General and the publication of the same in the *Gazette* and *Kahiti*.

INTERPRETATION.

In these by-laws, except where inconsistent with the context or when otherwise expressly provided, the following expressions shall have the meanings attached thereto:—

"The said Act" means the Maori Councils Act, 1900, and its amendments, and the Public Health Act, 1920:

"The Council" means the Maori Council of the Whanganui Maori District constituted under the said Acts:

"Committee" or "Village Committee" means the Village Committee of a Maori kainga, village, or pa appointed by the Maori Council under the provisions of the said Acts:

"District" means the Whanganui Maori District proclaimed by the Governor-General under the provisions of the said Acts:

"Native Township" means a township constituted under the Native Townships Act, 1895:

"Prescribed" means prescribed by rules or regulations made under the said Acts or by these by-laws.

(A.) GENERAL PROVISIONS.

1. All deaths shall be notified by the nearest of kin, or in his absence by the owner or occupier of the dwelling where death took place, to the nearest Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages within thirty-six hours of death. Failure to comply shall render the offender liable to a penalty not exceeding £1.

2. In every case of death, where the deceased has not been attended to by a qualified medical practitioner, the Committee shall investigate the circumstances surrounding such death with regard to the nature of illness, duration, treatment, and names of persons who treated or were in attendance on deceased, and report the results of this investigation to the nearest Registrar of Maori Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

3. Human corpses shall be buried, if the death occurs between the 15th day of March and the 15th day of September (both days inclusive) in any year, within four days after death; and if the death occurs between the 16th day of September and the 14th day of March of the following year (both days inclusive), within three days after death, unless the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene shall otherwise direct.

4. Where death has occurred from an infectious disease, the corpse shall be buried within twenty-four hours after death. The corpse shall be removed from the dwelling, tent, hospital, or place where death occurred to the cemetery without being allowed to lie in state at any intermediate or village, and no tangi shall be held.

5. It shall be the duty of the nearest relatives of the deceased, or, in their absence, of the owner or occupier of the house or premises wherein deceased died, to comply with the provisions of by-laws 3 and 4; and all or any of them shall be deemed guilty of a breach thereof as the Council may deem fit, and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 for each offence.

6. No human corpse shall be buried, except with the permission of the Council, in any place other than a burial-ground recognized by the inhabitants of a Maori kainga, or reserved or set apart by them or some duly constituted authority as a burial-ground.

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7. No human corpse shall be permitted to lie in state in front of any meeting-house or in the courtyard (marae) thereof, but may lie in state at some other spot in the vicinity that may be indicated by the Chairman of the Committee.

(B.) BUILDINGS.

8. No person shall erect a dwellinghouse upon any site not having natural or artificial subsoil drainage sufficient to prevent such site being damp, or upon any site having matter thereon which may prove injurious to the health of the occupants of such buildings. The ground underlying every dwellinghouse shall be so formed and graded that no water can flow or lodge thereon or under any part of such building. Where the site of an erected dwellinghouse is considered injurious to the health of the occupants, the Council may order the owner or occupier to remove such building to a more healthy site.

9. Every person who shall erect a dwellinghouse shall construct every room intended to be used as a living-room so that the same shall be not less than 8 ft. 6 in. in height from the floor to the ceiling in every part; provided that every room intended to be used as aforesaid with a sloping or unceilinged roof shall be not less than 9 ft. in height from the floor to the roof over one-half the superficial area of such room, and no wall thereof shall have a less height than 5 ft. before any slope of the roof commences.

10. Every person who shall erect a dwellinghouse shall provide that for every sleeping-room therein there shall be at least 36 square feet of floor-space to each adult or every two children under ten years of age sleeping in that room, and there shall be a window-space clear of frames equal in area to at least one-tenth of the area of the floor of such room, of which window-space at least one-half shall be made to open.

11. Every person who shall erect a dwellinghouse must provide each sleeping-room with a boarded floor so that there shall be between the under-side of every joist, plate, stringer, and bearer on which such floor may be laid or supported and the upper surface of the ground a space of 4 in. at the least in each part, and he shall cause the area below such floor to be thoroughly ventilated by some effectual method.

12. In the case of houses already erected the Council may require the owner or occupier of any dwellinghouse which does not comply with Section B, clauses 10 and 11, to make such alterations or additions as may be deemed necessary.

13. The Council may, or shall if the Medical Officer of Health or Director of Maori Hygiene so directs, order the removal or destruction of any building in a dirty and unwholesome state, if in its opinion it is unsuitable for human habitation, or if the owner or occupier thereof fails after due notice to clean, renovate, or himself remove or destroy the same.

14. The Chairman of the Committee, or any person duly authorized by the Committee in that behalf, may by notice in writing direct the owner or occupier of any house or other building in a dirty and unwholesome state to clean or cause the same to be cleaned within a time to be specified in such notice.

15. Any person refusing or neglecting to comply with notice for removals, alterations, or cleaning under clauses 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14 shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £1 for the first offence and £5 for every subsequent offence, and in the case of persistent refusal or neglect to comply, the Committee may order the work to be done. Any costs incurred by the Committee in and about such removals, alterations, or cleanings shall be a debt due to the Committee, recoverable as liquidated damages by process in a Magistrate's Court.

16. The Committee may, in its discretion, ease or modify the application of the foregoing clauses 8, 12, 13, and 14 in the case of any old, ill, or feeble person occupying any such buildings as aforesaid, so that such clauses shall not press heavily on such person. The Chairman of the Committee shall report the case and all the circumstances to the Chairman of the Council, whereupon the Council shall consider such case and decide whether it shall devote part of its funds towards cleaning and otherwise improving the dwellings of such sick, old, or feeble persons.

17. The owner or occupier of a dwellinghouse shall be held responsible for preventing more persons sleeping in any room thereof than are allowed by the floor-space laid down in clause 10. Failure to comply with this shall render him liable to a penalty not exceeding 5s. for a first offence and not exceeding 10s. for every subsequent offence.

Movable and Temporary Dwellings.

18. Every person who shall own or occupy temporarily a tent, shed, whare, or similar structure shall be responsible that the same is clean, dry, weatherproof, and ventilated. Each adult and every two children under ten years of age shall be provided with 16 square feet of floor-space.

19. Every person who shall own or occupy a tent, shed, whare, or similar structure which is in such a state as to be a nuisance or injurious to health, or which is so overcrowded as to be injurious to the health of the inmates, whether or not members of the same family, shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £1 for a first offence and not exceeding £5 for every subsequent offence.

Meeting-houses.

20. The provisions of clause 8 with regard to site shall apply to meeting-houses.

21. The provisions of clause 11 with regard to flooring shall apply to meeting-houses.

22. All meeting-houses, so as to secure adequate ventilation, shall be provided with sufficient window-space at either end of the building, of which window-space at least one-half shall be made to open.

23. All meeting-houses shall be provided with sufficient privy accommodation for each sex to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer of Health or Director of Maori Hygiene.

24. No sweepings or rubbish shall be deposited under the floor of a meeting-house.

25. The Committee shall direct the carrying-out of any necessary alterations or additions under these by-laws, and in the event of the owner or persons concerned in the meeting-house refusing to carry out such alterations or additions such meeting-house may be closed down until the by-laws are complied with.

(C.) DRAINAGE.

26. The Council shall make such by-laws regarding drainage to suit the particular circumstances of their district as the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene approve.

(D.) NUISANCES.

27. No nightsoil, refuse, or offensive rubbish shall be cast or deposited or allowed to flow into any spring, stream, or watercourse that flows through or past a Maori kainga and which is used as a water-supply by the inhabitants of such kainga or other kainga on the banks of such stream or near such spring.

28. No person who is the owner or occupier of any premises within a Maori kainga shall permit or suffer any nightsoil or refuse or any offensive rubbish or matter of any kind whatever to accumulate or remain or be in or upon such premises so as to be injurious or dangerous to health or as to cause an offensive smell.

29. No horses, cattle, sheep, dogs, or other animals shall be buried within a Maori kainga.

30. No person shall throw or leave any dead animal on any property within a Maori kainga whereby any offensive smell is or is likely to be created.

31. Every person who commits a breach of any of the by-laws 27, 28, 29, and 30 shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding 10s.

(E.) KEEPING OF ANIMALS.

32. No person shall keep or allow any pigs to run loose within a Maori kainga, nor in any case to keep them so as to be a nuisance or injurious to health, nor in such manner as to pollute any water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes or for use in a dairy; nor shall any person, after the coming into force of this by-law, permit to remain any pigsty at a less distance than 150 ft. from any house or building used as a dwellinghouse or school, or any buildings within which food intended for human consumption is prepared or stored, or at a less distance than 50 ft. from any road or the boundary of any occupied neighbouring property.

(F.) PRIVIES.

Regulating all Privies.

33. The owner or occupier of every dwellinghouse shall provide the same with a privy.

34. Every person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building shall construct such privy at a distance of 10 ft. at the least from any living-room or any room where foodstuff is intended to be stored.

35. It shall be an offence for any person who shall construct a privy in connection with a building to construct such privy within the distance of 40 ft. from any well, spring, or stream of water used or likely to be used by man for drinking or domestic purposes, or otherwise in such a position as to render any such water liable to pollution.

36. Every privy shall in all respects be well and substantially erected. It shall be provided with a sufficient opening for ventilation as near the top as practicable, and communication directly with the external air. It shall be enclosed on all sides and be provided with a door.

(a.) Every person who shall construct a pan privy in connection with a building shall construct such privy in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of

access to such privy for the purpose of cleaning such privy and of removing filth therefrom.

(b.) The seat of a pan privy, the aperture in such seat, and the space beneath such seat shall be of such dimensions as to admit of a movable receptacle for nightsoil of a capacity of not less than 1 cubic foot being placed and fitted beneath such seat in such a manner and such a position as may effectually prevent the deposit upon the floor or sides of the space beneath such seat, or elsewhere than in such receptacle, of any filth which may from time to time fall or be cast through the aperture of such seat.

(c.) The seat of such pan privy shall be so constructed that the whole of such seat or a sufficient part thereof may be readily moved or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to the space beneath such seat for the purpose of cleansing such space, or removing therefrom or placing or fitting therein the appropriate receptacle.

(d.) The receptacle in any pan privy shall be constructed of such material and in such a manner as to prevent any escape by leakage or otherwise of any part of the contents of such receptacle. The aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be kept over the aperture when the seat is not in use.

37. The occupier of the premises on which any privy is situated shall keep such privy in a good state of repair and in a thoroughly clean and sanitary condition.

38. The owner or occupier of any premises in connection with which a privy has been erected shall use or cause to be used a sufficiency of dry earth or sawdust or ashes so that the excrement shall be so covered that no nuisance shall arise therefrom.

Regulating Pan Privies.

39. Where a pan privy is used, such privy shall be constructed and cleansed in the following manner:—

(a.) Every person who shall construct a pan privy in connection with a building shall construct such privy in such a manner and in such a position as to afford ready means of access to such privy for the purpose of cleaning such privy and of removing filth therefrom.

(b.) The seat of a pan privy, the aperture in such seat, and the space beneath such seat shall be of such dimensions as to admit of a movable receptacle for nightsoil of a capacity of not less than 1 cubic foot being placed and fitted beneath such seat in such a manner and in such a position as may effectually prevent the deposit upon the floor or sides of the space beneath such seat, or elsewhere than in such receptacle, of any filth which may from time to time fall or be passed through the aperture of such seat.

(c.) The seat of such pan privy shall be so constructed that the whole of such seat or a sufficient part thereof may be readily removed or adjusted in such a manner as to afford adequate access to the space beneath such seat for the purpose of cleansing such space, or removing therefrom or placing or fitting therein the appropriate receptacle.

(d.) The receptacle in any pan privy shall be constructed of such material and in such a manner as to prevent any escape by leakage or otherwise of any part of the contents of such receptacle. The aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be kept over the aperture when the seat is not in use.

40. The occupier of every house shall cause the pans of all pan privies used in connection with such house to be emptied and properly cleaned at least once in every week, and in any case so frequently as to prevent overflow.

41. It shall not be lawful for any person to bury nightsoil otherwise than in a pit or trench in such a manner and to such a depth as to provide that it shall have a covering of earth of at least 6 in. when the pit or trench is closed.

42. No nightsoil shall be buried within 50 ft. of any dwelling or within 60 ft. of any well. A pit may be used instead of a movable receptacle, provided such pit does not communicate directly with subsoil water. The aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be kept over the aperture when the seat is not in use. The seat and walls surrounding the space below the seat shall be made fly-proof. In no case shall the height of the excreta within the pit be allowed to rise to within 6 in. of the surface of the ground.

Regulating Pit Privies.

43. On the authority of the Director of Maori Hygiene or of a Medical Officer of Health, or of any Inspectors appointed by the Department of Health, a privy may be provided with a pit for the reception of faecal matter in place of a pan, but such pit shall not be so placed as to endanger the purity of any stream, spring, or well, and shall be at least 30 ft. from any dwelling or place in which food is stored.

44. The pit of every pit privy shall be covered by a seat so constructed as to prevent the access of flies to such pit, and

for this purpose the aperture of the seat shall be provided with a cover, which must be in place when the privy is not in use.

45. The pit of every pit privy shall be covered in with clean earth before the faecal matter therein rises to within 12 in. of the surface of the ground, and the privy shall be thereafter moved.

(G.) INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

46. Where the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene notifies that an infectious disease exists in a village or district, no hui, gathering, or tangi shall be held until such time as the village or district is declared clean of the disease.

47. Where an infectious disease has been notified in a village or district, the Committee shall render every possible assistance to Native-school teachers, Native nurses, sanitary inspectors, medical officers, or health officers in the early tracing of cases of sickness in the village or district. The Committee shall make it as widely known as possible that such an infectious disease exists. Any person, after receiving such notice, who does not notify cases of sickness existing in a house or camp owned or occupied by him shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

48. No person suffering or suspected to be suffering from an infectious disease shall travel or be removed to other dwellinghouses or camps already occupied, unless to a hospital, without the consent of a nurse, sanitary inspector, or medical officer.

49. Where so directed by a sanitary inspector, Native nurse, or qualified medical practitioner, no person living in a house, building, or camp where infectious disease exists shall travel about to other occupied houses or districts unless he possesses a certificate from a qualified medical practitioner that he is free from infection.

50. Any person, not acting under the instructions of a qualified medical practitioner or an official of the Department of Health, who treats cases of sickness other than in his own immediate family, or allows cases of sickness to collect in a house or camp owned or occupied by him, shall be deemed guilty of an offence.

51. No clothing, blankets, or domestic utensils shall be removed for further use from a house in which infectious disease exists or has existed until such material has been properly disinfected by a Native nurse, sanitary inspector, or under the orders of a qualified medical practitioner.

52. Any person infringing any of by-laws 45, 46, 48, and 50 shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 for each offence, and of by-law 49 not exceeding £25.

(H.) TANGIS, HUIS, AND GATHERINGS.

53. The Committee of the village or district where a tangi, hui, or gathering is held shall be responsible for the proper regulation of such tangi, hui, or gathering from a sanitary standpoint.

54. The Committee shall take steps to ensure that proper precautions are carried out with regard to cleanliness, ventilation, and overcrowding of meeting-houses, cleanliness of the marae and cooking-houses, and the proper disposal of refuse and rubbish.

55. The Committee shall take steps to ensure that sufficient privy accommodation to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer of Health or Director of Maori Hygiene is provided separate for each sex, and that such privies are kept in a clean and sanitary condition.

56. The Committee shall take steps to prevent the fouling of water-supplies.

57. The Committee shall take steps to prevent any tangi, hui, or gathering being so unduly prolonged as to be a menace to public health.

58. The Committee shall prevent any acute cases of sickness remaining in a meeting-house, and shall insist on their being removed to a detached dwellinghouse, tent, or to their own homes.

59. Any person depositing excreta or urine within a Maori kainga at other than places appointed shall be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 10s. for each offence.

60. The Committee may appoint a sanitary squad to carry out the provisions of this section. Where any expense is incurred, it shall be a charge upon the funds of the tangi, hui, or gathering, or may be raised as a levy or contribution, as the Committee may deem fit.

61. Where there is no duly constituted Health Committee in a village where the tangi, hui, or gathering is held, the relatives of the deceased or the promoters of the hui or gathering shall be held responsible for the carrying-out of the clauses of this section.

(I.) WATER-SUPPLIES.

62. The Council shall make such by-laws regarding water-supplies to suit the particular circumstances of their district as the Medical Officer of Health or the Director of Maori Hygiene approve.

(J.) DRUNKENNESS.

63. (1.) No alcoholic liquor shall at any time be supplied, drunk, or brought to any Maori kainga.

(2.) Where a public meeting is held by invitation, the person or persons issuing such invitation shall be jointly and severally liable, if he or they supply or cause to be supplied any alcoholic liquor to the visitors, or any of them, or to any person whatsoever attending such a meeting, to a fine not exceeding £5.

(3.) Any person found drunk at any kainga or Maori meeting shall be liable to a fine of not less than 5s. and not exceeding £1.

(4.) Any person shall be guilty of an offence who—

(1.) Being drunk or under the influence of liquor, enters a meeting-house or a church or some other public building within a Maori kainga;

(2.) Takes any alcoholic liquor into a Maori kainga;

(3.) Drinks or causes any one else to drink any alcoholic liquor in any meeting-house, church, or public building.

And such person shall be liable to a fine of not less than 5s. and not exceeding £1 for a first offence, and not exceeding £2 for every subsequent offence.

(K.) HAWKERS.

64. The following by-laws shall apply to Indian, Assyrian, and other hawkers selling their goods in the Maori kaingas within the district, that is to say:—

(1.) Such persons shall have a license from the Council before he may sell his goods within the kaingas of the district.

(2.) The license in the Form B in the Schedule hereto shall have force throughout the whole of the district, and the fee therefor shall be £2.

(3.) The Chairman or Clerk of the Council, or a member of the Council duly authorized by the Council in that behalf, is empowered to issue such licenses.

(4.) All fees paid for licenses shall be forwarded to the office of the Council.

(5.) Any person hawking goods without a license within any Maori kainga in the district shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £5.

A special license may be issued by the Chairman or Clerk or any member of the Council, or by the Chairman of the Village Committee of a kainga where any hui or gathering is held, to any person desirous of hawking and selling goods at such hui or gathering on payment of 10s., or for any other kind of sale 5s. Such license shall be in force only while such hui or gathering lasts, and no longer. Any person hawking or selling goods at such hui or gathering without a special license, or without a license as provided in the foregoing by-laws, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £5.

(L.) SMOKING.

65. Every person, whether European or Maori, who sells, gives, or supplies any cigarette, tobacco, or torori to any Maori youth under the age of fifteen years shall be deemed guilty of an offence, and shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £5.

Every Maori youth under the age of fifteen years who smokes tobacco, torori, or cigarettes, or any part of a cigarette, shall be deemed to be guilty of an offence, and shall be liable for the first offence to a fine not exceeding 5s., for the second offence to a fine not exceeding 10s., and for a third or subsequent offence to a fine of £1.

(M.) GAMBLING.

66. Any person, whether Maori or otherwise, desirous of establishing a billiard-room in any kainga, village, or pa, and any Maori desirous of establishing a billiard-room at any other place within the district, except townships (but not Maori lots within a Native township) and European settlements, shall first obtain a license from the Council, which may be granted subject to the following terms and conditions:—

(1.) Such license shall be in Form C in the Schedule hereto.

(2.) The fee for such license shall be £10.

(3.) Such license shall remain in force for twelve months from the date thereof, unless sooner revoked by the Council as hereinafter provided.

(4.) All billiard-rooms shall be properly ventilated, and shall at all times be kept clean and in good order.

(5.) All billiard-rooms shall remain open on week-days only, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 10 p.m. Any person committing a breach of this by-law shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £1 for the first offence, not exceeding £2 for the second offence, and for a subsequent offence shall be liable to have his license revoked.

(6.) No Maori youth under the age of fifteen shall be permitted to play billiards on such licensed premises,

and if discovered playing therein the licensee or the person for the time in charge of the premises shall be liable to a fine of £5 for the first offence, and for a second offence the Council may revoke the license.

- (7.) Renewal of license must be applied for before the expiry of the term for which a license has been granted.
- (8.) Any Maori youth under the age of fifteen years found playing billiards in any place whatsoever shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 5s. for the first offence, not exceeding 10s. for the second offence, and not exceeding £1 for the third offence or for every subsequent offence.
- (9.) Any person keeping a billiard-room or a billiard-table in any Maori kainga, and any Maori keeping such a room or table at any other place within the district, except townships (but not Maori lots within a Native township) and European settlements, without license from the Council, shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £25.
- (10.) Any person found playing for money, whether by cards or any other game (except by billiards on licensed premises), within the precincts of any kainga shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 10s. for the first offence, not exceeding £1 for the second offence, and not exceeding £2 for every subsequent offence.
- (11.) Any person, the owner or occupier of any house or premises situate in any Maori kainga, who shall permit or allow gambling or playing for money (except by billiards on licensed premises) in such house or upon such premises shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £1 for the first offence, not exceeding £2 for the second offence, and not exceeding £5 for every subsequent offence.

(N.) VILLAGE COMMITTEES.

67. The Council may delegate wholly or in part its powers under the prescribed rules or regulations to any Village Committee, and such Committee shall thereupon be enabled to exercise such powers within its own kainga.

The Village Committee shall have power to impose a penalty or a fine for any breach of regulation, and if such fine be not paid within the prescribed period the Chairman of the Committee shall forward a report on and evidence of such breach of regulation and of the non-payment of such fine to the Chairman of the Council.

68. The Council shall prescribe fines for by-laws for which no provision has been made.

SCHEDULE.

Form A.

To [Name and address].

GREETING: You are requested to cleanse or cause your house to be cleansed within _____ days after service of this notice upon you, and you are warned that if after such service you refuse or neglect within the time specified to comply with this notice you will be liable to a fine not exceeding £1.

Dated the _____ day of _____, 19_____.

(SEAL.) Chairman [or Clerk] of Whanganui Council
[or Village Committee].

Form B.

HAWKER'S LICENSE.

KNOW all men that _____, a hawker, is duly licensed to sell goods in the kaingas of the Whanganui District for one year from the date hereof.

Given under the seal of the Maori Council for the Whanganui Maori District, the _____ day of _____, 19_____.

(SEAL.) Chairman [or Clerk] of the Council.

Form C.

BILLIARD LICENSE.

KNOW all men that _____, of _____, is duly licensed to keep a billiard-room at _____ for twelve months from the date hereof, subject to the provisions of the by-laws of the Council.

Given under the seal of the Maori Council for the Whanganui Maori District, the _____ day of _____, 19_____.

(SEAL.) Chairman [or Clerk] of the Council.

The above by-laws were passed at a meeting of the Maori Council for the Whanganui Maori District held at Parikino on the 3rd day of July, 1921, and are given under the seal of the said Council.

(L.S.) TANGINOA TAPA, Chairman.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 10th day of October, 1921.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Native Affairs.

Notice respecting Proposed Alteration of Boundaries, City of Auckland.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 13th March, 1922.

IT is hereby notified that a petition has been presented to His Excellency the Governor-General, under section 133 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, praying that the area described in the Schedule hereto, being now part of the County of Eden, may be excluded from the said county and included in the City of Auckland. All persons affected are hereby called upon to lodge any written objections to or petitions against the proposed inclusion which they desire to lodge, within one month from the first publication of this notice, such objections or petitions to be addressed to the Minister of Internal Affairs, Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

AREA TO BE INCLUDED IN CITY OF AUCKLAND.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 210 acres 3 roods 3 perches, more or less, known as the Auckland Domain and the Auckland Hospital Reserve, bounded towards the west, north, and east by the said City of Auckland, and towards the south by the Borough of Newmarket.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 13th March, 1922.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

RODNEY COUNTY COUNCIL.

Result of Poll on Proposal to raise Loan.

PURSUANT to section twelve of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Wellsford-Whangaripo Special Rating District of the County of Rodney was taken on the 24th day of February, 1922, on the proposal of the Rodney County Council to borrow a sum of £2,500 for metalling the Wellsford-Whangaripo Road.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 47, and the number of votes against the proposal was 22.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated this 1st day of March, 1922.

J. MORISON, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 13th March, 1922.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

OHURA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section twelve of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Matiere Special Rating District of the Ohura County taken on the 4th day of February, 1922, on the proposal of the Ohura County Council to raise a special loan of £3,000 for re-forming, culverting, and metalling a portion of the Ohura Road, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 22, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 4.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated at Ohura this 8th day of February, 1922.

E. SOWBY, Chairman.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 15th March, 1922.

I HAVE to acknowledge receipt of the sum of £12 forwarded to the Land and Income Tax Department by a person unknown as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government.

J. J. ESSON, Secretary to the Treasury.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

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

Altitude of Observatory, 10 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected in Inches to Lat. 45°.	From Self-registering 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.	Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.						
1	29.842	65.8	53.6	59.7	136.0	47.5	270	10	S.	..	..
2	29.781	64.7	43.3	54.0	138.0	32.5	168	0	N.	..	..
3	29.627	68.0	53.0	60.5	141.0	45.5	205	1	N.	..	..
4	30.076	70.0	50.0	60.0	139.0	49.0	309	9	S.	..	..
5	30.063	64.8	42.5	53.6	138.0	30.5	138	2	N.W.	..	..
6	29.973	66.6	57.3	61.9	132.0	52.0	237	10	N.	19	..	
7	29.807	66.0	58.9	62.4	99.0	56.0	317	10	N.	41	..	
8	30.007	65.0	57.3	61.1	121.0	52.7	327	4	S.	..	..
9	29.921	74.0	53.3	63.6	137.0	45.5	121	8	N.	52	..	
10	29.843	79.6	59.9	69.7	145.0	57.6	273	10	N.	1	..	
11	29.836	65.4	57.5	61.4	122.0	54.5	364	0	N.	..	..
12	29.728	67.0	57.1	62.0	130.0	52.9	374	7	N.N.W.	184	..	
13	29.760	65.3	48.5	56.9	139.0	47.0	422	10	S.	1	..	
14	30.014	60.7	42.2	51.4	118.0	34.0	206	6	N.	..	..
15	30.093	64.6	56.0	60.3	136.0	52.0	307	9	N.N.W.	6	..	
16	29.936	63.0	56.2	59.6	136.0	52.5	402	9	N.W.	1	..	
17	29.791	64.5	59.7	62.1	138.0	52.5	607	10	N.W.	Trace	..	
18	29.777	64.0	57.5	60.7	112.0	53.5	518	8	N.N.W.	..	..
19	29.756	66.8	55.2	61.0	124.0	51.1	323	4	N.	12	..	
20	29.963	66.3	48.5	57.4	129.0	45.3	334	1	S.	..	..
21	29.917	65.1	51.8	58.4	134.0	47.2	173	2	N.W.	..	..
22	29.688	63.0	55.0	59.0	129.0	50.0	427	1	N.W.	..	..
23	30.184	66.2	51.3	58.7	127.0	47.0	319	9	S.E.	..	..
24	30.288	62.8	43.2	53.0	132.0	32.0	199	2	N.E.	..	..
25	30.196	69.0	57.5	63.2	130.0	52.5	253	8	N.W.	6	..	
26	29.951	66.6	58.5	62.5	134.0	56.5	442	10	N.	86	..	
27	30.089	63.0	57.5	60.2	113.0	56.0	290	10	N.	5	..	
28	29.951	64.0	57.3	60.6	131.0	53.5	426	10	N.W.	9	..	
29	30.284	64.3	51.9	58.1	119.0	46.0	303	0	S.	..	..
30	30.145	67.2	44.1	55.6	127.0	32.2	158	8	N.W.	149	..	
31	29.914	68.0	54.3	61.1	142.0	50.2	254	10	S.	95	..	
*	29.942	66.2	53.2	59.7	129.9	48.0	305.3	6.4	..	..	667
†	29.869	66.9	53.8	60.3	124.6	46.9	277	5.2	..	..	319

* Means, &c. † Means previous years.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
14	1	..	1	7	..	..	8	..

NOTE.—The month has been cloudy and wet, with moderate to strong northerly winds prevailing, while precipitation was 109 per cent. above the mean of previous years. Total bright sunshine 204 hours 10 minutes, 44 per cent. of the possible, and six sunless days. Frost was recorded on the grass on two mornings. Mean earth-temperature at 1 ft. was 63.5°; and 61.1° at 3 ft. Mean dew-point, 50.5°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0.367 in.; and mean relative humidity, 72 per cent. of saturation.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.
MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.
December, 1921.

Altitude above Sea-level.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (½ Point or more).
			Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
Ft.	NORTH ISLAND.	Deg.	Deg.	Deg.	Points.	Dys.
125	AUCKLAND .. F. A. F. Burnett	63.1	68.4	57.9	398	13
131	RUAKURA FARM, HAMILTON EAST W. B. Monro	61.8	72.2	51.4	485	16
46	TE AROHA .. G. F. McGirr	62.7	72.6	52.8	426	18
340	WAIHI .. C. F. Sims	63.0	72.3	53.8	480	17
100	TAURANGA .. C. J. Butcher	60.1	69.2	51.0	487	21
925	ROTORUA .. W. E. Penno	60.5	69.1	52.0	1600	19
..	NEW PLYMOUTH J. Simpson	60.3	66.1	54.6	864	17
250	MOUMAHARI .. J. G. McFarlane	56.2	65.2	47.2	185	11
2080	TAIHAPE .. A. R. Fanning	56.5	64.1	48.9	406	14
100	PALMERSTON NORTH .. J. A. Colquhoun	60.7	69.0	52.4	611	15
119	CENTRAL DEVELOPMENT FARM, WERAROA J. Beverley	58.5	65.2	51.8	842	18
70	GREENMEADOWS, NA- PIER	64.2	72.4	56.0	172	12
377	MASTERTON .. R. Brown	60.3	71.3	49.4	571	9
186	GREYTOWN .. J. P. Eccleton	60.3	69.9	50.7	873	11
..	TRENTHAM MILITARY HOSPITAL	..	..	..	..	..
10	WELLINGTON ..	59.7	66.2	53.2	667	15
..	SOUTH ISLAND.					
..	BRIGHTWATER .. Ven. Archdeacon Kempthorne	59.4	69.0	49.9	376	11
34	NELSON .. Wm. C. Davies	59.7	67.7	51.8	431	11
1220	HANMER SPRINGS .. W. G. Morrison	57.0	68.3	45.7	259	8
25	CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey	59.3	68.4	50.3	23	6
42	LINCOLN .. Wm. C. Purdie	58.1	69.1	47.1	87	7
1220	KISSELTON .. A. R. Blackwood	57.4	68.2	46.7	111	5
..	RAKAI .. Miss A. Hardy	58.6	70.9	46.4	101	5
130	TIMARU .. Caretaker of Domain	57.5	66.9	48.1	118	13
200	WAIMATE .. F. Akhurst	55.7	64.7	46.7	157	17
300	DUNEDIN .. D. Tannock	54.7	63.0	46.5	328	13
245	GORE .. A. T. Newman	53.1	63.5	42.8	454	17
12	HOKITIKA .. J. A. Chesney	55.9	62.7	49.1	1352	23
12	INVERCARGILL .. L. Lennie	53.2	61.3	45.1	573	22

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, 1921.

December was remarkable for very changeable weather. Except on east coast of both Islands, where rainfall was deficient, showery conditions with occasional heavy rain accounted for an aggregate precipitation generally much above normal. The greatest difference above occurred about Cook Strait, when some places experienced over double the average; while the greatest deficiency was in Canterbury, Christchurch reporting the driest December for the past twenty years.

Atmospheric pressure was very unstable, high and low alternating with unusual frequency. There were, however, few disturbances of any marked intensity. The most notable one in this respect was a westerly area of low pressure which passed in the south on the 17th. It brought boisterous westerly winds, especially in and southwards of Cook Strait, and heavy rain in districts with a westerly aspect.

A secondary "low" passing through Cook Strait on the night of the 12th was responsible for a severe southerly gale in districts surrounding the Strait.

In most parts of the Dominion an abundant growth in vegetation took place during the month.

D. C. BATES, Director.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR DECEMBER, 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)	264	4
Mangonui	214	7
Kaeo	318	4
Russell	303	6
Kawakawa	437	10
Puhipuhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei	316	8
Ruatangata	533	12
Wairua Falls, Power-station	449	14
Kamo	925	18
Whangarei	592	15
Puwera, Whangarei	597	11
Maungaturoto .. .. .	..	..
Paparua	360	9
Mangawai	346	13
Warkworth .. .. .	..	..
Mount Eden, Auckland	465	15
Kaukapakapa, Auckland .. .. .	..	..
Cuvier Island	136	15
Rocky Bay, Waiheke	385	15
Tairua	574	12
Turua, Thames	348	16
Matamata	489	16
The Domain, Paeroa .. .. .	..	..
Belle Vue Farm, Mangaiti	524	16
Karaka	310	15
Morrinsville	221	5
Springdale, Waitoa	291	11
Omanawa Falls, Tauranga	791	17
Tirau	606	17
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua	698	20
Waiotapu	533	20
Ruatoki	792	18
Maraehako, Opotiki	569	16
Waiawa, Opotiki	1370	15
Mautotara, Te Araroa	667	17
Raukokore, Thames	570	14
Pohueroro Station, Raukokore	1193	15
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGDMONT.		
Rangitahi	358	10
Kaitiaki	420	9
Herekino	288	7
Umawera, Hokianga	244	11
Wekaweka	379	8
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour	242	12
Okaihau .. .. .	..	..
Kohukohu	261	11
Waimatenui	444	9
Donnelly's Crossing, Oranoka	197	11
Keretoki Station, Waimatenui	370	6
Terawhati, Pakotai	364	15
Helensville	260	8
Onehunga	439	14
Waiuku, Auckland	223	11
Onewhero	440	16
Kawhia	327	7
Turangomoana, Matamata	564	10
Taupo .. .. .	..	..
Taharua Station, East Taupo	1057	20
Waitomo Caves	738	3
Roto-o-Rangi School, Cambridge	538	15
Te Kuiti	750	17
Puketiti, Piopio	940	17
Hamilton, Waikato	551	19
State Farm, Waerenga	369	13
Horahora Rapids, Churchill	584	14
Ngaruawahia	851	14
Waikeria Reformatory, Te Awamutu	379	12
Waitere te Awamutu	515	12
Waiatua, Kaitieke, Raurimu	726	17
Mangaotaki (550 ft.) .. .. .	..	..
Paekaka, Paemako	545	13
"Te Matai," Aria	759	13
Ohura	787	19
Mangatoti, Mokau River	922	16
Uruti, Taranaki	1142	16
Okoke	1194	18
Purangi	730	15

New Zealand Rainfall for December, 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 EGDMONT—continued.		
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.)	1226	18
Inglewood	1207	19
Pilot Station, Waitara	541	13
New Plymouth	823	18
Upper Mangorei	1925	18
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGDMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.		
Opunake	456	17
Rawhitiroa, Mata, Eltham .. .. .	..	..
Stratford (1,020 ft.)	879	19
Stratford Post-office .. .. .	..	..
Ohawe, Hawera	406	15
Hawera	456	15
Hawera Post-office	412	16
Patea	621	15
Mataimoana	441	12
Whangamomona	815	18
Mangapurua Landing, Wanganui River	520	10
Taumarunui	720	15
Okahukura	759	15
Ohakune	618	16
Raetihi	426	14
Horopito	812	16
Waiouru	544	9
Marybank, Wanganui	339	16
Belmont, Tayforth, Wanganui	490	13
Waitahinga, Kai Iwi	757	13
Wanganui	280	6
Fordell	442	12
Dalvey, Turakina	502	12
Mangaohane Station, Taihape	188	8
Hunterville	429	13
Waituna West, Feilding	462	19
Thoresby, Marton .. .. .	..	..
Waitatapia, Bull's	511	15
Glen Oroua	656	14
Foxton	564	10
Feilding	559	17
Komako	611	12
Kairanga	582	9
"Woodhey," Palmerston North	718	18
Arapeti, Mangaore	1240	17
Arapeti, Mangahao	1388	18
Mangahao, No. 1	1715	20
Mangahao, No. 2 .. .. .	..	..
Shannon	815	15
Otaki	839	17
Kapiti Island	938	13
Waikanae .. .. .	..	..
Makara	772	12
Reservoir, Brooklyn	728	14
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.		
East Cape	144	11
Waiorongamai Station, Tapawaeroa	95	9
Waitakaro .. .. .	..	..
Pakihoroa	507	12
Owhena, Tokomaru Bay	127	11
Waihau, Tolaga Bay .. .. .	..	..
Kaharoa, Waimata Valley	111	5
Marumoko, Motu	635	20
Moanui, Motu	470	12
Motuhora	543	18
Koranga Valley	380	19
Eastwood Hill, Gisborne	224	..
Otoko	119	13
Whatatutu	52	2
Te Karaka	85	13
Puha, Poverty Bay	86	..
Glenroy Station, Gisborne	60	5
Waihuka, Gisborne	30	5
Ormond	31	7
Patutahi, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Whakapunake	147	9
Strathblane, Hangaroa .. .. .	..	..
Tahora, Gisborne	226	17
Gisborne	92	9
Morere	138	9
"Pihanga," Ruakituri Valley, Napier	153	11
Mangaone Valley, Tangitere	373	18
Portland Island	128	13
Maungaharuru, Wairoa	244	12

New Zealand Rainfall for December, 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.		
Omahani, Wairoa .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Tarawera	596	18
Tutira Lake	160	13
Eskdale, Hedgeley	213	16
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier	232	12
Park Island	168	11
Napier	164	10
Wahine, Sherenden, Hastings	308	15
Mokopeka, Hastings	204	12
Frimley, Hastings	199	11
Whanawhana, Hastings	231	18
Marakakaho, Hastings	268	15
Te Mata, Havelock North	189	13
"Matane," Havelock North	214	13
Te Roto, Poukawa	172	9
Pukehou, Te Aute	254	14
Gwavas, Tikokino	251	17
Blackburn, Hawke's Bay	337	12
Aramoana, Waipawa .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Rangitapu, Waipawa	192	12
Mount Vernon, Waipawa	182	13
Waimarama, Hawke's Bay	144	12
Waipukurau	200	11
Motuotaraia, Wanstead	139	9
Oruawharo, Takapau	286	17
Tangarewa Station, Takapau .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Ormondville	Incomplete.	.. .. .
Woodbank, Wimbledon	288	8
Pine Grove, Dannevirke	661	11
Mangatainoka	790	16
Pahiatua .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Eastery, Tane, Eketahuna	735	13
Tawataia, Eketahuna	842	14
Putara	1661	18
Eketahuna	588	.. .. .
Castlepoint	388	8
Annedale, Tinui	317	12
Whareama, Masterton	515	9
Ditton, Masterton	644	14
Bush Grove, Masterton	530	9
Marangai	553	11
Erings, Masterton	704	10
"Tyneside," Masterton .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Waihakeke, Carterton	669	11
Glendhu, Martinborough	696	10
Martinborough	637	9
Featherston	967	10
Summit	680	15
Waiwetū	594	10
Wainuiomata Reservoir	1079	16
Western Hutt .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Whangai Moana, Pirinoa	628	8
Karori Reservoir	732	15
Seatoun	493	11

SOUTH ISLAND.

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

Collingwood	1136	17
Bainham	845	6
Onakaka	970	15
Takaka	1214	13
Motueka	566	11
Upper Moutere	389	11
Stanley Brook, Nelson	357	12
"Harakeke," Central Moutere	234	8
Upper Sherry River	501	13
Twynham Station Creek, Glenhope	463	17
Gowan, via Glenhope	531	18
Tophouse	444	18
Port Hardy, French Pass	957	15
Stephen Island	949	8
The Brothers	161	11
Cape Campbell	218	6
Pictou	593	9
Freezing-works, Pictou .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Endeavour Inlet	1104	10
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound	601	9
Yncea, Pelorus Sound	1408	14
Waitata Bay, Pelorus Sound	927	9
Opouri Valley, Flat Creek	1565	14
Hartley Hills, Hillersden	562	11
Seddon	149	8
"Chancet," Ward	237	5

New Zealand Rainfall for December, 1921—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FARWELL TO KAIKOURA—continued.		
Timara Station, Renwicktown	257	6
Kaituna, Marlborough .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Spring Creek, Blenheim	359	11
Erina, Blenheim	489	12
Avondale Station, Blenheim	434	12
Marshlands, Blenheim	284	9
Hapuku	527	9
Ellerton, Keekerangu	139	8
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FARWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT.		
Farwell Spit .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Karamea, Westport	718	14
Ariki	523	14
Westport	754	25
Reefton (643 ft.)	699	19
Greymouth	853	20
Otira (1,255 ft.)	2310	11
Ross, Westland	1815	23
Okura	1845	13
Puysegur Point	1032	26
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.		
Kaikoura	390	9
Culverden .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Riverside Farm, Amuri	197	9
Highfield, Amuri	269	8
Weka Pass, Canterbury	87	6
Keinton Combe, Waiau, Amuri	290	6
Waiau	232	7
"Glenallen," Waikari	72	7
Gore Bay, Cheviot	139	7
Oxford	199	8
Amberley	159	7
Alford Forest	238	10
Mount Somers	204	14
Arthur's Pass	1984	16
Rhodes Convalescent Home, Cashmere Hills	6	3
Islington	32	3
Governor's Bay .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Otahuna, Tai Tapu	103	6
Little River	40	4
Puaha	79	5
Magnet Bay, Little River	81	2
Pigeon Bay .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Coalgate	171	8
Honorata	157	9
Darfield	111	6
Akaroa .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Mount Torlesse, Springfield	184	5
Methven	198	6
Rudstone, Methven	241	12
Lake Coleridge Homestead	114	1
Double Hill	468	6
Winchmore, Ashburton	126	8
Ashburton .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Roxburgh, Springburn	211	10
Staveley	296	10
Evanale, Mount Somers	209	14
Lynnford, Hinds	96	10
Peel Forest	318	14
"Rata View," Peel Forest	515	16
Kapunatiki, Rangitata	66	8
Cefn Orchard, Geraldine	188	13
Waitui, Geraldine	147	13
Orari Gorge	425	16
Orari Estate, Orari	106	14
Balmoral	166	4
Balmoral Plantation	93	11
Braemar	327	7
Horwell Downs, Fairlie	309	17
Lambrook, Fairlie	105	6
Mona Vale, Albury	230	13
Godley Peaks, Te Kapo, Mackenzie Country	186	5
Waratah, Albury	260	16
Kakahu Bush, Geraldine	138	13
"Te Wharua" Cave	176	12
Pleasant Point	104	10
Te Pah Farm, Seadown	84	12
Smithfield	132	9
Timaru Reservoir .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Bemore Station, Omarama	234	10
Otiake	153	11
Totara	90	9

New Zealand Rainfall for December, 1921—continued.

New Zealand Rainfall for December, 1921—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS—continued.		
Duntroon	90	8
Pukeuri, Oamaru	103	9
Oamaru	79	8
Steward Settlement, Oamaru	86	5
Trotter's Creek, Hillgrove	168	11
Kauroo Hill, Maheno	102	12
Bushey Park, Palmerston South	247	8
Burnside, Dunedin	294	12
Fish-hatchery, Portobello	282	14
Whare Flat	488	14
Mosgiel	258	10
Sawyer's Bay	357	16
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.		
Paerau	518	10
Great Moss Swamp, via Patearoa	257	13
Eweburn Nursery, Ranfurly	175	13
Waipiata	308	9
Naseby	188	6
Robertalea, Middlemarch	383	16
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell	126	5
Hawea Flat	358	8
Maungawera, Otago	337	9
Luggate, Cromwell	317	10
Manorburn Dam	248	11
Frankton	326	11
Queenstown	452	9
Moa Creek	198	12
St. Bathans	178	11
Blackatone Hill	260	6
Clyde	181	10
Earnsleugh	176	12
Teviot River .. .. .	..	..
Roxburgh .. .. .	..	..
Sunnyvale Orchard, Island Block .. .. .	..	..
Balolutha	304	13
Garston .. .. .	..	..
Fairlight Station, Nokomai .. .. .	..	..
Glenfalloch Station, Nokomai	308	9
Wendonside	462	16
Wendon	385	12
Lawrence .. .. .	..	..
Owaka	368	12
Tapanui Nursery	489	18
Edievale	443	14
Waikawa Valley	578	19
Tahakopa, Wharuarimu	588	22
Uplands, Waimahaka	606	21
Roslin Estate, Woodlands	550	18

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
SOUTH ISLAND—continued.		
(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT—continued.		
Dipton	445	11
Bluff .. .. .	..	..
Radio-Awarua	521	18
Nightcaps	635	16
Otautau	506	20
Creighton	668	13
Manapouri	589	12
Monowai (Sunnyside)	575	13
(I.) ISLANDS.		
Centre Island	697	15
Stewart Island	732	19
Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island	716	23
Niue Island .. .. .	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands	1710	20
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Mangaia, Cook Islands .. .. .	..	..
Chatham Island .. .. .	..	..
Vava'u .. .. .	..	..
LATE RETURNS.		
Wairua Falls, November, 1921	230	14
Rangitahi, November, 1921	430	12
Waiuku, June, 1921	495	21
„ July, 1921	348	20
„ August, 1921	297	14
„ September, 1921	117	6
„ October, 1921	707	20
„ November, 1921	415	17
Kawhia, July, 1921	714	17
Rawhitiroa, October, 1921	1126	16
„ November, 1921	434	11
Stratford, October, 1921	1458	21
Tahora, November, 1921	269	14
Timara Station, June, 1921	296	6
„ July, 1921	164	6
„ August, 1921	263	8
„ September, 1921	452	4
„ October, 1921	451	12
„ November, 1921	218	6
Puysegur Point, November, 1921	964	21
Magnet Bay, November, 1921	93	4
Darfield, April, 1921	250	8
„ May, 1921	173	7
Whare Flat, November, 1921	181	13
Mount Pisa, October, 1921	239	12
„ November, 1921	74	4

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

Mining Registrar's Office, Paeroa, 6th March, 1922.

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

C. W. CARVER, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
<i>Paeroa Registry.</i>				
4814	24/4/1902	Residence-site ..	Karangahake	Antonio Yealick.
7153	2/12/1910	„ ..	„	„
<i>Te Aroha Registry.</i>				
318	1/10/1901	Residence-site ..	Waiorongomai	Thomas Cecil Bell.

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	Lindross, Louisa ..	Sumner	Widow	24/1/22	10/3/22	Testate ..	Christchurch.
2	Linn or O'Lynn, Patrick ..	Waipahi	Labourer	26/8/16	10/3/22	Intestate	Dunedin.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 13th March, 1922.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Vital Statistics.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Fifteen Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of February, 1922:—

	Population, Census 1921.	Total Births registered February, 1922.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN FEBRUARY, 1922.							Total Deaths	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population. February, 1922.
				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	81,712	110	1.35	2	1	36	3	1	24	67	0.82	
Remainder of Urban Area ..	76,045	129	1.70	1	..	16	3	..	15	35	0.46	
Total for Auckland Urban Area	157,757	239	1.52	3	1	52	6	1	39	102	0.65	
Wellington City	88,920	191	2.15	5	2	32	3	1	26	69	0.78	
Remainder of Urban Area ..	18,568	22	1.18	..	1	2	..	..	1	4	0.22
Total for Wellington Urban Area	107,488	213	1.98	5	3	34	3	1	27	73	0.68	
Christchurch City	67,291	110	1.63	5	..	19	3	..	28	55	0.82	
Remainder of Urban Area ..	38,379	61	1.59	3	..	4	..	..	11	18	0.47
Total for Christchurch Urban Area	105,670	171	1.62	8	..	23	3	..	39	73	0.69	
Dunedin City	58,074	86	1.48	2	..	17	..	..	12	31	0.53
Remainder of Urban Area ..	14,181	30	2.16	..	..	3	..	..	3	6	0.42
Total for Dunedin Urban Area	72,255	116	1.61	2	..	20	..	..	15	37	0.51
Hamilton Borough	11,441	43	3.76	..	1	1	..	..	2	4	0.35
Remainder of Urban Area ..	2,357	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Hamilton Urban Area	13,798	43	3.11	..	1	1	..	..	2	4	0.29
Gisborne Borough	10,931	19	1.74	..	..	2	..	..	7	9	0.82
Remainder of Urban Area ..	3,519	4	1.14	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.28
Total for Gisborne Urban Area	14,450	23	1.59	..	..	2	..	..	8	10	0.69
Napier Borough	14,346	27	1.88	..	..	5	..	..	6	11	0.77
Remainder of Urban Area ..	2,841	4	1.41	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	1.06
Total for Napier Urban Area	17,187	31	1.80	1	..	6	..	..	7	14	0.81
Hastings Borough	9,115	25	2.74	..	..	..	1	..	2	3	0.33
Remainder of Urban Area ..	3,875	2	0.52	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	0.26
Total for Hastings Urban Area	12,990	27	2.08	..	1	..	1	..	2	4	0.31	
New Plymouth Borough ..	11,395	23	2.02	..	..	8	1	..	5	14	1.23
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,250	2	1.60	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.80
Total for New Plymouth Urban Area	12,645	25	1.98	..	..	8	1	..	6	15	1.19
Wanganui Borough	16,490	27	1.64	..	..	9	1	..	5	15	0.91
Remainder of Urban Area ..	7,033	9	1.28	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	0.43
Total for Wanganui Urban Area	23,523	36	1.53	..	..	10	1	..	7	18	0.77
Palmerston North Borough ..	15,649	31	1.98	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	0.13
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,286	3	2.43	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.81
Total for Palmerston North Urban Area	16,885	34	2.01	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	0.18
Nelson City	9,285	13	1.40	..	..	5	1	..	4	10	1.08
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,347	1	0.74	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.74
Total for Nelson Urban Area	10,632	14	1.32	..	..	6	1	..	4	11	1.03
Greymouth Borough	4,986	11	2.21	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	0.40
Remainder of Urban Area ..	3,380	9	2.66	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	0.59
Total for Grey Valley Boroughs Urban Area	8,366	20	2.39	1	1	1	..	..	1	4	0.48
Timaru Borough	14,058	26	1.85	1	..	3	..	1	5	10	0.71	
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,449	2	1.38	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.69
Total for Timaru Urban Area	15,507	28	1.81	1	..	3	..	1	6	11	0.71	
Invercargill Borough	15,203	38	2.50	1	..	7	..	..	4	12	0.79
Remainder of Urban Area ..	4,007	2	0.50	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	1.00
Total for Invercargill Urban Area	19,210	40	2.08	1	..	10	..	..	5	16	0.83
Grand totals	603,363	1,060	1.74	23	7	177	16	3	169	395	0.65	

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

	Death-rate per 1,000 of Population.	
Auckland City	0.82	
Auckland Urban Area	0.65	
Wellington City	0.78	
Wellington Urban Area	0.68	
Christchurch City	0.82	
Christchurch Urban Area	0.69	
Dunedin City	0.53	
Dunedin Urban Area	0.51	

Including the suburban portions, Christchurch is the highest and Dunedin the lowest. Compared with the corresponding month of the four preceding years, the results are—

	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.
Auckland Urban Area	0.64	0.64	0.73	0.75	0.65
Wellington Urban Area	0.83	0.92	0.68	0.86	0.68
Christchurch Urban Area	0.80	0.61	0.69	0.72	0.69
Dunedin Urban Area	0.74	0.74	0.87	0.57	0.51

The total births registered for the four principal urban areas amounted to 739, as against 818 in January—a decrease of 79. The deaths in February were 285—a decrease of 43 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 151, females 134. Thirty-six of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 12.46 per cent. of the whole number. Thirty of these were under one year of age.

The following table shows the deaths in various age-groups occurring in the fifteen urban areas during the month of February, 1922:—

Age-group.	URBAN AREAS.										Total.	
	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Others.		Males.	Females.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
Under 5 years ..	4	7	8	4	8	3	2	..	8	5	30	19
5 and under 10 years ..	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	4	2	8	4
10 " 15 " ..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	3	2
15 " 20 " ..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	2	3
20 " 25 " ..	1	2	1	2	1	1	..	1	1	2	4	8
25 " 30 " ..	1	1	2	3	1	1	..	1	4	2	8	8
30 " 35 " ..	5	3	3	1	..	1	1	..	..	3	9	8
35 " 40 " ..	2	2	2	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	6	4
40 " 45 " ..	3	4	4	3	1	..	3	..	3	1	14	8
45 " 50 " ..	3	6	..	1	2	1	2	1	1	..	8	9
50 " 55 " ..	7	..	3	1	3	3	2	3	4	5	19	12
55 " 60 " ..	2	1	4	2	..	6	..	1	1	3	7	13
60 " 65 " ..	5	3	3	3	3	2	1	1	4	6	16	15
65 years and over ..	21	15	7	10	11	20	10	6	24	24	73	75
Totals ..	56	46	42	31	31	42	22	15	56	54	207	188

The deaths of 148 persons of 65 years and upwards were registered for the fifteen urban areas during the month of February, 1922. The following table shows the classification:—

Age.	URBAN AREAS.										Total	
	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Others.		Males.	Females.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
65	2	1	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	4	4	6
66	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	2	1
67	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2
68	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	2	2
69	2	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	4	2
70	..	3	2	..	..	1	..	2	1	1	3	7
71	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	4	..
72	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	5
73	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	3
74	..	..	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	2	2	5
75	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3	1
76	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	4
77	1	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	2	1	3	4
78	1	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	3	..	6	1
79	2	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	1	2	4	4
80	..	1	..	1	1	..	3	..	1	..	5	2
81	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	1	3	3
82	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	2	2	..	3	5
83	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	2	2	5	4
84	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	4	3	6
85	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
86	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	3
87	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1
88	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	1
89	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
90	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	3	..
93	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
Total ..	21	15	7	10	11	20	10	6	24	24	73	75

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Fifteen Urban Areas, registered during February, 1922.

Causes of Death.	Auckland Urban Area.		Wellington Urban Area.		Christchurch Urban Area.		Dunedin Urban Area.		Others.		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>											
7. Scarlet Fever	1	1
9. Diphtheria	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases.</i>											
28. Pulmonary Tuberculosis	9	..	7	..	4	..	3	..	1	24
29. Acute Miliary Tuberculosis	1	..	1
32. Pott's Disease	1	1
34. Tuberculosis of Kidney	1	1
35. Disseminated Tuberculosis	1	1	..	..	..	1	3
39. Cancer of Buccal Cavity	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
40. " Stomach and Liver..	4	..	5	..	3	..	4	..	3	19
41. " Peritoneum, Intestines, Rectum	1	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	3	9
42. " Uterus	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	4
43. " Breast	2	..	..	..	1	3
44. " Skin	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	5
45. " Bone	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
45. " Larynx	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
45. " Lung	1	1
45. " Pancreas	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
45. " Thyroid	1	1
45. Disseminated Cancer	2	..	1	..	3	6
45. Cancer (undefined)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
46. Non-malignant Tumour	1	..	..	..	..	1
50. Diabetes	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	6
53. Leucæmia	1	..	1
54. Pernicious Anæmia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
55. Purpura Hæmorrhagica	1	1
Totals	22	2	17	..	19	1	12	2	25	100
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.											
60. Encephalitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
63. Myelitis	1	1
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	6	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	6	18
65. Softening of Brain	2	2
66. Hemiplegia	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
67. General Paralysis of Insane	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
68. Other Forms of Mental Alienation	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
69. Epilepsy	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
71. Convulsions (under 5 years)	1	..	1	..	..	..	2
76. Disease of the Ears	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	1	10	..	5	1	4	1	..	..	10	32
III.—DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.											
77. Pericarditis	1	..	..	..	..	1
78. Acute Endocarditis	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
79. Organic Diseases of the Heart	18	..	8	..	14	..	7	..	16	63
80. Angina Pectoris	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3	7
81. Arterio-sclerosis	3	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	7
82. Embolism and Thrombosis	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	3
Totals	25	..	12	..	17	..	8	..	22	84
IV.—DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.											
89. Acute Bronchitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
90. Chronic Bronchitis	1	..	1	..	3	..	4	..	1	10
91. Broncho-pneumonia	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4
92. Pneumonia	1	..	3	1	1	..	2	1	6	15
98. Other Diseases of Respiratory System	1	1
Totals	2	3	1	4	2	4	..	6	1	8	31

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Fifteen Urban Areas, registered during February, 1922—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland Urban Area.		Wellington Urban Area.		Christchurch Urban Area.		Dunedin Urban Area.		Others.		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.											
100. Septic Throat	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
102. Ulcer of Stomach	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
103. Gastritis	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	5
104. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (under 2 years)	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
105. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (2 years and over)	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	3
108. Appendicitis	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	5
109. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	1	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	6
111. Acute Yellow Atrophy of Liver	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
112. Hydatid Cist of Liver	1	1
113. Cirrhosis of Liver	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	3
114. Biliary Calculi	1	1
115. Cholecystitis	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
117. Peritonitis	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
118. Other Diseases of Digestive System	1	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	2	10	3	6	1	8	..	2	1	6	39
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.											
120. Bright's Disease	3	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	4	13
122. Other Diseases of Kidneys	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	4
124. Diseases of Bladder	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
126. Enlargement of Prostate	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
129. Cyst of Ovary	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	6	..	5	..	3	..	2	..	7	23
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.											
134. Miscarriage	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
135. Puerperal Hæmorrhage	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
137. Puerperal Septicæmia	2	..	..	..	..	2
138. Puerperal Albuminuria	1	1
Totals	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	5
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.											
142. Gangrene	1	1
144. Cellulitis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
IX.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND OF ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.											
146. Osteomyelitis	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
X.—MALFORMATIONS.											
150. Cleft Palate	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
150. Congenital Deformity of Throat	1	..	1
Totals	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.											
151. Congenital Debility, Icterus, &c.	1	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	7
151A. Premature Birth	3	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	10
152. Other Causes peculiar to Early Infancy	1	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	7
Totals	5	..	5	..	7	..	..	..	7	..	24
XII.—OLD AGE.											
154. Senility	4	..	2	..	4	..	4	..	7	21
XIII EXTERNAL CAUSES.											
155. Suicide by Poison	1	1
156. " Inhalation of Coal-gas	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
157. " Hanging	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
164. Ptomaine Poisoning	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
165. Poisoning (undefined)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
168. Heart-failure while under Anæsthetic	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
169. Accidental Drowning	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	3	7
172. Fall from Defective Scaffolding	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
175. Traumatism by Other Crushing	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	7
Totals	10	..	6	..	1	..	1	1	10	29
Grand totals	11	91	12	61	11	62	2	35	13	97	395

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

Office of the Mining Registrar, Reefton, 8th March, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that if within three months from the date hereof cause be not shown to the contrary, each of the mining privileges mentioned in the Schedule hereto will be struck off the Mining Registers kept by me, in pursuance of section 30 (3) of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914.

O. B. A. SHARPE, Acting Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
29	24/2/99	Residence-site	Soldier's Hill	Sidney T. Provis.
39	"	"	Slab Hut	J. H. T. Griggs.
220	1/6/99	"	Globe Hill	E. and J. Loughnan.
278	1/7/99	"	Snowy Creek	Mary Flynn.
421	19/9/99	"	Progress Junction	Fred. Gibson.
533	24/11/99	"	Manuka Flat	Samuel Shields.
545	8/12/99	"	Capleston	Jacob Wandt.
549	"	"	Cronadun	Robert Cairns.
559	12/1/00	"	Snowy Creek	James Wiseby.
589	9/2/00	"	"	William Lemon.
627	23/2/00	"	Manuka Flat	Robert Morrison.
685	11/4/00	"	Soldier's Flat	Wm. J. Sloane.
693	10/4/00	"	Merrijigs	Edward Paine.
761	11/5/00	"	Globe Road	L. P. Kinzett.
784	22/5/00	"	Progress Road	Robert Dempster.
829	15/6/00	"	Soldier's Creek	James Murray.
854	29/6/00	"	Golden Point	Michael Kearney.
862	13/7/00	"	Waitahu	H. S. Hindmarsh.
923	1/11/00	"	Progress Junction	George Williams.
1075	31/5/01	"	Crushington	Robert Craig.
1147	15/11/01	"	Progress Junction	John McLaren.
1154	13/12/01	"	Crushington	Oscar Brundall.
1158	"	"	Progress Road	John Harold.
1185	14/2/02	"	Naylor's Creek	W. Seymour.
1193	28/2/02	"	Antonio's Flat	James Hannagan.
1269	12/9/02	"	Chinamen's Creek	Wm. J. G. Cochrane
1310	13/2/03	"	Soldier's Flat	G. S. Loughnan.
1312	"	"	Progress Road	Edward Rigg.
1321	27/2/03	"	Blackwater	Marco Rossi.
1332	13/3/03	"	Progress Junction	R. E. Bellamy.
1360	26/6/03	"	"	T. H. Chisholm.
1420	15/1/04	"	"	Henry Charlton.
1449	15/4/04	"	Soldiers	Grace E. Olsen.
1451	"	"	Crushington	Alexander Watson.
1543	16/12/04	"	Black's Point	John Whitburn.
1552	17/2/05	"	Golden Point	C. D. Burdet.
1569	7/4/05	"	Progress Junction	D. Chisholm.
1579	"	"	Progress Road	Thomas Eddy.
1600	23/6/05	"	Lankey's Creek	Michael Healy.
1610	21/7/05	"	Progress Road	Thomas Eddy.
1647	27/10/05	"	Progress Junction	James Cochrane.
1694	16/3/06	"	Blackwater Creek	Richard Ronchi.
1696	"	"	Progress Junction	Wm. O'Gorman.
1723	18/5/06	"	Cronadun	A. E. Agent.
1745	6/7/06	"	Blackwater	Loo Ching.
1746	"	"	"	Charles Murray.
1752	27/7/06	"	"	Thomas Rea.
1758	"	"	"	Wm. Eddy and Minnie Harold.
1766	17/8/06	"	Capleston	William Hubbeck.
1779	14/9/06	"	Blackwater	Charles Lloyd.
1782	"	"	"	Edward Tobin.
1809	12/10/06	"	Progress Junction	Richard Sewell.
1813	"	"	Blackwater	E. J. Craighead.
1815	"	"	"	Edward Beale.
1816	"	"	"	William Ross.
1826	26/10/06	"	"	Sidney James Kirby.
1829	"	"	"	Désiré Gallais.
1835	"	"	Cronadun	John Leslie O'Donnell.
1846	16/11/06	"	Blackwater	Jas. Hannah.
1893	1/2/07	"	"	J. M. Hannah.
1903	15/2/07	"	Near Globe Road	Isaac Patterson.
1910	1/3/07	"	Blackwater	Wm. F. McArthur.
1932	3/5/07	"	Globe Road	Patrick Costello.
1936	"	"	Blackwater	Joseph Connelly.
1955	28/6/07	"	"	Alexander Gamble.
1969	26/7/07	"	Waituta	Arthur Gregory.
1970	"	"	Blackwater	Lucy Olive Moore.
1971	"	"	Golden Point	William Bowfield.
2037	13/12/07	"	Cousin Jack Town	Nicholas Blanchfield.
2058	24/1/08	"	Blackwater	Wm. D. Campbell.
2078	20/3/08	"	Waituta	Frederick King.
2137	13/8/08	"	"	Francis Woodhouse.
2155	27/8/08	"	"	John Collins.
2156	"	"	"	James Peterson.
2164	10/9/08	"	Near Golden Point	Frank Kearns.
2175	24/9/08	"	Blackwater Road	C. D. Braidwood.
2191	23/10/08	"	Waituta	Jessie Whitehead.
2192	"	"	"	Alfred Duncan.
2196	"	"	"	"
2216	"	"	Near Golden Point	Eliza Ann Kearns.
2233	14/1/09	"	Waituta	Chas. Truesdale.
2236	25/2/09	"	Slab Hut Creek	Stephen N. Wise.
2235	"	"	Crushington	Emma Pascoe.

Appointment, Promotions, Transfers, &c., in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 20th February, 1922.

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 appointment to, promotions, transfers, &c., in the Public Service.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENT.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
STATE FORESTRY DEPARTMENT.			
Bedford, Francis Hardy	Forest Ranger, "B" Class	Nelson	7 June, 1921.

OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Vine, Walter Frederick Charles ..	Architectural Cadet	Head Office, Wellington ..	Architectural Draughtsman ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	1 Nov., 1921.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Cullen, Thomas Laurence	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	Clerk	Live-stock Division, Wellington	2 Feb., 1922.
Deem, John Watt	Fields Instructor and Supervisor of subsidized Demonstration Farms	Wanganui	Fields Instructor and Supervisor of subsidized Demonstration Farms	Moumahaki	1 " "
Steel, Robert Drane	Clerk	Ruakura Farm of Instruction	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	24 Jan., "
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Blackie, Helen Wingate	Instructress and Teacher of Physical Training	Wanganui	Instructress and Teacher of Physical Training	Auckland	1 Feb., 1922.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.					
Hughes, Thomas John Fulcher ..	Medical Officer of Health ..	Auckland	Medical Officer of Health ..	Wellington	1 Feb., 1922.
Macmillan, Colin Edward	Clerk	Christchurch	Clerk (temporarily)	Head Office, Wellington ..	26 Jan., "
Rubenstein, Annie	Shorthand-typist	Wellington	Shorthand-typist	Rotorua	30 " "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Morgan, Richard James	Cadet	Census and Statistics Office, Wellington	Cadet	Registrar-General's Office, Wellington	20 Jan., 1922.
Selman, Ewart Alexander	Clerk	Registrar-General's Office, Wellington	Clerk	Census and Statistics Office, Wellington	4 " "

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED—*continued.*

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
Lonie, Christina Andraise	Shorthand-typist	Dunedin	Shorthand-typist	North Auckland	27 Jan., 1922.
MARINE AND INSPECTION OF MACHINERY DEPARTMENT.					
Bryers, Victor	Boatman and Launch-driver	Hokianga	Boatman and Launch-driver	Te Kopuru	18 Jan., 1922.
Burgess, John Wood	Commander	Training-ship "Amokura," Wel- lington	Assistant Superintendent of Mercan- tile Marine	Wellington	19 " "
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.					
Dunlop, David	Chief Warder	Invercargill	Chief Warder	Auckland	1 Feb., 1922.
Lobban, Peter	Warder	Waikeria	Warder	Wellington	16 Jan., "
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Crosbie, Gladys Cecelia Meredith ..	Shorthand-typist in Charge ..	Christchurch	Shorthand-typist	Christchurch	24 Jan., 1922.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Dolan, Patrick Joseph	Acting-Overseer	Ida Valley	Ganger	Beaumont	12 Jan., 1922.
Gayford, Harry Clark	Inspector of Works	Otira	Inspector of Works	Mangahao	7 Feb., "
Gilbertson, John Leonard	Clerical Cadet	Invercargill	Clerical Cadet	Napier	2 " "
Murray, George Hamilton	Draughtsman	Tauranga	Draughtsman	"	27 Jan., "
O'Connell, George Walter	Overseer	Huntly	Overseer	Kaikohe	25 " "
Parcell, Nester David	Storekeeper's Assistant	Hamilton	Storekeeper's Assistant	Tauranga	1 Feb., "
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.					
Bayfield, Lionel John	Tourist Agent	Hanmer Springs	Clerk	Wellington	3 Feb., 1922.
Rennell, Edith	Matron	"	Matron	Rotorua	27 Jan., "
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.					
Andrews, Charles de Rant	Principal Clerk	Auckland	Clerk-in-Charge	Invercargill	23 Jan., 1922.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.					
*Bates, Franklyn	Clerical Cadet	Land and Deeds Department, Auckland	Draughting Cadet	Lands and Survey Department, Auckland	16 Jan., 1922.
Bowker, Alice Elizabeth	Shorthand-typist	Defence Department, Palmerston North	Shorthand-typist	Public Trust Department, Palmerston North	2 Feb., "
Campbell, Archibald Hugh	Messenger	Internal Affairs Department, Auckland	Laboratory Assistant	Health Department, Auckland	14 Jan., "
Duncan, Mary Clementine	Shorthand-typist	Relieving Staff, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	Shorthand-typist	Labour Department, Wellington	1 Feb., "
Porter, Ruby	Shorthand Reporter	Public Service Commissioner's Office, Wellington	Shorthand Reporter	External Affairs Department, Wellington	13 " "
Shanks, James Steuart	Clerk	Stamp Duties Department, Hokitika	Clerk	Land and Deeds Department, Nelson	4 " "
Turner, John Stephen	"	Land and Deeds Department, Nelson	"	Stamp Duties Department, Hokitika	4 " "

* Amending on page 2941 of *New Zealand Gazette* No. 103, of the 15th December, 1921.

RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.
AUDIT DEPARTMENT.			
Cairns, Albert Andrew	Examiner	Auckland	21 Jan., 1922.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.			
Christie, Margaret Jane Anita ..	Typist	Head Office, Wellington ..	31 Jan., 1922.
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Moore, Muriel Atmore	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	31 Jan., 1922.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Izett, Ivy Inez	Shorthand-typist	Wellington	6 Jan., 1922.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Bryant, David Lewis	Cadet	Dominion Laboratory, Wel- lington	3 Feb., 1922.
Martin, Eric John	Junior Messenger	Wellington	24 Jan., "
Sowry, Roy Albert	Cadet	Census and Statistics Office, Wellington	4 Feb., "
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.			
Smith, Barbara Adelaide	Shorthand-typist	Christchurch	1 Jan., 1922.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Crocome, Eleanor Allen	Shorthand-typist	Head Office, Wellington ..	12 Feb., 1922.
Lambert, Allison John	Draughting Cadet	District Office, Wellington	4 " "
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Boland, Elizabeth	Nurse	Porirua	20 Dec., 1921.
King, Charles Dunford	Attendant	Hokitika	5 Feb., 1922.
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.			
McColl, Frances Josephine	Folder, &c.	Wellington	31 Jan., 1922.
McDonnell, Gertrude Jane	Litho-machine Feeder	"	24 " "
Robinson, Maud Constance	Folder, &c.	"	5 Feb., "
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Rose, William Erle	Cadet	Napier	31 Jan., 1922.
Young, Olive Irene	Shorthand-typist	Christchurch	23 " "
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Stace, William Roy Franklin ..	Clerical Cadet	Napier	12 Jan., 1922.
STATE FIRE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Carter, Claude Thomas John ..	Cadet	Palmerston North	10 Feb., 1922.
STATE FOREST DEPARTMENT.			
Hickey, Harold Charles Huia ..	Clerical Cadet	Whakarewarewa	31 Jan., 1922.
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.			
Salt, Richard Neil	Cadet	Christchurch	13 Jan., 1922.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.				
Fitzgibbon, James	Hemp-grader	Wellington	11 Feb., 1922	¶
Sands, George Albert Ed- ward	Inspector of Stock	Lumsden	21 Dec., 1921	Deceased.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.				
Owen, Sidney Charles	Inspector of Schools	Christchurch	17 Jan., 1922	Deceased.
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.				
Muter, Percy	Actuary and Deputy Com- missioner	Wellington	31 Jan., 1922	Retired on super- annuation.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.				
Daly, Martin	Messenger	Wellington	15 Feb., 1922	Retired on super- annuation.
Morgan, Thomas Henry	Officer - in - Charge, Govern- ment Buildings and In- spector of General Mes- senger Services	"	15 " "	Ditto.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.				
Dowell, Bartholomew	Bailiff and Messenger	Hokitika	11 Feb., 1922	¶
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.				
McIntyre, Gordon Cecil	Clerk	Dunedin	14 Feb., 1922	¶
Rogers, Inis George	Cadet	Auckland	31 Jan., "	Services terminated.
Ross, Cleveland Condell	Clerk	Wellington	21 Dec., 1921	¶
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Quigley, Nicholas	Attendant	Tokanui	28 Jan., 1922	Services terminated.

¶ Services terminated under sections 12 and 51 of the Public Service Act, 1912.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.—*continued.*

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.				
Lankshear, John Henry ..	Bookbinder	Wellington	31 Jan., 1922	Retired on super-annuation.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.				
Budge, Albert William Mark	Warder Instructor ..	Paparuā	31 Jan., 1922	Retired on super-annuation.
McLean, Archibald ..	Institutional Instructor and Probation Officer	Invercargill	31	Appointment annulled.
Miller, Robert Leith Paton	Probationary Warder ..	Auckland	22	Deceased.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.				
Hackett, Michael ..	Cadet	Waipukurau	8 Feb., 1922	¶
Lawson, Douglas Charles	Clerk	Christchurch	7	¶
Standeven, George Joseph	"	"	7	¶
Wilkinson, Francis John ..	Junior Estates Administration Clerk	Gisborne	7	¶
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Chesterfield, Jesse Theodore	Clerical Cadet	Hamilton	31 Jan., 1922	¶
Dalglish, Alexander Edwin	Clerk	Huarau	31	¶
Johnston, William ..	"	Tauranga	31	Retired on super-annuation.
Paterson, John	Ganger	Napier	31	Ditto.
Rennick, Thelma Rachel ..	Clerk	Auckland	31	¶
Youngman, James Reeve	Foreman Carpenter and Joiner	Tauranga	31	Retired on super-annuation.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.				
Greney, Timothy ..	Gardener	Queenstown	17 Jan., 1922	Dismissed.
McAllister, Alexander Stewart	Bath-attendant	Te Aroha	14 Feb., ..	Retired on super-annuation.

¶ Services terminated under sections 12 and 51 of the Public Service Act, 1912.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, Part II, Unclaimed Lands.

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have, for the purposes of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the whereabouts of the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of that Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained the whereabouts of the owner, and believe that such owner or an agent of such owner is not in the Dominion, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £100.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of March, 1922.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece or parcel of land in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing by admeasurement 40 acres, more or less, being the north-western portion of Allotment 81, Parish of Mangapai. Bounded on the north-east by Allotment 82 of the said parish, 1240.2 links; on the south-east by other part of the said Allotment 81, 3284.5 links; on the south-west by a road, 497 links, 418 links, and 387.5 links; and on the north-west by Allotment 80 of the said parish, 3065.5 links.

Notice by the Public Trustee in pursuance of Section 89 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908.

WHEREAS it has been reported to the Public Trustee that Nicholas Skeebnevsky, formerly of Kawakawa, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Dominion of New Zealand, Settler, is the owner of certain real and personal property in New Zealand: And whereas from inquiries made it has been ascertained that the said Nicholas Skeebnevsky left New Zealand about June, 1912, for Russia without appointing any agent with authority to take possession of and administer his property: And whereas the present whereabouts of the said Nicholas Skeebnevsky are unknown, and it is not known whether he is alive or dead: And whereas the Public Trustee applied to a Judge of the Supreme Court for an order under section 87 of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, as amended by section 36 of the Public Trust Office Amendment Act, 1913; and by an order made in the Supreme Court at Wellington on the 16th day of December,

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1921, in pursuance of such application, the Public Trustee was authorized to exercise the several powers contained or set forth in such order: And whereas the estate of the said Nicholas Skeebnevsky is situate in the Provincial District of Auckland:

Now, the Public Trustee hereby gives notice that he proposes to exercise in respect of such property the powers conferred upon him as above.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of March, 1922.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 14 of 1922.

COOK STRAIT.—OKE ROCK BUOY.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th March, 1922.

MARINERS are hereby notified that the beacon which formerly existed on Oke Rock at the entrance to Pelorus Sound has been destroyed, and that Oke Rock is now marked by a red-painted iron-pillar buoy.

The buoy, which is moored in 13 fathoms of water, is situated 094.5° distant 300 ft. from Oke Rock, and should be left on the starboard hand when entering Pelorus Sound.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Charts Nos. 2684, 2685, 2054, 2616, and 3629; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, pages 304 and 305.

B. W. MILLIER, Assistant Secretary.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 15 of 1922.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—DREDGING IN PROGRESS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 14th March, 1922.

THE Auckland Harbour Board notifies that dredges are now working in the following localities in Auckland Harbour:—

Dredger No. 121 is employed 250 ft. (approx.) east of the inner berth on the eastern side of King's Wharf.

Dredger "Hapai," which is working to the southward, is employed 500 ft. (approx.) north of the north-east corner of Central Wharf.

Both dredgers have six moorings laid out cardinally, and will exhibit on the channel side in each case between sunrise and sunset one black spherical shape, and between sunset and sunrise one red light visible for a distance of at least one mile.

Charts, &c., affected.—Admiralty Chart No. 1970; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, page 190; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1922, page 196, and plan facing page 200.

B. W. MILLIER, Assistant Secretary.

Native Land Court and Maori Land Board Fixtures.

Native Department,
Wellington, 14th March, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that ordinary sittings of the Native Land Court and meetings of the District Maori Land Boards will be held during the year, commencing 1st April, 1922, at the times and places hereinafter mentioned.

R. N. JONES, Under-Secretary.

1. TOKERAU DISTRICT, NORTH AUCKLAND.

Court Sittings (1922-23).

*Kohukohu	Wednesday, 26th April, 1922.
†Kaikohe	Wednesday, 24th May, 1922.
Whangarei	Tuesday, 20th June, 1922.
Russell	Wednesday, 19th July, 1922.
*Kohukohu	Wednesday, 2nd August, 1922.
Auckland	Monday, 28th August, 1922.
†Kaikohe	Wednesday, 27th September, 1922.
Kaero	Friday, 13th October, 1922.
†Rawene	Wednesday, 1st November, 1922.
Whangarei	Thursday, 23rd November, 1922.
Kaikohe	Monday, 4th December, 1922.
Auckland	Monday, 11th December, 1922.
Russell	Wednesday, 17th January, 1923.
‡Ahipara	Friday, 16th February, 1923.
Kaero	Friday, 9th March, 1923.
Auckland	Monday, 26th March, 1923.

* Adjourning subsequently to Rawene and Opononi.
† Adjourning, if necessary, to Ohaeawahi.
‡ Adjourning, if necessary, to Opononi.
§ Adjourning subsequently to Mangonui.

Board Meetings (1922-23).

Rawene	5 May, 1922.	Panui closes. 27 Mar., 1922.
Kaikohe	1 June, 1922.	22 April, 1922.
Whangarei	29 June, 1922.	16 May, 1922.
Auckland	10 July, 1922.	3 June, 1922.
Rawene	11 Aug., 1922.	1 July, 1922.
Auckland	4 Sept., 1922.	27 July, 1922.
Kaikohe	6 Oct., 1922.	30 Aug., 1922.
Whangarei	30 Nov., 1922.	19 Oct., 1922.
Auckland	11 Jan., 1923.	1 Dec., 1922.
Auckland	22 Mar., 1923.	8 Feb., 1923.

2. WAIKATO-MANIAPOTO DISTRICT, SOUTH AUCKLAND.

Court Sittings (1922-23).

Kawhia	Tuesday, 4th April, 1922.
Ngaruawahia	Tuesday, 9th May, 1922.
Te Kuiti	Tuesday, 23rd May, 1922.
Thames	Tuesday, 27th June, 1922.
Auckland	Tuesday, 1st August, 1922.
Ngaruawahia	Tuesday, 22nd August, 1922.
Te Kuiti	Tuesday, 19th September, 1922.
Thames	Tuesday, 24th October, 1922.
Auckland	Tuesday, 21st November, 1922.
Ngaruawahia	Tuesday, 5th December, 1922.
Te Kuiti	Tuesday, 16th January, 1923.
Thames	Tuesday, 20th February, 1923.
Auckland	Tuesday, 27th March, 1923.

Board Meetings (1922-23).

Te Kuiti	19 June, 1922.	Panui closes. 18 May, 1922.
Thames	25 July, 1922.	22 June, 1922.
Auckland	15 Aug., 1922.	13 July, 1922.
Te Kuiti	16 Oct., 1922.	14 Sept., 1922.
Thames	14 Nov., 1922.	12 Oct., 1922.
Auckland	28 Nov., 1922.	26 Oct., 1922.
Te Kuiti	12 Feb., 1923.	11 Jan., 1923.
Thames	20 Mar., 1923.	15 Feb., 1923.

3. WAIARIKI DISTRICT, ROTORUA.

Court Sittings (1922-23).

Whakatane	Wednesday, 5th April, 1922.
Rotorua	Tuesday, 9th May, 1922.
*Opotiki and Te Kahu	Wednesday, 14th June, 1922.
Rotorua	Thursday, 27th July, 1922.
Tauranga	Thursday, 31st August, 1922.
Te Puke	Thursday, 14th September, 1922.
Whakatane	Wednesday, 11th October, 1922.
Rotorua	Wednesday, 15th November, 1922.
Taupo	Wednesday, 17th January, 1923.
Tauranga	Thursday, 22nd February, 1923.
Te Puke	Thursday, 8th March, 1923.

* The Court will sit first at Opotiki and on completion of the business there will adjourn to Te Kaha.

Board Meetings (1922-23).

Rotorua	1 May, 1922.	Panui closes. 4 April, 1922.
Rotorua	19 July, 1922.	24 June, 1922.
Rotorua	28 Sept., 1922.	2 Sept., 1922.
Rotorua	7 Nov., 1922.	12 Oct., 1922.
Rotorua	14 Feb., 1923.	17 Jan., 1923.
Rotorua	22 Mar., 1923.	22 Feb., 1923.

4. TAIRAWHITI DISTRICT, GISBORNE.

Court Sittings (1922-23) and Board Meetings (1922-23).

Ruatorea	Wednesday, 5th April, 1922.
* Gisborne	Monday, 15th May, 1922.
Tikitiki	Wednesday, 31st May, 1922.
* Gisborne	Monday, 17th July, 1922.
* Wairoa	Tuesday, 1st August, 1922.
Nuhaka	Tuesday, 29th August, 1922.
* Gisborne	Wednesday, 6th September, 1922.
Ruatorea	Wednesday, 20th September, 1922.
* Tokomaru Bay	Wednesday, 4th October, 1922.
Tolaga Bay	Wednesday, 11th October, 1922.
* Gisborne	Monday, 16th October, 1922.
Te Araroa	Wednesday, 1st November, 1922.
Tikitiki	Wednesday, 15th November, 1922.
* Gisborne	Wednesday, 13th December, 1922.
* Wairoa	Friday, 19th January, 1923.
Nuhaka	Tuesday, 20th February, 1923.
* Gisborne	Wednesday, 28th February, 1923.
Tikitiki	Thursday, 15th March, 1923.

* Board also meets, but at these places only.

5. AOTEA DISTRICT, WANGANUI.

Court Sittings and Board Meetings (1922-23).

* Wanganui	Friday, 28th April, 1922.
New Plymouth	Tuesday, 16th May, 1922.
* Wanganui	Tuesday, 6th June, 1922.
Hawera	Tuesday, 20th June, 1922.
† Marton	Tuesday, 18th July, 1922.
* Wanganui	Tuesday, 1st August, 1922.
New Plymouth	Tuesday, 22nd August, 1922.
* Wanganui	Tuesday, 12th September, 1922.
Hawera	Tuesday, 26th September, 1922.
* Wanganui	Tuesday, 17th October, 1922.
Tokaanu	Wednesday, 1st November, 1922.
* Wanganui	Tuesday, 5th December, 1922.
Kakahi	Tuesday, 16th January, 1923.
* Wanganui	Tuesday, 30th January, 1923.
Tokaanu	Wednesday, 14th February, 1923.

* Board also meets, but at Wanganui only.

† Adjourning to Taihape.

6. IKAROA DISTRICT, WELLINGTON.

Court Sittings (1922-23).

Masterton	Tuesday, 4th April, 1922.
Hastings	Thursday, 27th April, 1922.
Levin	Tuesday, 16th May, 1922.
Wellington	Tuesday, 18th July, 1922.
Greytown	Tuesday, 1st August, 1922.
Hastings	Tuesday, 15th August, 1922.
Levin	Tuesday, 5th September, 1922.
Wellington	Tuesday, 19th September, 1922.
Hastings	Tuesday, 17th October, 1922.
Wellington	Tuesday, 7th November, 1922.
Wellington	Tuesday, 16th January, 1923.
Greytown	Tuesday, 30th January, 1923.
Hastings	Tuesday, 6th February, 1923.
Levin	Tuesday, 27th February, 1923.
Wellington	Tuesday, 13th March, 1923.

Board Meetings (1922-23).

Masterton	6 April, 1922.	Panui closes. 18 Mar., 1922.
Hastings	1 May, 1922.	10 April, 1922.
Levin	18 May, 1922.	29 April, 1922.
Wellington	20 July, 1922.	1 July, 1922.
Greytown	3 Aug., 1922.	15 July, 1922.
Hastings	17 Aug., 1922.	29 July, 1922.
Levin	7 Sept., 1922.	19 Aug., 1922.
Wellington	21 Sept., 1922.	2 Sept., 1922.
Hastings	19 Oct., 1922.	30 Sept., 1922.
Wellington	9 Nov., 1922.	21 Oct., 1922.
Wellington	18 Jan., 1923.	16 Dec., 1922.
Greytown	1 Feb., 1923.	13 Jan., 1923.
Hastings	8 Feb., 1923.	20 Jan., 1923.
Levin	1 Mar., 1923.	10 Feb., 1923.
Wellington	15 Mar., 1923.	24 Feb., 1923.

7. SOUTH ISLAND DISTRICT, WELLINGTON.

Court Sittings (1922-23).

Kaiapoi	Tuesday, 30th May, 1922.
Temuka	Tuesday, 13th June, 1922.
Dunedin	Tuesday, 20th June, 1922.
Invercargill	Tuesday, 27th June, 1922.
Pictou	Tuesday, 10th October, 1922.
Kaiapoi	Tuesday, 14th November, 1922.
Temuka	Tuesday, 28th November, 1922.
Puketeraki	Tuesday, 5th December, 1922.
Invercargill	Tuesday, 12th December, 1922.

Board Meetings (1922-23).

Pictou	30 Mar., 1922.	Panui closes. 11 Mar., 1922.
Kaiapoi	1 June, 1922.	13 May, 1922.
Temuka	15 June, 1922.	27 May, 1922.
Dunedin	22 June, 1922.	3 June, 1922.
Invercargill	29 June, 1922.	10 June, 1922.
Pictou	12 Oct., 1922.	23 Sept., 1922.
Kaiapoi	16 Nov., 1922.	28 Oct., 1922.
Temuka	30 Nov., 1922.	11 Nov., 1922.
Puketeraki	7 Dec., 1922.	18 Nov., 1922.
Invercargill	14 Dec., 1922.	25 Nov., 1922.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands for Sale by Public Auction.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 13th March, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash or on deferred payments, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 11th day of April, 1922, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Kaitieke County.—Hunua Survey District.

SECTION 80, Block VI: Area, 2 acres 2 roods 7 perches; upset price, £75.

Weighted with £627 10s., valuation for improvements made up as follows: Dwelling of five rooms, bath, scullery, washhouse (two rooms), fencing, felling, and grassing. Improvements to be paid for in cash on fall of hammer.

Situated in the Town of Kakahi. Access is from Kakahi Railway-station, which is about thirty chains distant by formed dray-road. Undulating land, of poor quality. Elevation, 900 ft.

Section 20, Block V: Area, 93 acres 1 rood; upset price, £235.

Section 23, Block V: Area, 44 acres 3 roods 33.8 perches; upset price, £115.

Section 20 is situated near the headwaters of the Makokomiko Stream, about three miles and a half from Piriaka Railway-station. Access is by metalled dray-road. All in small manuka. 43 acres flat to undulating, balance easy hills. Elevation, 800 ft. to 900 ft.

Section 23 is situated on each side of Makokomiko Stream. Access is from the Piriaka Railway-station, which is about three miles distant by metalled dray-road. Practically all undulating, all in manuka, 2 acres swampy in stunted flax. Elevation, 750 ft. to 800 ft.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser may pay for the land in cash or by deferred payments extending over a period of nineteen years. The terms are—

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

(2.) *Deferred Payments.*—5 per cent. of the purchase-money and license fee (£1 1s.) on the fall of hammer; balance by equal annual instalments extending over nineteen years, interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount.

In either case, if the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount already paid shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908. Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

G. H. M. McCLURE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 13th March, 1922.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash or on deferred payment, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, the 20th day of April, 1922, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.—RURAL LAND.

SECTION 31, Block IX, Toetoes Survey District: Area, 83 acres 3 roods 5 perches; upset price, £105.

Worked-out sawmill bush; well watered, fair soil, land very broken. Suitable for grazing when cleared and sown. Fifty chains from Pukewao Railway-siding by uncleared road, or four miles and a half of good gravel road and half a mile of unformed road to Tokonui Railway-station.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser may pay for the land in cash or by deferred payments extending over a period of nineteen years. The terms are—

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

(2.) *Deferred Payments.*—5 per cent. of the purchase-money and license fee (£1 1s.) on the fall of the hammer; balance by equal annual instalments extending over nineteen years, with interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount.

In either case, if the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount already paid shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

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

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

THOS. BROOK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HENRY BROOKS, of Auckland, Accountant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 17th day of March, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock.

3rd March, 1922. W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY ANDREW WALKER, of Auckland, Wood-carver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock.

3rd March, 1922. W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE HENRY BRUCE ROGERS, of Te Kuiti, Printer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Te Kuiti, on Thursday, the 16th day of March, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

7th March, 1922. W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS HENRY HARVEY, of Te Awamutu, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Te Awamutu, on Monday, the 20th day of March, 1922, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

9th March, 1922. V. H. SANSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR JAMES WITHERS, of Walton, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

13th March, 1922. W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ARCHIBALD WHITE, of Riverlea, Share Milker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 23rd day of March, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock.

11th March, 1922. J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD LYDFORD, of Napier, Fruiterer and Confectioner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 16th day of March, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

6th March, 1922. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LIONEL ROY CALVERT, of Hastings, Optician, 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 March, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

8th March, 1922. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM MURRAY, of Wanstead, Farm-manager, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 22nd day of March, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

10th March, 1922. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALEXANDER ROWAN, of Wanganui, Motor-car Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock a.m.

4th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MONTAGUE WILLIAM FRANCIS GUY BEAUCHAMP, of Wanganui, Motor-car Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

4th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS CROCKER, of Wanganui, Motor-car Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of

creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock a.m.

4th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK HAWKINS, of Wanganui, Motor-car Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock a.m.

4th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT GILLIES EDWARDS, of Wanganui, Motor-car Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock a.m.

4th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that REUBEN LAZARUS, of Wanganui, Motor-car Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock a.m.

4th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES GARFIELD HENDERSON, of Bull's, Motor-car Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 10 o'clock a.m.

4th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN GEORGE BLACKWELL, of Marton, Taxi-proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Marton, on Thursday, the 16th day of March, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

10th March, 1922. E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand.—Wanganui District.

In the matter of the Administration Act, 1908, and the amendments thereof; and in the matter of the estate of HERBERT VERNON HAMMOND, late of Wanganui, in the Provincial District of Wellington, in New Zealand, Farmer, deceased.

I HEREBY give notice that by an order of the Supreme Court, Wanganui, dated Friday, the 10th day of March, 1922, I was appointed administrator of the estate of the above-named HERBERT VERNON HAMMOND (deceased); and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be held at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Friday, the 24th March, 1922, at 10.30 a.m.

It is requested that all claims against the above estate, supported by proof of debt in the prescribed form, be rendered forthwith.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee, Administrator.
Wanganui, 14th March, 1922.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER ADRIAN LANGLEY, of Tokomaru, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 15th day of March, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
4th March, 1922. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JEREMIAH O'KEEFE, of Martinborough, Farmer, 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 March, 1922, at 12 o'clock.

ARTHUR D. LOW,
11th March, 1922. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM STEPHEN JENKINS, formerly of Palmerston North but now of 71 Bridge Street, Kilbirnie, Wellington, Furniture Dealer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden in the Board Room, Dominion Farmers' Institute, on Monday, the 20th day of March, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

S. TANSLEY,
8th March, 1922. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT THOMAS GRAHAM, of 9A Courtenay Place, Wellington, Motor Trimmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Board Room, Dominion Farmers' Institute, on Friday, the 24th day of March, 1922, at 11 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
13th March, 1922. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER SEYMOUR MACDONALD, of Nelson, Second-hand Dealer, 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 March, 1922, at 3.30 o'clock.

W. ROUT,
13th March, 1922. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES HINCHEY, of Christchurch, Milkman, 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 March, 1922, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. W. WATTERS,
13th March, 1922. Acting Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH ANNING KIRBY, of Wyndham, Baker and Confectioner, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Wyndham, on Monday, the 13th day of March, 1922, at 3 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
6th March, 1922. Deputy Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 17th day of April, 1922.

6547. R. HANNAH AND COMPANY (LIMITED).—Lot 1, Section 4, part of Allotments 8 and 9, Section 7, suburbs of Auckland, fronting Karangahape Road. Occupied by applicant. Plan 13530.

6699. BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.—Allotment 34, Block XV, Township of Grahamstown, fronting Brown Street. Unoccupied. Plan 15729.

6705. ERNEST NAPIER MILLER.—Allotment 35, Blocks XIV and XV, Township of Grahamstown, fronting Davy Street. Unoccupied. Plan 15729.

6764. IVAN GLADSTONE WILSON.—Parts of Allotments 9 and 10, Parish of Matakana. Occupied by applicant. Plan 14134.

6821. THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—Allotment 17, Parish of Karioi. Occupied by William Tucker. Plan 15423.

6850. GEORGE HENNING.—Part of Allotments 31 and 32, Section 14, Suburbs of Auckland, fronting Remuera Road. Occupied by applicant. Plan No. 15617.

6894. THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—Section 268, Town of Hamilton East. Occupied by Michael Devitt. Plan No. 15410.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 13th day of March, 1922, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

LEASE No. 4668, of Lots 14, 14A, and 15A on deposited plan No. 4691, being part of Allotment 31 of Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, MARGARET NORTHCROFT to ROGER BENNETT STANLEY SMITH, of Auckland, Medical Practitioner:

The lessor having re-entered and recovered possession of the above land for non-payment of rents, it is my intention to notify such re-entry upon the Register-book at the expiration of one month from the 16th day of March, 1922.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Auckland this 13th day of March, 1922.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 63, folio 176, for the Otawhao A No. 3 Sec. 28 Block, whereof WIKI ANARU TUHUA is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title after the 31st day of March, 1922.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Napier this 13th day of March, 1922.

W. JONHSTON, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by HORACE WILLIAM CHARLES CUNDY, of Featherston, Farmer, as lessor under Memorandum of Lease No. 13364, affecting Lot 1, deposited plan 3349, part Section 9A, Ngakaroro No. 1A, Kaitawa Survey District, being all the land in Lease 1076, of which HENRY SAMES and HENRY SAMES, THE YOUNGER, both of Otaki, Farmers, are the registered lessees, I hereby give notice that I will register the re-entry, as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 15th day of March, 1922, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

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.

4851 (deposited plan 5514). ESTHER SAUNDERS.—39.7 perches, part Section 60, Town of Foxton. Occupied by Henry Berry.

4988 (deposited plan 5536). HORACE CLEMENT NOBLE.—1 acre 2 roods 24 perches, part Tutangataki Block (Otaki Town District). Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office. Dated this 15th day of March, 1922, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

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 on or before the 10th day of April, 1922.

12991. WALTER WILLIAM WESTAWAY.—Part of Rural Sections 4149 and 4150, Lots 2, 4, and 6, deposited plan No. 6157, Block III, Arowhenua Survey District. Occupied by applicant.

12998. LILLY MARIA DEAN.—Part of Rural Section 7555, Lots 1 and 2, deposited plan No. 6153, Barnard and North Streets, Timaru. Occupied by William Benson.

13000. THOMAS ALFRED NEWTON.—Part of Town Section 83, Lyttelton, Lot 1, deposited plan No. 6158, Exeter Street. Occupied by applicant.

13003. FREDERICK HAROLD ANSLEY.—Part of Rural Section 257, Lot 5, deposited plan No. 5272, Durham Street. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1922, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 50, folio 158, for Town Section 69, Ashburton, whereof JAMES SMITH, of Ashburton, 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 March, 1922.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 166, folio 182, in favour of CATHERINE SIMPSON, Wife of GEORGE SIMPSON, of Dunedin, Builder, for Allotment 14, Block XXII, on a plan of the Township of Musselburgh, deposited in the Land Registry Office at Dunedin under No. 705, and an application made to me 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 day of March, 1922.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin this 10th day of March, 1922.

F. E. McMILLAN, Assistant Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

DISSOLUTION OF COMPANY.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the affidavit and application of WALTER HENRY CAMPBELL and JOHN KIRK CAMPBELL, of "Campbell Brothers (Limited)."

I HEREBY notify that no objection to such application having been made and lodged with me, as by the said Act required, I do now declare such company to be dissolved. Dated at Christchurch this 8th day of March, 1922.

J. MURRAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

TAKE notice that on 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:—

Excelsior Laundry (Limited). 15/73.

Hicks and Bull (Limited). 16/50.

Marton Motors (Limited). 19/11.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of March, 1922.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

JOHNSON AND LAIDLAW (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

The Companies Act, 1908, and amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given of the following, which is a correct copy of an entry in the minute-book of the above-named company:—

"It is resolved that the company go into voluntary liquidation, and that ROBERT JOHNSON be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 28th day of September, 1921.

ROBERT JOHNSON
GEORGE E. LAIDLAW } Directors.

That we are the only members of the above-named company.

211 ROBERT JOHNSON
GEORGE ERNEST LAIDLAW } Directors.

LEGAL.

MR. J. WYNDHAM HOPKINS, of Hamilton, Solicitor, wishes to announce that he has disposed of his Practice to Mr. JOHN MORRICE HORTON, who has been associated with such Practice for some years, and has much pleasure in recommending his services to former clients.

Dated at Hamilton this 1st day of March, 1922.

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CRONOL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the above company will be held in my office, 12 Panama Street, at noon on the 27th March, 1922, for the purpose of laying before such meeting the Liquidator's accounts showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of.

Dated at Wellington the 10th day of March, 1922.

A. M. ADAMS, A.P.A.N.Z.,
Receiver, Manager, and Liquidator.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, HESSIE MORTON, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, University N.Z., now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 9th April 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.

HESSIE MORTON.

Dated at Wellington 9th March, 1922.

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I, KENNETH JAMES LANGLANDS SCOTT, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, University of N.Z., now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 9th of April, 1922, 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.

KENNETH JAMES LANGLANDS SCOTT.

Dated at Wellington 9th March, 1922.

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COOK COUNTY COUNCIL.

LANDS REQUIRED TO BE TAKEN FOR A PUBLIC WORK.

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1920, the Health Act, 1920, and the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Cook County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the construction of a sanitary depot; and for the purposes of such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken is deposited in the office of the said Council, situate in Childers Road, Gisborne, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours.

All persons interested, who have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said lands, must state their objections in writing, and send the same to the office of the Council on or before the 11th day of April, 1922.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate area of the land to be taken: 10 acres.

Being Lot 1, Awapuni No. 2, and part Awapuni No. 1A (Borough Reserve), Block VI, Turanganui Survey District, County of Cook.

Coloured red on plan 981.

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F. CHAS. PERRY, Clerk.

WAIHI-PAEROA GOLD-EXTRACTION COMPANY
(LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of sections 230 and 252 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the above company will be held at the offices of the company, 5 Alston Chambers, 63 Queen Street, Auckland, on Friday, the thirty-first day of March, 1922, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators, and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidators thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated this first day of March, 1922.

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P. N. KINGSWELL } Liquidators.
R. M. AITKEN }

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between LEONARD PERCIVAL WILLIAMS and JOHN THOMAS COOK in the business of Dairymen at North New Brighton, under the name, style, or firm of "Williams and Cook," has been dissolved as from the twenty-first day of February, 1922. The business will in future be carried on by the said LEONARD PERCIVAL WILLIAMS.

Dated this 6th day of March, 1922.

L. P. WILLIAMS.
J. T. COOK.

Witness to both signatures—D. A. Gunn, Law Clerk,
Christchurch. 227

I, MARION AROHA RADCLIFFE-TAYLOR, heretofore called and known by the name of Marion Aroha Taylor, of Dunedin, Medical Student, hereby give public notice that on the 7th day of March, 1922, I assumed and adopted and determined thenceforth on all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the surname of Radcliffe-Taylor instead of the surname of Taylor, the which is evidenced by deed-poll dated the said 7th day of March, 1922, duly executed by me and attested and enrolled in the office of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Dunedin on the 8th day of March, 1922.

Dated this eighth day of March, 1922.

MARION AROHA RADCLIFFE-TAYLOR.
(By her agent, H. BRASCH, Solicitor,
Bond Street, Dunedin.)

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KAITIEKE COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of two thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds (£2,750), authorized to be raised by the Kaitieke County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of widening, culverting, and metalling portion of the Maungaroa Road, the said Kaitieke County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of fourpence and one-tenth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value (being the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Maungaroa Special Rating Area, comprising Section 6, Block XII, Retaruke Survey District, and Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 11, 9, 5, 8, and 10, Block XVI, Retaruke Survey District, being the rateable property within the following boundaries,—

Commencing at the north-eastern corner of Section 6, Block XII, Retaruke Survey District, and following the eastern boundaries of such Section 6 and of Sections 2, 3, 4, 6, and 7, Block XVI, Retaruke Survey District, the southern boundaries of Sections 7 and 5, said Block XVI, the western boundaries of Sections 5, 9, and 1, said Block XVI, the eastern boundary of Section 11, said Block XII, and the northern boundary of said Section 6, Block XII aforesaid, to the north-eastern corner of such Section 6, being the commencing-point.

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

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THOS. CROCKER, Chairman.

GREYTOWN BOROUGH 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 amendments, the Greytown Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of interest and principal and also the other charges on a loan of two hundred pounds sterling (£200), authorized to be raised by the Greytown Borough Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and amendments, for the purpose of erecting a bridge over the Waingawa River, the said Greytown Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one farthing in the pound sterling (on the basis of the annual value) upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Greytown, comprising the whole of the said Borough of Greytown; 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 thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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E. LARKIN,
Town Clerk and Treasurer.

BOROUGH OF GREYTOWN.

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 amendments, the Greytown Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of interest and principal and also the other charges on a loan of two hundred pounds sterling (£200), authorized to be raised by the Greytown Borough Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and amendments, for the purpose of erecting a bridge over the Tauherenikau River, the said Greytown Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one farthing in the pound sterling (on the basis of the annual value) upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Greytown, comprising the whole of the said Borough of Greytown; 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 thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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E. LARKIN,
Town Clerk and Treasurer.

CHANGE OF NAME.

I, JOHN FARRANT, of Motumaoho, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in the Dominion of New Zealand, Farmer, heretofore called and known by the name of "John McDermid," hereby give public notice that on the 15th day of February, 1922, by deed-poll then duly executed by me and on the 2nd day of March, 1922, enrolled with the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Hamilton, I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the use of my said surname of "McDermid," and in lieu thereof assumed and adopted the surname of "Farrant."

Dated the 6th day of March, 1922.

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JOHN FARRANT (late JOHN McDERMID).

MIDLANE BROTHERS (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders of Midlane Brothers (Limited) will be held at 35 Victoria Street, Wellington, on Monday, the 20th day of March, 1922, at 12 noon, for the purpose of laying before such meeting the Liquidators' accounts showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and to offer any explanation the Liquidators may wish to give, and for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution as to the disposal of the books, accounts, and documents of the company, as required by the Companies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of March, 1922.

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A. SIMM } Liquidators.
A. MAURICE ANDERSON }

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, PHYLLIS MATHER, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, University of New Zealand, now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 14th April 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.

PHYLLIS MATHER.

Dated at Wellington 13th March, 1922.

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JOHN BANNISTER AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the shareholders of the above company held 21st December, 1921, it was resolved that on account of the company being unable to carry on business by reason of its liabilities the company be voluntarily wound up.

All claims against the company must be lodged with the Liquidator before the 31st March, 1922, after which date no claims will be recognized.

FRED. R. BALL, Liquidator.

Box 60, Gisborne.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the GOLDEN POINT GOLD AND SCHEELITE MINING COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the above company duly convened and held at 80 Hereford Street, Christchurch, on the 31st day of January, 1922, the following special resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at 80 Hereford Street, Christchurch, on Monday, 20th February, 1922, the following resolution was duly confirmed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily; and that THOMAS ADOLPH ARROWSMITH, of Christchurch, Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1922.

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T. A. ARROWSMITH, Liquidator.

BOROUGH OF FEILDING.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Feilding Borough Council Electric Lighting Loan of £5,000, 1922, authorized to be raised by the said Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of extending the electric lighting system, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of nine thirty-seconds (9/32nds) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Feilding; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the 1st day of April during the currency of such loan, being a period of ten (10) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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J. S. TINGEY, Mayor.

A. E. WILSON, Town Clerk.

NOTICE UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Education Board of the District of Auckland intends to erect a public school, and to take under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, for the purposes of a public school the following land, namely:—

All that piece of land situated in the Town of Taumarunui, containing two acres, more or less, being Lots 2 and 3 of Block XIII of the said Town of Taumarunui, and part of the land comprised and described in certificate of title, Volume 124, folio 1, of the Register-book in the Lands Registry Office at Auckland.

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

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

Dated at Auckland this 10th day of March, 1922.

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

This notice was first published on the 11th day of March, 1922, in the *Auckland Star* newspaper.

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THE LOWER NEVIS DREDGING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.—NOTICE OF FINAL MEETING.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of members of the above-named company will be held in the companies registered office, Tarbert Street, Alexandra, on Thursday, the 30th day of March, 1922, at half past seven o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property disposed of, also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated at Alexandra this 10th day of March, 1922.

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C. E. RICHARDS, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JOHN DE MARR and CHRISTOPHER KENDALL, carrying on business as the Manawatu Cycle Company at Number 18A, David Street, Palmerston North, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 27th day of February, 1922. The continuing partner, Mr. JOHN DE MARR, will carry on the business on his own account under the style of "The Manawatu Cycle Company." The said JOHN DE MARR will discharge all liabilities incurred by and receive all moneys owing to the late Partnership.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1922.

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C. KENDALL.
J. DE MARR.

THE LONDON BOOKSTALL AND PHOTOGRAPHIC DEPOT (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

The Companies Act, 1908, and amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given that by an entry in the minute-book of the above-named company signed by the requisite number of shareholders holding the requisite number of shares and taking effect as a special resolution under section 168 of the Companies Act, 1908, it was resolved "That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that HAROLD HUGH SYKES, of Dunedin, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 1st day of March, 1922.

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H. H. SYKES, Liquidator.

WAITEMATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £200, being a supplementary 10 per cent. loan of the original loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Waitemata County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, and more particularly section 18 thereof, for the completion of construction, metalling, grading, and bridge-building on roads in the Titirangi Riding of the County of Waitemata, the said Waitemata County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/13th of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Titirangi Riding of the County of Waitemata; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly

on the first days of July and January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a minute of the Waitemata County Council passed at a meeting of the said Council held on the 17th day of February, 1922, and that same was moved by Councillor Laing and seconded by Councillor Oliphant.

243 C. A. CAWKWELL, County Clerk.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: New Big River Gold-mining Company (Limited).

When formed, and date of registration: 19th August, 1907. Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Reefton; Thomas Hubert Lee.

Nominal capital: £6,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £6,000.

Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £600.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 24,000.

Number of shares allotted: 24,000.

Amount paid per share: 6d.

Amount called up per share: 6d.

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: Nil.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.

Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.

Present number of shareholders: 65.

Number of men employed by company: Average for year 1921, 41.

Quantity and value of gold produced since last statement: Battery, 3,989 tons of quartz crushed for 3,784 oz. melted gold; cyanide, 1,350 tons of sands treated for 291 oz. 12 dwt. bullion; total value, £23,167 8s. 2d. Concentrates, 102 tons 8 cwt. 3 qrs. 25 lb. treated, for bullion valued at £2,081 5s. 10d.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: Battery, 68,720 tons of quartz crushed for 66,948 oz. 13 dwt. of melted gold; cyanide, 48,050 tons of sands treated for 9,244 oz. 17 dwt. 16 gr. of bullion; total value, £303,954 9s. 5d. Concentrates, 816 tons 17 cwt. 1 qr. 11 lb. treated, for bullion valued at £15,122 6s. 11d.

Amount expended in carrying on operations since last statement: £17,445 18s. 9d.

Total expenditure since registration: £205,913 14s. 8d.

Total amount of dividends declared: £109,200.

Total amount of dividends paid: £109,200.

Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of gold on hand: 504 oz., valued at £2,016.

Amount of bullion on hand: 74 oz. 15 dwt., valued at £187 10s.

Value of concentrates shipped and sold: £565 5s.

Amount of cash in bank: £511 15s. 11d.

Amount of cash in hand (Wages Imprest Account): At mine, £20; at office, £30.

Amount of Reserve Fund: £1,500.

Amount of debts due to company: £27 4s. 11d.

Amount of debts considered good: £27 4s. 11d.

Amount of debts owing by company: £798 1s. 3d.

Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £126 10s.

I, Thomas Hubert Lee, the Secretary of the New Big River Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company on the 14th January, 1922; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

T. HUBERT LEE.

Declared at Reefton this 6th day of March, 1922, before me—W B. Auld, J.P. 244

MASTERTON PERMANENT INVESTMENT AND BUILDING SOCIETY.

SECTION 4, LOAN COMPANIES ACT, 1921/2.

IT is hereby notified that the following resolution was passed this day by the Board of Directors of the above society:—

“That this society will not take advantage of the provisions of Part II of the Mortgages and Deposits Extension Act, 1921.”

J. B. KEITH, Manager.

Masterton, 13th March, 1922. 245

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of EVAPORATORS (OF NEW ZEALAND) (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the company held at the premises of the company, Hastings Street, Hastings, at 8 p.m. on Wednesday, 1st day of March, 1922, the following resolutions were duly carried:—

(1.) That it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot by reason of liabilities continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that therefore the company be wound up voluntarily.

(2.) That Mr. A. I. RAINBOW be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator of the company.

Dated this sixth day of March, 1922.

246 A. I. RAINBOW, Liquidator.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE office in New Zealand of J. C. Williamson (Limited) has been removed to Grand Opera House Buildings, Manners Street, Wellington.

BERT ROYLE,

247 Attorney for J. C. Williamson (Limited).

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between CRAVEN WALKER MIRFIN and FRANK RAVEN, trading as Mirfin and Raven, Sawmillers, Otorohanga, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from 13th March, 1922. All accounts owing to the firm are payable to C. W. Mirfin.

C. W. MIRFIN.

F. RAVEN.

Witness to signatures—A. B. R. Mossman, Solicitor, Otorohanga. 248

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