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Additional Land between Wiri and Manurewa taken for the Purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway, and for Road-diversion in connection herewith.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway to take further land between Wiri and Manurewa, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway; and to take land for road-diversion in connection therewith:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

FOR RAILWAY.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land:—

A.	R.	P.	
1	0	27-24	Part Allotment 4, Clendon's Grant.
0	3	6-4	" " "
0	1	19-57	Part road. " "

FOR ROAD-DIVERSION.

Approximate area of the piece of land: 1 acre 2 roods 8-26 perches.
Part Allotment 4, Clendon's Grant.

Situated in Papakura Parish, Blocks X and XIII, Otahuhu Survey District, Manurewa Town District. (S.O. 22263, blue.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 31838, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured red, green, neutral tint, and blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 10th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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Additional Land at Hastings taken for the Purposes of the Wellington-Napier Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Wellington-Napier Railway to take further land at Hastings, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land: 38-5 perches.
Portion of Avenue Street, Borough of Hastings. (S.O. 738, green.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 31818, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Crown Lands in Marlborough Mining District, Marlborough Land District, open for Disposal on Renewable Lease.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the one hundred and thirty-third section of the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open on Wednesday, the ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, for disposal as provided in section one hundred and thirty-five of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.—
MARLBOROUGH MINING DISTRICT.

*Marlborough County.—Wakamarina Survey District.—
National endowment Land.*

SECTIONS 4 and 5, Block XIII: Area, 996 acres; capital value, £1,320; half-yearly rent, £26 8s.

The sections are situated on the Wakamarina Valley Road, which is a formed dray-road, and are distant about six miles and a half from the dairy factory at Canvastown. The sections generally are steep, rising from 200 ft. to 2,000 ft. above sea-level, and are covered with heavy mixed bush, the major portion being birch, but with some fairly good rimu in places. The small flat along the Wakamarina Stream is covered with scrub and second growth, and will be found suitable as a building-site. A small amount of dairying may be carried on when the flats are cleared, but generally the country will be found suitable for sheep.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 9th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands in North Auckland Land District declared to be subject to Section 127 of the Land Act, 1908.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Land Board of the North Auckland Land District has recommended that the Crown tenants of the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto should be afforded relief, owing to exceptional circumstances over which they have no control preventing the profitable occupation of such lands:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section twenty-five of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1911, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto to be subject to the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-seven of the Land Act, 1908; and I do further fix two years from the date mentioned in the said Schedule as the period for which the said lands shall be exempt from payment of rent.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOKATOKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26, Block XII: 1st January, 1922.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 10th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Taranaki Land District declared to be subject to Section 127 of the Land Act, 1908.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Land Board of the Taranaki Land District has recommended that the Crown tenant of the land enumerated in the Schedule hereto should be afforded relief, owing to exceptional circumstances over which he has no control preventing the profitable occupation of such land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section twenty-five of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1911, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the land enumerated in the Schedule hereto to be subject to the provisions of section one hundred and twenty-seven of the Land Act, 1908; and I do further fix four years from the date mentioned in the said Schedule as the period for which the said land shall be exempt from payment of rent.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 2, Block IV, Tainui Survey District: 1st July, 1922.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 12th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Principal Land Office for the Gisborne Land District established.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council of even date herewith, and issued pursuant to section twenty-one of the Land Act, 1908, as amended by section three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1914, the Gisborne Land District is constituted as on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section twenty-two of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that on and from the date hereinbefore mentioned the Gisborne Land Office shall be the principal land office of the Gisborne Land District; and I do hereby revoke the Proclamation dated the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and gazetted on the third day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, declaring that the Gisborne Land Office shall be the principal land office of the Poverty Bay Land District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 9th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land in the Borough of Waihi taken for the Purposes of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Athenree Section) and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the additional land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Athenree Section) and for road-diversions in connection therewith.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	For Railway.
0	0	3.9	Portion of road; coloured green.
0	0	31.4	„ „
For Road-diversions.			
0	0	15.5	Portion of Section 149; coloured sepia.
0	0	21.9	„ 268 „

Situated in the Borough of Waihi, Block XV, Ohinemuri Survey District. (S O. 22478.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55767, 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating to the Purposes of a Road Land in Block IX, Ongo Survey District, taken for a Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land which is described in the Schedule hereto (and which was taken for the purposes of the North Island Main Trunk Railway, and is not now required for such purposes) shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be maintained by the Rangitikei County Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land dealt with: 2 roads 12.4 perches.

Portion of railway land (originally part of Section 6A on D.P. 286, part of Hapopo Block), situated in Block IX, Ongo Survey District. (S.O. 1629.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56370, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 8th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating to the Purposes of a Street Land in the Borough of Waihi taken for a Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land which is described in the Schedule hereto (and which was taken for the purposes of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway, Athenree Section, and is not now required for such purposes) shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a street, and that such street shall be maintained by the Waihi Borough Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land dealt with:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	5.5	Portion of railway reserve.
0	0	1.3	"
0	0	3.5	"

Situated in the Borough of Waihi, Block XV, Ohinemuri Survey District. (S.O. 22478.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55767, 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating to the Purposes of a Road Land in Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District, taken for a Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land which is described in the Schedule hereto (and which was taken for the purposes of the Kawakawa-Grahamstown Railway, and is not now required for such purposes) shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that such road shall be maintained by the Bay of Islands County Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land dealt with: 16 perches. Portion of railway land, situated in Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21741.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55338, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 12th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for 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.] JELlicoe, 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 closed roads declared to be Crown land:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	1	15.2	Section 165, Block I, Waimata Survey District.
0	3	35.1	
0	3	25.8	
0	0	33.1	Section 163, Block VII, Mount Cerberus Survey District.
0	0	19.2	
0	0	22.6	Section 60, Block I, Waimata Survey District.
1	1	15.7	

(S.O. 171/22A.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56025, 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, this 12th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block V, Takahue Survey District, Mangonui County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	3·4	Portion of Section 23 of O.L.C. 242.
0	0	25·2	
0	0	13·2	

Situated in Block V, Takahue Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21559.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53328, 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, this 8th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VII, Waoku Survey District, Hokianga 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 Waoku Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2 acres 0 roods 21 perches.

Portion of Te Aute A Section 2, Block VII, Waoku Survey District. (S.O. 22221.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56200, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VI, Waitemata Survey District, Waitemata 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 Waitemata Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 3 roods 27·4 perches.

Portion of Section 69, Paramoremo Parish, Block VI, Waitemata Survey District. (S.O. 21785.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55598, deposited in the Head 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block XXVII, Eyre Survey District, Southland 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 Eyre Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2 acres 1 rood 20 perches.

Portion of Section 70, Block XXVII, Eyre Survey District (Southland R.D.). (S.O. R. 484.)

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56433, 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks V and VI, Matakoho Survey District, Otamatea 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 Matakoho 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	37·9	Section W. 126, Block V; coloured blue.
3	0	15·3	" E. 126 " " pink.
2	2	19·6	" 147 E.R. " " blue.
1	3	1·1	" S. 146 " " pink.
0	1	31	" N. 146 " " pink.
4	0	23·7	Sec. 145, Blocks V and VI; coloured pink.
2	1	7·6	Section 144, Block VI; coloured pink.
0	2	19·2	" N. 140, Block V; coloured pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	0	34·5	Section 147 E.R.; 127, W. 126, and E. 126, Block V; coloured green.
5	1	4·4	Section 147 E.R., S. 146, N. 129, and S. 129, Block V; coloured green.
0	2	18·7	Section N. 146 and 145, Block V; coloured green.
3	3	16·5	Section N. 140, S. 141, N. 141, 144, and 145, Blocks V and VI; coloured green.

All situated in Omaru Parish, Matakoho Survey District. (S.O. 18502.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56408, 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, this 8th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block II, Tuapeka West Survey District, Tuapeka 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 Tuapeka West 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.	
1	1	9	Portion of Section 26; coloured red.
1	0	8	" 25 "
0	3	37.7	" 26A "

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	0	26.4	Sections 25 and 26; coloured green.
0	2	10	" 25 and 26 "
0	3	34.5	" 24 and 26A "

All situated in Block II, Tuapeka West Survey District (Otago R.D.).

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56279, 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, this 12th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District, Bay of Islands 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 Kawakawa Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2 acres 2 roods 38 perches.

Portion of part Taumatamakuku No. 1; coloured pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	0	8	Lot 2, Waipuna and Taumatamakuku No. 1 Blocks; coloured green.
1	3	4	Lot 3, Waipuna and Taumatamakuku No. 1 Blocks; coloured green.
0	0	9	Taumatamakuku Block No. 1; coloured green.

All situated in Block XV, Kawakawa Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21741.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55338, 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XV, Waipu Survey District, Otamatea 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 Waipu 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.	
0	0	28	Portion of Section 121; coloured blue.
1	0	25	" 123 " red.
1	0	35.9	" 125 " blue.
0	0	37	" 128 " blue.
0	0	36.3	" 129 " red.
0	0	0.3	" 130 " red.
0	2	21.3	" 130 " red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 2 roods 28 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 130; coloured green.

All situated in Parish of Kaiwaka, Block XV, Waipu Survey District. (S.O. 18905.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 54201, 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, this 12th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IV, Tauhoa, and Block XVI, Otamatea Survey Districts, Rodney 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 Tauhoa and Otamatea Survey Districts 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 ROADS.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
2	0	5.3	Section 78, Parish of Tauhoa; coloured yellow.
0	3	24.9	Section 15, Block XVI, Otamatea Survey District; coloured pink.
3	0	16.3	Section 15, Block XVI, Otamatea Survey District; coloured pink.
5	1	4.7	Section 18, Block XVI, Otamatea Survey District; coloured blue.
0	1	35.3	Section 20, Block IV, Tauhoa Survey District; coloured purple.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	3	17.7	Sections 77, 78, 78A, Parish of Tauhoa. Section 15, Block XVI, Otamatea Survey District.
1	3	5.7	Section 78, Parish of Tauhoa. Section 15, Block XVI, Otamatea Survey District.

Coloured on plan: Green. (S.O. 21237.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 54595, 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Laying out and taking a Road in Block VII, Waoku Survey District, Hokianga County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and eighty-nine of the Native Land Act, 1909, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby lay out and take as a road the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road laid out and taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	1	11	Te Aute A Section 1; coloured yellow.
2	1	8	Whakatere-Manawakaitia B No. 60; coloured red.

Situated in Block VII, Waoku Survey District. (S.O. 22221.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56200, 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, this 10th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block III, Piopotea West Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road hereby stopped: 3 acres 2 roods 27.6 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 15, 16, 17, 21, 20, 22, 18, 19, Block III, Piopotea West Survey District (Taranaki R.D.). (S.O. 6008.)

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56289, 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, this 8th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block X, Omapere Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in

this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as stopped the Government road described in the Schedule hereto, such road being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
6	1	13	Allotments 29, 41 C.L.
2	3	35	„ 16, 29, 41 C.L.

Situated in Parish of Omapere, Block X, Omapere Survey District. (S.O. 22101.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56106, 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, this 8th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

TAUMATAMAHOE 2B 2B No. 1 Block, Mahoe Survey District: Approximate area, 1,381 acres 1 rood 5 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, this 8th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Altering the Boundaries of the Land Districts of Auckland and Hawke's Bay and constituting the Gisborne Land District.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council dated the thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and issued pursuant to section twenty-one of the Land Act, 1908, as amended by section three of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1914, provision has been made for the alteration of the boundaries of the Hawke's Bay Land District and the constitution of the Poverty Bay Land District as from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three:

And whereas the said Order in Council has not yet taken effect and it is deemed expedient to revoke the same and make other provision in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, 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, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the said Acts,

do hereby revoke the said Order in Council and do order and declare that on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, the boundaries of the Auckland Land District shall be such as are described in the First Schedule hereto, and that on and after the same date the boundaries of the Hawke's Bay Land District shall be such as are described in the Second Schedule hereto; and, with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, I do hereby constitute as on and from the said first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, the Gisborne Land District, the boundaries of which are defined in the Third Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

BOUNDED by a line commencing at the south head of the Waikato River, and proceeding thence up the left bank of that river to a point opposite the confluence of the Whangamarino River; thence to and up the middle of the said Whangamarino River to the Maramarua River; thence up the middle of that river to the Mangatangi Stream; thence up the middle of that stream to the northern side of the Pukorokoro-Mercer Road; thence easterly along that side of said road to Allotment 82, Koheroa Parish; thence along the western boundary of said Allotment 82 to its northernmost corner, and along a right line to the middle of the mouth of the Pukorokoro Creek; thence along the sea-coast to the mouth of the Maraetotara Stream, the north-western corner of the Gisborne Land District hereinafter described; thence along the western boundary of said Gisborne Land District to the northern boundary of Tatarao-Kino Block; thence along the northern boundary of said Tatarao-Kino Block, down the middle of the Waipunga River to and along the northern boundary of Tarawera Block, the western boundary of said Tarawera Block, the northern boundaries of Te Matai and Te Matai No. 1 Blocks to the Mohaka River; thence up the middle of that river and the middle of the Oamaru River, and the south-eastern boundary of Kaimanawa No. 1A to the Ngaruroro River; thence up the middle of that river to the eastern boundary of Kaimanawa No. 1E, along that boundary and the northern boundary of said No. 1E Block, along the eastern and northern boundaries of Kaimanawa No. 2B, and the northern boundary of Te Hautu Block to Lake Taupo; thence along a right line across said Lake Taupo to the mouth of the Kuratau Stream, up the middle of that stream, and the Mangaharakeke Stream, and along the south-eastern boundaries of Puketapu, Ruamata, Pukepoto, and Waione Blocks to the Wanganui River, down the middle of that river to and up the middle of the Ongarue River to the Waimiha Stream, up the middle of that stream to the western boundary of the Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 36 Block; thence along that boundary to the Mokau River, and down the middle of the said Mokau River to its mouth; thence generally along the sea-coast, crossing the entrances of all harbours, to the south head of Waikato River mouth, the point of commencement: including Mayor, Motiti, Whale, and White Islands, and all other islands adjacent to the coast except those being in the North Auckland Land District, as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1919, page 214.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area bounded towards the north by the Gisborne Land District hereinafter described from the sea at Ngakau-o-te-Paritu to the Mohaka River; thence up that river and Te Hoe River to northern boundary of Tatarao-Kino Block; thence in a westerly direction by the northern boundaries of Tatarao-Kino and Tarawera Blocks to the north-eastern corner of Omupapamaro Block; thence in a south-westerly and south-easterly direction by the north-western and south-western boundaries of the Tarawera and Te Matai Blocks, and again towards the north by the Te Matai and Te Matai No. 1 Blocks to the Mohaka River; thence up the Mohaka River to its confluence with the Oamaru River; thence up the Oamaru River to Te Ranga Whakarua; thence in a south-westerly direction by western boundary of Tapapa No. 2 to Ngaruroro River, and down that river to the northern corner of Timahanga Block; thence in a south-westerly direction by the north-western boundary of the said Timahanga Block to the Te Waimara Stream; thence by that stream and the Taruarau, Ikaawetea, and Makirikiri Streams to the northern boundary of Awarua Block; thence in a north-westerly direction by aforesaid boundary to summit of Ruahine Range; thence in a southerly direction by summit of said range to Trig. Station 60A; thence in a south-westerly direction to Section 10, Block XVI, Woodville Survey District; thence by the western boundaries of Section 10, a public road, and north-western boundary of Section 11, Block XVI, Woodville Survey District; thence by the western boundaries

of Sections 12 and 11 and railway reserve, Block XIV, Woodville Survey District, to Manawatu River; towards the south generally by the Manawatu River to the south-western boundary of Block IX, Woodville Survey District; thence by a right line along the southern boundaries of Woodville and Tahoraite Survey Districts to Trig. Station "C" (Wahataura); thence by right lines along the southern boundary of Weber Survey District, through Trig. Stations "P" (Pukehou), 41A (Arthur), "O" (Otuarehua), to Trig. Station 39 (Taumata); thence by the south-western boundary of Section 1, Block XIII, Tautane Survey District, to Waimata River, and down that river to the sea; towards the east by the sea to Ngakau-o-te-Paritu, the point of commencement: including all adjacent islands.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.

BOUNDED by a line commencing at the mouth of the Maraetotara Stream and proceeding thence up the said stream to the intersection of south boundary of Allotment 246, Waimana Parish; thence north-westerly along that boundary to the road forming the north-west boundary of Small Grazing-run No. 6; thence by the west and south boundaries of said run to the Ohiwa Harbour; thence by the said Ohiwa Harbour to and along the stream forming the east boundary of Lot 2 shown on L.T. plan 12843 to and along a road intersecting the said lot; thence easterly along said road to its intersection with a road forming the west boundary of Allotment 141, Waimana Parish; thence along the west and north-east boundary of last said allotment to and along the north-west boundary of Allotment 142 of said parish to the Ohiwa Harbour, and by that harbour to and along the east boundary of said Allotment 142 and the eastern boundaries generally of Allotments 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, and 170, across a road, and again by said east boundary of Allotment 170; thence along the north and east boundary of Allotments 172, 173, and 174 to the point in line with the production of north boundary of Allotment 178 of said parish; thence along a right line to and along the said north boundary; and the east boundary of said allotment, across a road, the east boundary of Allotment 179, and that boundary-line produced to the middle of the Nukuhou River; thence up the middle of said river to its intersection with the western side of the Nukuhou Road at the north-east corner of Allotment 183; thence along the eastern boundary of said Allotment 183, across a road, and again by the east boundary of said allotment, and the eastern boundaries of Allotments 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, and 192, across a road, and along the eastern boundaries generally of Allotments 194 and 195, across a road, and along said east boundaries of Allotments 195, 196, and 197, across a road, along east boundary of said Allotments 197, 198, 199, 200, 203, and 204, across a road, along east boundaries of Allotments 207, 208, 211, and 212, across a road, along said east boundaries of Allotments 212, 216, 215, 214, and 217, across a road, by east boundaries of Allotments 222 and 223, all of Waimana Parish; thence easterly along the northern boundary of Waimana No. 1E Block, along the north-eastern and south-eastern boundaries of Section 21, Block IV, Waimana Survey District, the south-eastern boundaries of Waimana 1C and 1D Blocks to Paitana, and along the south-western boundary of the last-mentioned block to the Waimana River; thence up that river to its source, and along the summit of the range through Maungapohatu Trig. Station to the northernmost point of Waikaremoana Block; thence along the northern and western boundaries of that block to the northern boundary of Maungataniwha Block, along the northern and western boundaries of that block to Te Hoe River, and down that river to the Mohaka River, and down that river to the Mohaka No. 1 Block; thence along the northern boundaries generally of Mohaka Nos. 1 and 2 Blocks, Section 1, Block II, Section 1, Block III, Waihua Survey District, Section 1, Block XVIII, Sections 1 and 2, Block XIX, Taramarama Survey District, to the Tutaeuri River; thence down that river and the Waiau River, down the Wairoa River, up the Kauhauroa Stream, up the Maromauku Stream and the eastern boundary of Kahuitara No. 1A, along the northern boundaries of Tukemokihiki No. 1 and Hereheretau No. 2 to the Makaretu River, up that river to the north-western boundary of Section 1, Block XVI, Opotiti Survey District, along the south-eastern boundaries of Mangapoike and Haerengarenga Blocks to Pukehou Trig. Station, along the south-western boundaries of Maraetaha Nos. 2 and 2c Blocks and of Okahu Block to the western boundary of Paritu Block, along that boundary and the northern boundaries of Paritu No. 2 and Takararoa Blocks to the sea at Ngakau-o-te-Paritu; thence northerly and westerly along the sea-coast to the mouth of the Maraetotara River, the point of commencement: including all adjacent islands.

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

Appointing Members of the First and Second Divisions of the Court of Appeal.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section five of the Judicature Amendment Act, 1913, it is enacted that the Court of Appeal shall consist of two Divisions to be called respectively the First Division and the Second Division of the Court of Appeal; and that each Division shall consist of five Judges of the Supreme Court, to be appointed to that Division by the Governor-General in Council :

And whereas the power conferred by the said Act upon the Governor-General in Council of appointing Judges as members of either Division, or of revoking any such appointment, shall be exercisable on the recommendation of not less than three Judges of the Supreme Court (of whom the Chief Justice shall be one), and not otherwise :

And whereas the Right Honourable the Chief Justice, the Honourable Mr. Justice Hosking, and the Honourable Mr. Justice Reed have recommended that the two Divisions of the Court of Appeal shall be constituted as shown hereafter :

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

- The Right Honourable Sir ROBERT STOUT, P.C., K.C.M.G., Chief Justice ;
- The Honourable WILLIAM ALEXANDER SIM, Judge ;
- The Honourable JOHN HENRY HOSKING, Judge ;
- The Honourable THOMAS WALTER STRINGER, Judge ;
- The Honourable ALEXANDER SAMUEL ADAMS, Judge

to be members of the First Division of the Court of Appeal : and

- The Right Honourable Sir ROBERT STOUT, P.C., K.C.M.G., Chief Justice ;
- The Honourable JOHN HENRY HOSKING, Judge ;
- The Honourable Sir JOHN WILLIAM SALMOND, Kt., Judge ;
- The Honourable ALEXANDER LAWRENCE HERDMAN, Judge ;
- The Honourable JOHN RANKEN REED, Judge ;

to be members of the Second Division of the Court of Appeal.

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

Apportionment of Representation on the Thames Valley Electric-power Board.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, 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 determine with respect to the Thames Valley Electric-power District, being an electric-power district duly constituted by Proclamation dated the eighteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 1, of the eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, that the number of representatives of each constituent district on the Board of the said district, on and after dates of the next general elections of members of the Thames Valley Electric-power Board, shall be the number specified in the second column of the Schedule hereto opposite the name of that constituent district.

SCHEDULE.

First Column.	Second Column.
Piako County .. .. .	.. 2 members.
Matamata County .. .. .	.. 2 ..
Hauraki Plains County .. .. .	.. 1 member.
Ohinemuri County .. .. .	.. 1 ..

First Column.	Second Column.
Thames County .. .. .	.. 1 member.
Thames Borough .. .. .	.. 1 ..
Paeroa Borough .. .. .	.. 1 ..
Te Aroha Borough .. .. .	.. 1 ..
Morrinsville Borough .. .. .	.. 1 ..
Matamata Town Board .. .. .	.. 1 ..

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

Authorizing the Minister of Public Works to erect, construct, provide, and use certain Works, Appliances, and Conveniences in connection with the Utilization of Water-power from the Mangahao and Tokomaru Rivers, situated in the Land District of Wellington, for the Generation, Storage, Transmission, Distribution, and Sale of Electrical Energy, in terms of Section 272 of the Public Works Act, 1903.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by section two hundred and seventy-two of the Public Works Act, 1908, as amended by section six of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1910, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize the Minister of Public Works, within the Land District of Hawke's Bay, to erect, construct, provide, and use such works, appliances, and conveniences as may be necessary in connection with the utilization of water-power from the Mangahao and Tokomaru Rivers for the generation and storage of electrical energy, and with the transmission, use, supply, and sale of electrical energy when so generated; also to use electrical energy so generated in the construction, working, or maintenance of any public work, or for the smelting, reduction, manufacture, or development of ores, metals, or other substances; also to erect poles on private land, and carry wires over or along any such land without being bound to acquire the same, and with right of way to and along all such works and erections; and also to supply and sell electrical energy, and recover moneys due for the same.

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

Authorizing the Morrinsville Borough Council to erect a Monument in Morrinsville as a Permanent War Memorial.

JELICOE, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section fifteen of the Finance Act, 1919 (hereinafter referred to as "the said section"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve the provision by the Morrinsville Borough Council of a monument as a permanent war memorial, as provided by the said section; and, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby approve of the erection of such monument in that portion of the Borough of Morrinsville, described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

MORRINSVILLE WAR MEMORIAL.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, part of Motu-maoho No. 2 Block, containing 5 acres 0 roods 92 perches, more or less, and being Lot 2 on the plan numbered 16037 deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Authorizing the Kowai County Council to erect an Honours Board in the Council Chambers, Balcairn, as a Permanent War Memorial.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section fifteen of the Finance Act, 1919 (hereinafter referred to as "the said section"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve the provision by the Kowai County Council of an honours board as a permanent war memorial, as provided by the said section; and, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby approve of the erection of such honours board in the Council Chambers, Balcairn.

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

Authorizing the Matamata County Council to erect a Monument at Putaruru as a Permanent War Memorial.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section fifteen of the Finance Act, 1919 (hereinafter referred to as "the said section"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the provision by the Matamata County Council of a monument as a permanent war memorial, as provided by the said section; and, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby approve of the erection of such monument in that portion of Putaruru described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

PUTARURU WAR MEMORIAL.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being part of Section 15, Block X, Patetere North Survey District, containing 1 acre 1 rood, more or less, and known as "Memorial Park."

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

Declaring Portion of Mary Street, in the Raglan County, to be a County Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Auckland Land District, Raglan County, known as Mary Street, commencing at its junction with River Road from Huntly to Ngaruawahia on

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the west side of the Waikato River, in Block XV, Rangiriri Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a westerly direction, and terminating at its junction with Alexandra Street in the said block and survey district; being a distance of 12½ chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56405, 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 the Wanganui River Road in the Ohura County to be a County Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Wanganui River Road (right bank) in the Taranaki Land District, Ohura County, commencing at the northernmost corner of Section 3, Block IV, Heao Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction adjoining or passing through the said Section 3 and Section 1 (scenic reserve), Block IV, Heao Survey District, and terminating at a point on the eastern boundary of the said Section 1 (scenic reserve), Block IV, Heao Survey District, being a distance of one mile seventeen chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56432, 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 Shea Road, in the Raglan County, to be a County Road.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road in the Auckland Land District, Raglan County, commencing at its junction with the Waitetuna-Aotea Road, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through part Section 1 (forest reserve) and Sections 7 and 10, Block X, Karioi Survey District, and terminating at the southernmost corner of the said Section 10; being a distance of 3 miles 10 chains, more or less. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56395, 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 the Napier-Wairoa Road, in the Wairoa County, to be a County Road.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Hawke's Bay Land District, Wairoa County, known as the Napier-Wairoa Road, commencing at its junction with the Kakariki Road in Section 1, Block XI, Mohaka Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through portion of the said Section 1, Block XI, Mohaka Survey District, Sections 72, 71, and 34, Block XII, Mohaka Survey District, Sections 30, 19, 18, 8, 5, 4, and 3, Block XIII, Waihua Survey District, and terminating at its junction with the Mohaka River, being a distance of $9\frac{1}{4}$ miles, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56361, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red and marked B-C.

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

Declaring Portions of Roads in the Rotoma Loan Block, Whakatane County, to be County Roads.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Matahi Road commencing at its junction with the Manawahe Road, and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction, adjoining or passing through part Section 6 (education reserve), Sections 13 and 9, Block VIII, and Section 4, Block XI, Rotoma Survey District, and terminating at its junction with Rendall Road; being a distance of 3 miles 24 chains, more or less; shown coloured yellow on plan and marked D-C-B.

Also all that portion of Rendall Road commencing at its junction with the Manawahe Road, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections 10, 14, and 17, Block VII, Rotoma Survey District, and terminating at its junction with Matahi Road; being a distance of 2 miles 40 chains, more or less; shown coloured yellow on plan and marked A-B.

Also all that portion of McIvor Road commencing at its junction with Matahi Road, and proceeding thence generally in an easterly direction adjoining or passing through Section 13 and part Section 7, Block VIII, Rotoma Survey District, and terminating at a point about 52 chains east of the western boundary of the said Section 7; being a distance of 2 miles, more or less; shown coloured yellow on plan and marked C-E.

All in the Auckland Land District, Whakatane County, Rotoma Loan Block; as the said portions of roads are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56420, 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.

Howick Town District not to be Part of County of Manukau.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Governor-General is satisfied that the population of the Howick Town District, in the County of Manukau, exceeds five hundred, and the Town Board of the said Howick Town District has made application that the said town district shall not form part of the County of Manukau, 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-three, the Howick Town District shall not form part of the County of Manukau.

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

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

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority 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 revoke the Order in Council dated the seventeenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 47, page 1112, of the twentieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, declaring portion of Shea Road, in the Kawhia County, to be a county road.

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

The Education Act, 1914.—Amended Regulations.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Education Act, 1914, and the amendments of that Act, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the amendment set forth in the Schedule hereto in the regulations in force at the date of the making of this Order relating to the examination and classification of teachers; and, with the like advice and

consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the first publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

AMENDMENT IN THE REGULATIONS FOR THE EXAMINATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS.

CLAUSE 41 of the regulations is hereby amended by inserting the numeral (1) at the beginning of the clause, and by adding the following subclause:—

“(2.) Further, at the examination for Class C certificates held prior to the 31st December, 1923, a candidate may elect to be examined in accordance with the schedule of subjects as it was set out in clause 29 of the regulations immediately prior to the making of the amendments therein by Order in Council dated 4th December, 1922.”

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

Extension of Time for taking certain Steps consequent upon the Preparation of County Rolls, County of Awatere.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it has been made to appear that the taking of certain steps consequent upon the preparation of the rolls for the County of Awatere cannot be taken within the times mentioned in the Counties Act, 1920, and it is expedient to extend the said times:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the said Counties Act, 1920, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the several dates mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be the respective dates for taking the steps set out in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

1. Time for which such rolls shall be open for inspection: From the 7th day of February, 1923, to the 28th day of February, 1923.
2. Time for appeals against the said rolls: Until the 10th day of March, 1923.

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

Extension of Time for Preparation of District Electors Roll, City of Christchurch.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section thirteen of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, that the district electors roll of the City of Christchurch shall be deemed to be closed at five o'clock in the afternoon of the twenty-eighth day preceding the day appointed for the general election of Mayor and Councillors of that city—namely, the twenty-sixth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three: And whereas it is expedient to extend such time:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby extend the time for closing the said electors roll of the said city, and doth hereby declare that the said roll shall be deemed to be closed at five o'clock in the afternoon of the fifth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with Inangahua County Council's Antecedent Liability Loan of £7,900.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Inangahua County Council proceeded to raise a loan of seven thousand nine hundred pounds, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of extinguishing the antecedent liability of that Council under the Local Bodies' Finance Act, 1921-22:

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the said loan were irregular, in that the said Council in the special order authorizing the raising of the said loan stated that the amount thereof was to be borrowed for a period of thirty-six and a half years, repayable in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixty, whereas the period of thirty-six and a half years from the date on which it is proposed to raise the said loan expires in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine:

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the district have not been misled by such irregularity as aforesaid, and it is expedient to validate the said irregularity:

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

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with the Raising of a Loan of £1,000 by the Blenheim Borough Council for the Purpose of erecting a Footbridge over Omaka River.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING
IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Blenheim Borough Council lately proceeded to raise a loan of one thousand pounds, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of erecting a footbridge over the Omaka River from Henry Street to Rothwell Street in the Borough of Blenheim:

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the said loan were irregular, in that the poll of ratepayers was not taken not less than one week after the day of the last publication of the notice of intention to raise the loan, as required by subsection two of section ten of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913:

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the district have not been misled by such irregularity as aforesaid, and it is expedient to validate the same:

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

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with the Raising of a Loan of £5,000 by the Blenheim Borough Council for Gasworks Mains Extension Purposes.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Blenheim Borough Council lately proceeded to raise a loan of five thousand pounds, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of extending the gasworks mains within the said borough :

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the said loan were irregular, in that the poll of ratepayers was not taken not less than one week after the day of the last publication of the notice of intention to raise the loan, as required by subsection two of section ten of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 :

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the district have not been misled by such irregularity as aforesaid, and it is expedient to validate the same :

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

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

Making Regulations for licensing Seal-fisheries.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section forty-two of the Fisheries 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 make the following regulations governing the issue of licenses to take seals within the area hereinafter described ; and doth hereby order that such regulations shall have force and effect on and from the date of the gazetting hereof.

REGULATIONS.

1. In these regulations —
" Minister " means the Minister of Marine ;
" Licensee " means the person, firm, or company to whom a license under these regulations is issued.
2. The area within which these regulations shall apply shall be as follows : All that area of tidal land between high- and low-water mark of ordinary spring tides, being the foreshore of the island known as Campbell Island, together with the foreshore of any islets or rocks within the territorial waters of the said island.
3. Licenses to take seals may be granted by the Minister and shall be for a period of one year from the date thereof, and shall be in the form set forth in the Schedule hereto, and may be revoked by the Minister at any time.
4. No seals shall be taken under any such license during the period from the 1st day of October in any one year of the period in respect of which the license is issued until the 31st day of May in the following year.
5. No female seals whatever, and no bull seals under the age of one year, shall be taken by the licensee.

6. The licensee shall not take more than four hundred bull seals in any one year.

7. The licensee shall deliver all skins taken in pursuance of his license to the Collector of Customs at a port in New Zealand to be named by the Minister, to be held by such Collector until disposed of by the licensee, and shall pay to the Collector of Customs, as a royalty, the sum of £1 in respect of each skin taken.

8. The skins of all seals taken under this license shall be delivered entire to the Collector of Customs, and shall not be cut in any way other than is necessary for the purpose of detaching the skin from the carcass.

9. No skins shall be exported from New Zealand or otherwise disposed of by the licensee without the permission in writing of the Collector of Customs to whom the skins are delivered pursuant to clause 7 hereof.

10. The licensee shall enter into a bond of £500, with approved sureties, as a guarantee of the due performance of the terms, conditions, and restrictions of his license and of these regulations.

11. The licensee shall take all steps necessary to prevent any other person, except those specifically employed by him for the purpose, from taking seals within the area hereinbefore prescribed, during the period in respect of which this license is issued.

SCHEDULE.

Under the Fisheries Act, 1908.

LICENSE TO TAKE SEALS.

IN pursuance of section 42 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and the regulations thereunder, I, _____, Minister of Marine, do hereby authorize _____, of _____, to take seals for a period of one year from the date of this license on all that area of tidal land between high- and low-water mark of ordinary spring tides, being the foreshore of the island known as Campbell Island, together with the foreshore of any islets or rocks within the territorial waters of the said island.

This license is issued subject to the provisions of Part I of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of the regulations made thereunder.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 192 _____
_____, Minister of Marine.

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

Varying Close Season for Seals.

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council made under section five of the Fisheries Act, 1908, on the fifth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and gazetted on the fourteenth day of the same month, the close season for seals throughout New Zealand was extended for a period of three years from the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen :

And whereas by Order in Council dated the ninth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 5, of the eighteenth day of the same month, the said close season was further extended for a period of three years from the twenty-seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two :

And whereas it is deemed expedient to vary the close season as so extended :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section five of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that the close season as so extended shall not apply to that part of New Zealand known as Campbell Island ; and doth hereby further declare that this Order in Council shall take effect as from the eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

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

Amended Regulations under the Stone-quarries Act, 1910.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 9th day of March, 1923.

Present :
THE RIGHT HONOURABLE W. F. MASSEY, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Stone-quarries Act, 1910, and its amendments (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following amendments to the regulations made under the said Act on the thirtieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and gazetted on the second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two; and doth hereby declare that the amendments to the said regulations hereby made shall come into force on the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

IX. QUARRY MANAGER OR FOREMAN'S PERMIT BY EXAMINATION.

REGULATION 66 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted therefor:—

66. (1.) Every application to be examined for a quarry manager or foreman's permit shall be made in writing under the hand of the applicant to the Inspector of Quarries for the district in the Form 1 in the Schedule hereto, and shall be accompanied by a fee of £1, together with evidence in writing as to the applicant's experience in quarrying and tunnelling and his general conduct and sobriety at date.

(2.) Every candidate for examination shall specify in his application, with sufficient particularity for identification and reference, the respective quarries and tunnels in which he has been employed and the period and nature of his employment in each.

(3.) Examinations shall be of an oral nature, and held at such times and places as are appointed by the Inspector of Quarries, but within thirty days of date of receipt of application.

(4.) Permits by examination may be of two classes—(a) surface quarrying, (b) underground quarrying or tunnelling, or both—and shall be in the Form 2 in the Schedule hereto.

(5.) Candidates in order to qualify for a permit must obtain a minimum of fifty per centum of the marks allotted in each subject of the examination.

(6.) The subjects of examination for a surface quarry manager or foreman's permit shall be as follows:—

(a.) Quarrying: The methods of working quarry faces; precautions to be taken to prevent accidents from falls of rock; the provision of means of access and egress; the precautions to be observed to prevent workmen falling from their working-places; the duties of a manager or foreman with regard to the working of quarry faces and the employment of workmen therein.

(b.) Explosives: The composition and action of all ordinarily used explosives; the causes of deterioration in explosives; the means of detecting deterioration in explosives; the storage and handling of explosives in magazine or quarry.

(c.) Blasting: The charging of holes and firing of blasts; use of electrical firing apparatus; methods of detecting defects in such apparatus; the causes of misfires; the duties of a quarry foreman with regard to the carrying-out of blasting operations.

(d.) Machinery: A knowledge of the requirements of the Act and regulations as to the inspection of machinery used in connection with quarrying operations, and the care of such machinery, ropes, chains, &c.; methods of haulage.

(e.) General: Conditions under which ambulance supplies have to be provided, and the nature of such supplies; conditions under which axial water-feed drills must be used; a knowledge of the Stone-quarries Acts and regulations.

(7.) The subjects of examination for an underground quarry manager or foreman's permit shall, in addition to the subjects enumerated in clause 6, include the following:—

- (a.) Working stone and timbering underground;
- (b.) Ventilation of underground quarry workings;
- (c.) Gases likely to be met with in underground quarries, their properties, and effect on the human body.

(8.) The Inspector of Quarries for each district shall keep a record of all applications received and permits issued by him, and shall, if required, forward a copy of such record to the Minister of Mines.

The Schedule to the regulations gazetted on the 2nd day of February, 1922, is hereby amended as follows:—

Form 1 (Reg. 66) is hereby revoked, and Form 1 (Reg. 66) in the Schedule hereto is substituted therefor.

Form 2 (Reg. 66) is hereby revoked, and Form 2 (Reg. 66) in the Schedule hereto is substituted therefor.

SCHEDULE.

[Form 1 (Reg. 66).

Under the Stone-quarries Act, 1910.

APPLICATION TO BE EXAMINED FOR A QUARRY MANAGER OR FOREMAN'S PERMIT.

To the Inspector of Quarries.

I, THE undersigned [*Full name, residence, and occupation*], hereby apply to be examined for a quarry manager or foreman's permit, and hereby declare as follows: That I have had at least two years' experience in quarrying, and in proof thereof I forward with this application evidence in writing from my previous employers.

Dated at this day of , 192 .

SCHEDULE.

Particulars of Employment, and Nature of Evidence in Proof thereof.

Name and Locality of Quarry.	Name of Employer.	Period of Employment.		Nature of Employment.	Signature of Employer or Manager.
		From	To		

Signature of applicant

[Form 2 (Reg. 66).
New Zealand.
The Stone-quarries Act, 1910.
QUARRY MANAGER OR FOREMAN'S PERMIT.
This is to certify that _____ has passed an oral examination, and has produced satisfactory evidence of his experience in quarrying and the use of explosives in blasting, and is entitled to the issue to him of this permit to act as quarry manager or foreman in a surface quarry.
.....
Inspector of Quarries.

The Stone-quarries Act, 1910.
QUARRY MANAGER OR FOREMAN'S PERMIT.
.....
Inspector of Quarries.

Date: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____

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

Polling-places for the Tauranga Electoral District appointed.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Legislature Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby abolish all existing polling-places, and do hereby appoint the places mentioned in the Schedule hereto to be the polling-places in the said Electoral District of Tauranga.

SCHEDULE.

Tauranga Electoral District—

Bethlehem, the Public School.
Gold Reefs, Te Puke, Muir's Buildings.
Gordon, the Public School.
Greerton, the Public School.
Herriesville, Stanley Road, the Show-sheds.
Kaimai, the Public School, Lower Kaimai.
Katikati, the Central Public School.
Kereone, Mr. A. Wild's House.
Kiwitahi, the Public School.
Kiwitahi, the Soldiers' Hall.
Maketu, the Public School.
Manawaru, the Public School.
Mangawhero, the Public School.
Matamata, the Public School.
Maungatapu, the Native School.
Morrinsville, the Courthouse, Moorhouse Street.
Mount Maunganui, the Arcadia Hall.
Ngarua, the Public School.
Ohauti, Tauranga, the Public School.
Okauia, the Public School.
Omanawa Falls, the Public School.
Omokoroa, the Public School.

Oropi, the Public School.
Otumoetai, the Public School.
Paengaroa, the Public School.
Papamoa, the Railway-station Building.
Peria, the Public School, Matai Road, Matamata.
Rangiuru Road, the Public School.
Ruakaka, Te Aroha, Mr. John Meikle's Motor-garage.
Scotchman's Valley (Tahuroa), Mrs. C. Shaw's House.
Tauranga, the Coronation Hall, Spring Street (principal).
Tauranga, the Public School, Cameron Road.
Tauranga, the Show-shed, corner of Cameron Road and Roberts Street.
Tauriko, the Public School.
Tauriko, the Office, Tauriko Sawmill.
Te Aroha, the Palace Theatre.
Te Aroha, the Courthouse.
Te Aroha West, the Public Hall.
Te Kopua, Broad's Flaxmill, near Papamoa.
Te Miro, the Public School.
Te Puke, the Public School, Te Maitai Road.
Te Puke No. 2 School, No. 2 Road.
Te Puke, Mr. Danver's Auction-room.
Te Puna, the Public School.
Turanga-o-moana, the Public School.
Upper Papamoa, the Public School.
Waharoa, the Public School.
Waihou, the Public School.
Waitakohe, No. 3 Public School.
Walton, the Public School.
Wardville, the Public School.
Whakamarama, the Public School.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 12th day of March, 1923.

W. F. MASSEY,
Minister in Charge of Electoral Department.

Lands permanently reserved.

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 three-hundred-and-twenty-second section of the said Act it is provided that land temporarily reserved under the said three-hundred-and-twenty-first section may, at the expiration of one month but not later than six months after the publication in the *Gazette* of notice of such temporary reservation, be permanently reserved, and that notice of such permanent reservation shall be published in the *Gazette*:

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 lands acquired under the last-mentioned Act, provided that no land so acquired shall be set aside for endowments:

And whereas the lands specified in the first column of the Schedule hereto were, by the Warrants the dates of which are specified in the third column of the said Schedule, and the notifications of which were published in the *Gazette* specified in the fourth column of the said Schedule, temporarily reserved under the authority of the said Acts for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule:

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 Acts, do hereby permanently reserve the lands so temporarily reserved as aforesaid, and enumerated in the first column of the Schedule hereto, for the purposes specified in the second column of the said Schedule, being the same purposes for which the said lands were so temporarily reserved as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

First Column.					Second Column.	Third Column.	Fourth Column.
DESCRIPTION OF RESERVES.					Purposes for which Land reserved.	Date of Warrant.	Gazette.
Land District.	Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.			
Auckland ..	Town of Waitakaruru	14	II	A. R. P. 9 3 37	Recreation ..	1923. 10 Jan.	1923. No. 7, 25 Jan.
" ..	Kawhia South S.D.*	6A	IX	5 1 16	Public-school site ..	"	" "
Hawke's Bay	Taramarama S.D.	Lot 1 of 5	VI	2 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock	"	" "
Wellington	Maungakaretu S.D.	19	II	2 3 31	Roadman's cottage site	"	" "
"	Karioi S.D. ..	1	XII	40 2 26	Ballast-pit ..	"	" "
"	Maungakaretu S.D.	7A	XIV	9 1 8	Public-school site ..	"	" "
"	Apiti S.D. ..	17	VI	4 0 0	" ..	24 Jan.	No. 11, 1 Feb.
Marlborough	Erina Settlement ..	1 of 13s	..	2 1 6-6	Gravel ..	10 Jan.	No. 7, 25 Jan.
Otago ..	Woodland S.D. ..	29	III	0 1 2	Public-hall site ..	"	" "
Southland ..	Wairio Village ..	10, 11, 12	V	14 0 26	Recreation ..	"	" "

* Survey district.

As witness the hand of his Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

Lands temporarily reserved in the North Auckland, Auckland, Wellington, Marlborough, Westland, and Otago Land Districts.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and twenty-one of the Land Act, 1908, and section sixty-nine of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the North Auckland, Auckland, Wellington, Marlborough, Westland, and Otago Land Districts described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes specified in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved.
NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
			A. R. P.	
Paremoremo Parish	257	..	4 0 0	Public-school site.
Whangape Survey District	29	IV	2 0 15	"
	(Formerly part of Section 12)			
AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
Hauturu Township	8	..	0 1 0	Public buildings of the General Government.
WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.				
Kaitieke Survey District	6	VIII	63 0 0	Water-conservation.
MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.				
Cape Campbell Survey District	3	XI	2 0 0	Public-school site.
	(Formerly portion S.G.R. 174)			
WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
Otira Survey District	Reserve 1118	X	0 1 13	Police.
Town of Runanga	Reserve 360	XXXI	0 3 29	Public-pound site.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.				
Pukeawa Settlement	15s	..	0 2 0	Public-hall site.
Clifton Settlement	27s	..	1 2 14	Quarry.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 5th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Canelling the Reservation over Portion of a Primary-education Endowment in the North Auckland Land District, and reserving Crown Land in lieu thereof.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section thirty-seven of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1914, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, deeming it expedient in the public interest so to do, do hereby cancel the reservation over that portion of a primary-education reserve described in the First Schedule hereto, and do hereby reserve in lieu thereof the Crown lands of equal value described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF PRIMARY-EDUCATION RESERVE OVER WHICH RESERVATION CANCELLED, NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

PART Section 390, Town of Grahamtown: Area, 8 acres 0 roods 7-3 perches.

As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 4/191A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF CROWN LANDS RESERVED IN LIEU THEREOF, NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 316 to 335 (both inclusive), Town of Grahamtown: Area, 20 acres 0 roods 24 perches.

As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 4/191B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

Also Section 4, Block IV, Whangarei Survey District: Area, 48 acres 0 roods 32 perches.

As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 4/191C, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in North Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction for Cash or on Deferred Payments.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and twenty-six of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Tuesday, the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction for cash or on deferred payments; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAITEMATA COUNTY.—WAIWERA PARISH.

Town of Orewa Extension No. 8.—Allotment 279.

Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.	Lot.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£		A. R. P.	£
1	0 1 1	25	20	0 1 0	25
2	1 1 0	25	21	0 1 0	25
3	0 1 0	25	22	0 1 0	25
4	0 1 0	25	23	0 1 0	25
5	0 1 0	25	24	0 1 0	25
6	0 1 0	25	25	0 1 0	25
7	0 1 0	25	26	0 1 0	30
8	0 1 3	25	27	0 1 0	30
9	0 1 0	25	28	0 1 1	30
10	0 1 0	25	29	0 1 0	30
11	0 1 0	25	30	0 1 0	30
12	0 1 0	25	31	0 1 0	30
13	0 1 0	25	32	0 1 0	30
14	0 1 0	25	33	0 1 0	30
15	0 1 0	25	34	0 1 0	30
16	0 1 0	25	35	0 1 0	30
17	0 1 0	25	36	0 1 0	30
18	0 1 0	25	37	0 1 0	30
19	0 1 0	25			

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 19th day of February, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Notifying Land in Otago Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and twenty-six of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Monday, the thirtieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SUBURBAN LAND.

Town of Cromwell.

SECTIONS 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12, 13, and 14, Block LIV: Area of each section, 1 rood; upset price of each section, £3.

The sections are partly within the sand area of Cromwell.

Town of Etrick.

Sections 12 and 13, Block XI: Area, 3 acres 2 roods; upset price, £17 10s.

Level land of fair quality, suitable for building and for fruitgrowing. Situated close to Etrick School and post-office.

Town of Arrowtown Extension.

Section 1, Block XXXV: Area, 4 acres 2 roods 16 perches; upset price, £10.

Weighted with £4, valuation for fencing.

Situated within the Borough of Arrowtown, on the bank of the Arrow River, about three miles from the post-office by a good road.

The land is fairly level. The soil is a light sandy nature, on a rock formation.

Section 2, Block XXXV: Area, 4 acres 2 roods 38 perches; upset price, £15.

Weighted with £5, valuation for two-roomed house.

Situated in the Borough of Arrowtown, on the bank of the Arrow River, about three miles from the post-office. Good access. More than half the area is good land, balance poor and stony. Soil a light loam, on schist formation; not well watered.

TOWN LAND.

City of Dunedin.—Township of Cranston.

Section 35: Area, 22.9 perches; upset price, £95.

This section is fairly level; would make a good building-site; it lies within three minutes walk of the electric tram.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 10th day of March, 1923

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in the Marlborough Land District for Sale or Selection.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Monday, the ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Marlborough County.—Tennyson Survey District.

SECTION 3, Block II: Area, 433 acres 3 roods. Capital value, £1,735. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £43 7s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £34 14s.

Section 4, Block II: Area, 298 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £918. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £22 19s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £18 7s. 3d.

Section 9, Block II: Area, 376 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £1,252. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £31 6s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £25 0s. 10d.

Situated in the Upper Opouri Valley, Tennyson Survey District, and distant about seven miles from the main Blenheim-Nelson Road, and from a dairy factory, access to which is by a formed 12 ft. road to the southern end of the block. The river-flats and sidelings were originally covered with heavy bush, from which the milling-timber has now been removed. The standing bush is of mixed nature, but the greater part is birch. Portions of the flats have been burnt, and sown with English grasses, and all sections will be found to be well watered, with good building-sites and boundaries on good fencing-lines. The country rises from easy to steep slopes of from 300 ft. to 2,700 ft. above sea-level; the flat and easy parts will be found well suitable for dairying, and the hilly parts good healthy sheep-country.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 9th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in North Auckland Land District for Sale or Selection.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased, as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Waitemata County.—Paremoremo Parish.

SECTION 246: Area, 23 acres 3 roods 30 perches. Capital value, £75. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £1 17s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 10s.

Weighted with £24 10s., valuation for improvements consisting of fencing, and a shed 9 ft. by 15 ft.

Altitude 100 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level. Steep broken country, more or less ploughable; covered in fern and manuka. The section has a westerly aspect. The soil varies from a loam of fair quality to a poor clay, resting on clay formation; poorly watered by swampy gullies, probably dry in summer. The section is situated on the ridge road between Riverhead and Albany. Access is from Riverhead, which is about two miles and a half distant by a formed road.

Section 325: Area, 19 acres 1 rood 13 perches. Capital value, £240. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £6. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £4 16s.

Weighted with £19, valuation for improvements consisting of nineteen chains fencing.

Altitude, 50 ft. to 100 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land, all ploughable, 14 acres in fern, manuka, and gorse. The soil varies from a heavy loam to a poor clay, resting on clay formation; watered by a swampy creek, probably dry in summer. Access is from Albany, one mile and a quarter distant by a formed road, one mile of which is metalled. Albany has a good daily motor service to Birkenhead, and a good launch service with Auckland.

Otamatea County.—Mangawai Parish.

Section 243: Area, 134 acres 0 roods 34 perches. Capital value, £290. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £7 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £5 16s.

Section 252: Area, 117 acres. Capital value, £240. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £6. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £4 16s.

Section 253 : Area, 166 acres 3 roods. Capital value, £210. Occupation with right of purchase : Half-yearly rent, £5 5s. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, £4 4s.

Weighted with £98 10s., valuation for improvements.

Section 254 : Area, 230 acres 0 roods 8 perches. Capital value, £460. Occupation with right of purchase : Half-yearly rent, £11 10s. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, £9 4s.

Weighted with £15 10s., valuation for improvements.

Altitude ranges from 50 ft. to 150 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to broken land, covered with short tea-tree and fern. Soil is of clay, resting on clay formation ; fairly well watered by swamps, excepting Section 243, which has no water. Distant from Mangawai about two miles by cart-road partly metalled.

Rodney County.—Otamatea Survey District.

Section 36, Block XVI : Area, 23 acres 0 roods 30 perches. Capital value, £70. Occupation with right of purchase : Half-yearly rent, £1 15s. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, £1 8s.

Altitude, 200 ft. to 260 ft. above sea-level. Undulating land broken by small gullies, covered in fern, hakea, and manuka ; all ploughable. The soil is patchy, varying from a heavy to a poor loam ; poorly watered by swampy stream, dry in summer, but water can be obtained by sinking. The section is situated to the south of the Wellsford Railway-station. The access is from Wellsford, which is about thirty chains distant by formed cart-road.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Bay of Islands County.—Kawakawa Survey District.

Section 6, Block XII : Area, 217 acres. Capital value, £220. Occupation with right of purchase : Half-yearly rent, £5 10s. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, £4 8s.

Altitude, 10 ft. to 200 ft. above sea-level. Hilly and broken land, about one-third fern and manuka scrub, balance heavy manuka and mixed forest comprising totara, puriri, rimu, towai, &c., with medium undergrowth of supplejack, kohutuhutu, mahoe, &c. Soil of inferior quality, on clay and sandstone formation ; well watered by streams. Distant about one mile from Taumarere Railway-station by formed bridle-track.

Rodney County.—Pakiri Survey District.

Section 36, Block XII : Area, 99 acres. Capital value, £100. Occupation with right of purchase : Half-yearly rent, £2 10s. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, £2.

Altitude, 200 ft. to 350 ft. above sea-level. Approximately 25 acres of swamp of fair quality ; the balance is undulating to steep broken country. Approximately half this section is exceptionally poor land, and is all in fern and manuka scrub, with patches of flax in gullies. Three-quarters ploughable. The soil varies from a loam of fair quality to red and white clay, resting on pipeclay formation. The swamp has a fair amount of flax and cabbage-trees in it, and is of fair quality. Well watered by swamp and swampy creeks. Access from Wellsford Railway-station, about one mile and a half distant by formed dray-road, one mile of which is metalled.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 9th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in North Auckland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the national-endowment lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule ; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Bay of Islands County.—Russell Survey District.

SECTION 1, Block VI : Area, 407 acres ; capital value, £800 ; half-yearly rent, £16.

Altitude, 10 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to steep and broken country ; about 35 acres mixed bush in gullies, 100 acres in manuka and fern, and 260 acres poor to fair soil of danthonia, buffalo grass, rat-tail, and an occa-

sional plant of paspalum. Sixty chains of fencing has been done, but is now in ruins. Access is from Opuia by sea, about four miles distant.

Section 1, Block X, area 365 acres 2 roods ; and Section 4, Block X, area 40 acres : Total area, 405 acres 2 roods ; capital value £560 ; half-yearly rent, £11 4s.

Section 1.—Altitude, 10 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to steep and broken country. About 200 acres mixed bush, balance fern and tall tea-tree. The soil is volcanic, resting on sandstone formation. Forest is light mixed bush, with a dense undergrowth of karie, &c. ; well watered by stream. A surveyed road intersects the Waikare-Keretu Road, distant about four miles. The access is by boat down the Waikino Stream to Opuia, which is about four miles distant.

Section 4.—Altitude, 10 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. Undulating to hilly country ; 20 acres in danthonia, balance light bush and manuka. Soil is of good quality, volcanic, resting on sandstone formation. Access is from Opuia, which is about five miles distant.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 9th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Opening Town Lands in Westland Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the town land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule ; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

Runanga Borough.—Runanga Township.

PART Section 1, Block VIII : Area, 21.5 perches ; capital value, £50 ; half-yearly rent, £1 5s.

Weighted with £40, valuation for building.

Runanga Township is situated at the State Coal-mine about three miles by road and railway from Greymouth.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 10th day of March, 1923.

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 8, Block VIII, Opoe Survey District : Area, 34 acres 3 roods 28 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 12th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Setting apart Crown Lands 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 lands described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

Rangaunu Survey District.

SECTION	Block		Area,	A.	R.	P.
23,	VIII	..	..	80	0	0
"	10	"	"	53	0	3
"	9	"	"	20	3	32
"	11	"	"	47	2	26

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 12th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Portion of a Primary-education Endowment in the Mauriceville Settlement, Wellington Land District, set apart as a Site for a Public School.

JELlicOE, Governor-General

WHEREAS by section five of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1911, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, on the recommendation of the Land Board of the district in which are situated any reserves or endowments vested in the Crown by or in pursuance of section two of the Education Reserves Amendment Act, 1910, set apart as sites for public schools, secondary schools, or technical schools any part of such reserves or endowments:

And whereas the Land Board of the Wellington Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the primary-education endowment described in the Schedule hereto should be set apart as a site for a public school, 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 powers conferred by the Acts aforesaid, do hereby set apart the portion of the primary-education endowment described in the Schedule hereto as a site for a public school.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 5 acres 2 roods 28·2 perches, more or less, being part of Section 46, Settlement of Mauriceville, situated in Block I, Kopuaranga Survey District, and being lot numbered 2 on the plan numbered 122/23, deposited in the Wellington District Office of the Lands and Survey Department, and thereon bordered green.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 5th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

Declaring Portion of the Weka Stream, Canterbury, to be a Sanctuary under the Animals Protection and Game Act 1921-22.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

PURSUANT to the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the area described in the Schedule hereto shall be a sanctuary for the purposes of the said Act, and that no imported or native game shall be taken or killed within the said area except pursuant to an authority granted under section thirty-one or section thirty-two of the said Act; nor shall any person, except under such conditions as may from time to time be prescribed by the Minister, take any dog or firearm into such area, or discharge any firearm or explosive in such area, or do anything likely to cause any imported game or native game to leave such area.

SCHEDULE.

THAT portion of the Weka Stream and its tributaries flowing through or bounding the properties of Messrs. F. C. Archer, A. Todd, R. B. Johnson, L. W. Ferguson, W. Antill, and A. Craighead, in the Waikari Survey District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 9th day of March, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Blue Wren or Superb Warbler absolutely protected.

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section three of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that from and after the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, the bird known as the blue wren or superb warbler (*Malurus cyaneochlamys*) shall be deemed to be included in the First Schedule of the said Act.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of March, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Miners' Rights no longer issued at Waikāia Post-office.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the Mining Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the post-office at

WAIKAI

shall no longer be a post-office at which miners' rights may be issued.

As witness my hand this 3rd day of March, 1923. •

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

(Mines N. 10/6.)

Member of Taranaki Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 26th February, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to reappoint

SAMUEL BLAKE

to be a member of the Taranaki Land Board, as from the 1st April, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Members of Court of Arbitration appointed.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 13th March, 1923.

ON the recommendation of industrial unions of employers His Excellency the Governor-General has appointed

WILLIAM SCOTT (of Christchurch), Nominated Member, and BERTIE LAURENCE HAMMOND (of Wellington), Acting Nominated Member, of the Court of Arbitration.

On the recommendation of industrial unions of workers His Excellency the Governor-General has appointed

HIRAM HUNTER (of Christchurch), Nominated Member, and WILLIAM EDWARD SILL (of Auckland), Acting Nominated Member, of the Court of Arbitration.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

Official Visitor, Mental Hospital, Nelson, appointed.

Mental Hospitals Department,
Wellington, 7th March, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

ANNIE SCANTLEBURY

to be an Official Visitor under the Mental Defectives Act, 1911, within the Provincial District of Nelson.

W. FRASER,
For Minister in Charge of Mental Hospitals.

Coroner resigns.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 7th March, 1923.

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

CHARLES EDWARD MACMILLAN, Esq., J.P.,

of Tauranga, of his appointment as a Coroner within the Dominion of New Zealand.

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

Trustees of the Kawa West Rabbit District appointed.—
Notice No. 2251.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 13th March, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in terms of section 75 (2) of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908,

ASHTON, LYONEL GEORGE,
BROADBENT, SAMUEL GEORGE,
BLENNERHASSETT, RICHARD GILES,
COVERDALE, OSWALD MILES, and
TEASDALE, JOHN BURGESS,

to be members of the Kawa West Board of Rabbit Trustees.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

Inspectors for the Purposes of the Dairy Industry Act, 1908, appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 28th February, 1923.

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

DAVID SAMUEL ANGUS WEIR,
HENRY KITTO,
ANDREW GEORGE BAIN, and
STANLEY JAMES LUGG

to be Inspectors for the purposes of the Dairy Industry Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of March, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Deputy Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands, North Auckland, appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 28th February, 1923.

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

ALFRED HERBERT VICKERMAN

to be Deputy Chief Surveyor and Commissioner of Crown Lands, North Auckland, for the purposes of the Land Act, 1908, and section 4 of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1912, as from the 6th day of March, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Substitute Registrar of Electors appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 28th February, 1923.

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

JOHN CLASSEN HARDING

to be the Substitute Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Hawke's Bay, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of February, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Inspector of Stone-quarries appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 16th February, 1923.

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

JOHN ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL BAYNE

to be an Inspector of Stone-quarries, for the purposes of the Stone-quarries Act, 1910, as from the 30th day of January, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 8th March, 1923.

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

VICTOR CHARLES LAWN

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Aorere, as from the 2nd March, 1923.

JOHN PATRICK O'GORMAN

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris, for the district of Hawera, as from the 26th February, 1923.

WILLIAM EDWARD SOMERVILLE WATSON

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Waitahuna, as from the 3rd March, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 10th March, 1923.

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

Kai Iwi Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Kai Iwi.

Date of acceptance, 19th February, 1923.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Plant declared to be a Noxious Weed by the Opotiki County Council.—Notice No. 2250.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 10th March, 1923.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the Opotiki County Council has, by special order, declared Japanese wineberry to be a noxious weed within the meaning of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, in the district under its jurisdiction.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

Notice of Intention to take Land in Blocks III, IV, VII, and VIII, Maungaharuru Survey District.

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

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	
11	1	0	Portion of Tutira Block, Blocks IV & VIII.
7	0	32.4	" " " " III & VII.

Situated in Maungaharuru Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 692.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 54351, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 8th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

Notice of Meeting of Owners.

MATAHINA A No. 1D; MATAHINA A No. 2; MATAHINA A No. 3B.

ON the 31st July, 1914, the owners of these blocks passed resolutions whereby they agreed to sell the same at prices then decided upon. Owing to certain circumstances, the proposed purchasers have hitherto not been able to complete. There now seems to be a prospect of their being able to do so, and certain proposals have been put forward.

The Board is of opinion that all persons interested should have an opportunity of considering the position, and of discussing the matter with the representatives of the purchasers. With this object in view, a meeting of the owners is hereby convened by the undersigned.

Such meeting will be held at Whakatane on Tuesday, the 17th April, 1923, at 10.30 a.m., when a full attendance is desired.

Dated at Rotorua this 7th day of March, 1923.

W. H. BOWLER,
Deputy President, Waiariki District
Maori Land Board.

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

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 21st February, 1923.

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

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.			
Cole, Vera Louisa Emilie	Cadette	Wellington	15 December, 1920.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Jarratt, Emily Elizabeth (Mrs.)	Assistant Teacher	Pipiriki Native School	1 February, 1921.
Tahana, Isabella	2nd Assistant Teacher	Pawarenga Native School	31 January, ..
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.			
Meehan, William James	Quarry-manager	Mount Eden Prison Quarry, Auckland	1 December, 1920.
Revie, David	Warder	Waikeria Reformatory, Te Awamutu	1 February, 1921.
Stewart, Angus John .. .. .	.. .. .	H.M. Prison, Paparua	1 December, 1920.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Houston, Alan	Cadet	Dunedin	1 February, 1921.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Cross, Francis Ivan	Engine-driver	Whangarei District	1 February, 1921.
Sampson, Gerard William	Land Surveyor	Hydro-electrical Branch, Wellington	1

OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Udy, Ward Howard	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Analyst	Chemical Laboratory, Wellington	1 June, 1922.
AUDIT DEPARTMENT.					
Fisher, Ernest Egbert	Assistant in Audit Inspector's Office (C, VI)	Dunedin	Stores Audit Inspector (C, V)	Dunedin	1 Jan., 1923.
Gair, Charles Jeremiah Marsh	Audit Inspector (C, V)	Wellington	Audit Inspector (C, IV)	Greymouth	1 Nov., 1922.
Gapper, Gordon Saywell .. .. .	.. .. . (C, IV)	Christchurch .. .. .	.. .. . (C, III)	Napier	1 Jan., 1923.
Hale, Edward Leslie	Assistant in Audit Inspector's Office (C, VI)	Auckland .. .. .	.. .. . (C, V)	Auckland	1

OFFICERS PROMOTED—*continued.*

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AUDIT DEPARTMENT—<i>continued.</i>					
Hamon, Martin Clive	Assistant in Audit Inspector's Office (C, VI)	Christchurch	Audit Inspector (C, V)	Christchurch	1 Jan., 1923.
Henderson, Walter Phillip Ness	Assistant Audit Inspector (C, V)	Auckland	" (C, IV)	Hamilton	1 " "
Kane, William John	Examiner (C, VI)	Wellington	" (C, V)	Wellington	1 " "
McKay, Donald	Assistant Audit Inspector (C, V)	Auckland	" (C, IV)	Nelson	1 " "
Martin, Robert Harry	Assistant in Audit Inspector's Office (C, VI)	Invercargill	" (C, V)	Christchurch	1 " "
Talbot, Alfred Beard	Examiner (C, VII)	Wellington	Audit Inspector's Assistant (C, VI)	Invercargill	1 " "
Watters, Frederick Robert	Book-keeper (C, VII)	"	"	Auckland	1 " "
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.					
Anderson, Bruce	Inspector	Christchurch	Inspector (Travelling)	Dunedin	9 Jan., 1923.
Williamson, Thomas	Assisting Examining Officer (C, VI)	Dunedin	Examining Officer (C, V)	"	2 Dec., 1922.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.					
Smith, Henry Gilmore	Clerk of Magistrate's Court (C, V)	Hastings	Clerk of Magistrate's Court, &c. (C, IV)	Masterton	23 Jan., 1923.
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.					
Murdoch, John Matthew	Inspector of Factories (2nd Grade)	Wellington	Inspector of Scaffolding (1st Grade)	Auckland	22 Jan., 1923.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
Cleverdon, Richard	Sorter	Head Office, Wellington	Collector of Rents and Inspector of Securities	Dunedin	9 Jan., 1923.
Roe, Thomas Strathallan	Survey Cadet (C, VII)	North Auckland Office, Auckland	Surveyor (P, E)	North Auckland Office, Auckland	1 Nov., 1922.
Wicks, Arthur John	Land Transfer Draughtsman (P, D)	Nelson	Land Transfer Draughtsman (P, D)	Christchurch	5 Jan., 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Bell, Alexander	Estates Administration Clerk (C, V)	Invercargill	Estates Administration Clerk (C, IV)	Invercargill	5 Jan., 1923.
Moore, Frederick John Evelyn	First Assistant District Public Trustee (C, II)	Christchurch	District Public Trustee (C, I)	Hamilton	20 Dec., 1922.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Duff, John Richard	Draughtsman (C, VI)	Christchurch	Draughtsman (C, V)	Christchurch	1 Dec., 1922.
STATE FIRE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.					
Belcher, Alan St. Clair	Clerk (C, VII)	Auckland	Fire Risk Surveyor (C, VI)	Auckland	1 Nov., 1922.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL PROMOTION.					
Woods, John Francis	Clerk and Messenger (G)	Justice Department, Wellington	Clerk (C, VII)	Prisons Department, Wellington	1 Jan., 1923.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Ballantine, Gavin Wiseman ..	Milk-tester	Levin	Milk-tester	Temuka	18 Jan., 1923.
Fraser, Thomas Watson ..	"	Woodville	"	Leeston	24 " "
French, Thomas ..	Native Inspector ..	Hamilton	Native Inspector ..	Wairoa	6 Dec., 1922.
Morris, John Leyland ..	Inspector of Stock ..	"	Inspector of Stock ..	Cambridge ..	15 Jan., 1923.
Sims, George Charles ..	Meat Inspector (temp.) ..	Wellington ..	Meat Inspector ..	Tokomaru Bay ..	22 Dec., 1922.
AUDIT DEPARTMENT.					
Alley, George Edward ..	Audit Inspector's Assistant ..	Wellington ..	Audit Inspector ..	Auckland ..	1 Jan., 1923.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.					
Long, Leonard Augustus ..	Locker, Manufacturing Warehouse ..	Christchurch ..	Locker and Searcher ..	Timaru ..	22 Jan., 1923.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.					
Beer, Jessie Harriette Elsie ..	School Nurse	Dunedin	Night Charge Sister ..	Queen Mary Hospital, Hanmer	9 Dec., 1922.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.					
Henderson, Harold James ..	Clerk in Supreme Court ..	Wellington ..	Clerk in Courts ..	Nelson ..	4 Jan., 1923.
Munro, Hugh ..	Clerk of Court	Auckland	Clerk of Magistrate's Court ..	Pukekohe ..	8 " "
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.					
Coldham, Lilian May ..	Typist	Auckland	Typist	Wellington (temp.) ..	3 Jan., 1923.
Sansum, Dorothy ..	"	Wellington	"	Auckland (temp.) ..	3 " "
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
Clarke, Francis Ivan ..	Clerk	North Auckland Office, Auckland	Clerk	Kauri-gum Superintendent's Office, Auckland	8 Jan., 1923.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.					
McMillan, Donald ..	Senior Attendant, with special qualifications	Porirua	Gardener	Porirua	1 Jan., 1923.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.					
McAlpine, Thomas ..	Warder	H.M. Prison, Wellington ..	Night Watch Warder ..	Point Halswell Reformatory, Wellington	21 Jan., 1923.
Robinson, Henry ..	"	Wi Tako Prison, Trentham ..	Warder	H.M. Prison, Wellington ..	9 " "
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Hunt, Sydney William Tremayne ..	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	Clerk	District Office, Wellington ..	24 Jan., 1923.
McIntyre, Henry Fawcett ..	Cashier	District Office, Wellington ..	"	"	15 " "
Stockman, Kumara Charles ..	Assistant Accountant ..	"	District Accountant ..	Hamilton	22 " "

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED—*continued.*

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Cowing, Jacob Bushby	Assistant Engineer	Wairoa	Assistant Engineer	Gisborne	15 Jan., 1923.
Ingley, Joseph Horace	Clerk	Alexandra	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	13 " "
Lush, Arthur	Assistant Electrical Engineer	Arapuni	Assistant Electrical Engineer	"	25 " "
McCallum, Craig Scott	Clerk	Dunedin	Clerk	Wairoa	5 " "
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.					
Jeffs, Cyril Douglas	Cadet	Wellington	Cadet	Auckland	16 Jan., 1923.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.					
Hill, James	Clerk	Agriculture Department, Wellington	Stores Audit Inspector	Audit Department, Christchurch	1 Jan., 1923.
O'Driscoll, Mary Margaret	Shorthand-typist	Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	Shorthand-typist	Education Department, Wellington	12 " "
Bellamy, Leonard Ernest	Inspector of Weights and Measures	Labour Department, Christchurch	Relieving Officer	Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	1 " "
Frost, Doris Eltham	Shorthand-typist	Lands and Survey Department, Christchurch	Shorthand-typist	Public Works Department, Wellington	8 " "
Taylor, Christina Evelyn Nina Robin	"	Public Works Department, Wellington	"	Health Department, Christchurch	8 " "
Hardman, Sydney Smith	Clerk	Stamp Duties Department, Auckland	Clerk	Land and Deeds Department, Auckland	10 " "
Ayling, Alice Elizabeth	Shorthand-typist	State Advances Department, Wellington	Shorthand-typist	Public Trust Department, Timaru	12 " "
Cowling, Alfred	Caretaker	Tongariro National Park, Tourist and Health Resorts Department, Waimarino	Caretaker	Tongariro National Park, Lands and Survey Department, Waimarino	1 " "

RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.			
Wood, Cecil Walkden	Clerical Cadet	Chemical Laboratory, Wellington	31 Jan., 1923.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.			
Bainbridge, Wallace Campbell St. Clair	Cadet	Auckland	31 Jan., 1923.
Bockett, Arthur Ernest	"	"	31 " "
Watson, Janet Isabella	Shorthand-typist	"	15 Feb., "
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.			
Barry, Edward Fitzgerald	Cadet.. ..	Wellington	9 Feb., 1923.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Drummond, James	Chief Inspector of Secondary Schools	Wellington	31 Jan., 1923.
Guest, Frances Lilian	Second Assistant Teacher	Te Teko Native School	31 " "
Russell (<i>nee</i> Osborn), Dorothy Alice	Assistant Teacher	School for the Deaf, Sumner	31 Dec., 1922.
Whitehead, Admiral	Head Teacher	Te Araroa Native School	31 " "
Whitehead, Rachel Ethel (Mrs.)	1st Assistant Teacher	"	31 " "
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Boyd, Jean	District Nurse to Natives	Taumarunui	27 Jan., 1923.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Powell, Dorothy	Shorthand-typist	Head Office, Wellington	19 Feb., 1923.
Roberts, Lilian Sarah Maud	Typist	Relieving Staff, Wellington	12 " "
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.			
Bate, Walter Edwin	Clerk in Courts	Napier	31 Jan., 1923.
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.			
Bockett, Herbert Leslie	Cadet.. ..	Auckland	31 Jan., 1923.
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.			
Ballantine, Muriel	Clerk	Wellington	10 Feb., 1923.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Lord, Edna Vera	Shorthand-typist	North Auckland Office, Auckland	20 Jan., 1923.
Wills, Louisa Kate	Typist	Head Office, Wellington	27 " "
MARINE DEPARTMENT.			
Card, Alice Rosamund	Typist	Head Office, Wellington	18 Feb., 1923.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Moore, Cyril Joseph Stafford	Senior Attendant	Christchurch	16 Jan., 1923.
Peel, George Albert	Attendant	Porirua	26 " "
Pettit, Alfred Ernest	"	Christchurch	30 " "
Pickering, Edwin Arthur	"	"	9 " "
Preston, Frank Thomas	"	Porirua	18 " "
Smith, Joseph Lawrence	Cadet.. ..	Christchurch	13 " "
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.			
Bedingfield, Percy Norman	Cadet.. ..	Head Office, Wellington	31 Jan., 1923.
Robertson, John Ernest.. ..	"	"	31 Dec., 1922.
Williams, Margareta Mary Naomi	Shorthand-typist	District Office, Wellington	13 Jan., 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Chesterman, George Herbert	2nd Assistant District Public Trustee	Wellington	17 Feb., 1923.
Haldane, Gilbert Ross	Cadet.. ..	Dunedin	27 Jan., "
Lindsay, Jemima Margaret	Shorthand-typist	Timaru	11 " "
McCarthy, Gwendoline Mary	Clerk	Auckland	1 Feb., "
Murphy, Margaret	Shorthand-typist	Wellington	13 " "
Neale, Florence Isabell	"	Christchurch	15 " "
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Wakelin, Maurice Stephen	Clerical Cadet	Dunedin	18 Jan., 1923.
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.			
Haydon, William Thomas Henry	Cadet.. ..	Auckland	17 Jan., 1923.
Mitchell, Wilfred Alexander	Clerk	"	8 Dec., 1922.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.			
McNair, George Christopher	Cadet.. ..	Auckland	30 Nov., 1922.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.				
Woodford, Claude Albert Curtis	Nightwatchman	Wellington	22 Jan., 1923	Deceased.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.				
Brown, Walter Edward ..	Secretary-Manager ..	Westport Harbour ..	11 Feb., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
Edmonds, William Noble ..	Principal Keeper ..	Waipapapa Point ..	27 Dec., 1922	Deceased.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Halligan, Robert Henry ..	Attendant	Hokitika	28 Dec., 1922	Deceased.
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.				
Hall, James Watkin ..	Senior Clerk	Wellington	11 Feb., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.				
Pawsey, Benjamin Smith ..	Warder	Paparua Prison, Templeton	13 Jan., 1923	Services terminated.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Ngamotu, Rahui ..	Surfaceman	Taupo	31 Jan., 1923	Services terminated.
Strombom, Herbert Charles Caulfield	Overseer	Stratford	26 " "	Deceased.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.				
McGirr, George Frederick ..	Tourist Agent	Te Aroha	29 Jan., 1923	Deceased.

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

Warden's Court, Naseby, 10th February, 1923.

PURSUANT to section 30 (4) of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914, notice is hereby given that the mining privileges mentioned in the Schedule hereto have this day been struck off the register.

C. R. J. INDER, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
1237	20/10/02	Water-race	Garibaldi	Charles Dougherty.
606	17/1/79	"	Kyeburn Diggings ..	John Ewing.
2266	30/3/06	"	Maerwhenua River ..	Alex. and Geo. Meikle.
2430	4/7/68	"	Blue Duck Creek ..	N. Thomas and R. Hore.
2433	6/7/68	"	Mount Burster	"
2431	4/7/68	"	Milans Creek	"
2429	4/7/68	"	Webb's Creek	"
813	4/11/72	"	Clark's Gully	"
7459	2/12/81	"	Deep Creek	"
7458	2/12/81	"	Milans Gully	"
356	13/5/69	"	Robinson's Creek ..	"
1084	30/12/69	"	Little Kyeburn	"
21315	23/4/86	"	"	"
1657	29/1/04	"	Idaburn Creek	George Turnbull.
1449	26/5/03	"	Swinburn	Euphemia H. Logan.
519	12/6/66	"	German Creek	Yet On and others.
21517	24/9/87	"	Macrae's	Ge Choung.
5303	17/8/80	"	Blackstone Hill ..	William B. Leader.
21770	16/7/87	"	Shepherd's Hut Creek	Mary J. Griffiths.
1425	16/4/03	"	Rock and Pillar ..	Thomas Ramsay.
1121	16/6/02	"	Spec Gully	Eliza Creighton.
2689	28/1/75	"	Kyeburn	Thomas Blanchard.
1509	3/8/03	"	Wedderburn	William P. Newman and others.
1510	3/8/03	"	Enterprise Gully ..	"
1511	3/8/03	"	Wedderburn	"
3111	23/8/10	"	Wedderburn Creek ..	Euphemia Davis.
2926	14/10/09	"	Oturehua	Frank Jopson.
455	4/5/00	"	Wedderburn	David Messant.
1452	12/6/03	"	Sowburn Creek	William A. McLean.

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

Warden's Court, Riverton, 26th February, 1923.

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

A. BRANDFORD,
Deputy Mining Registrar, Riverton and Orepuki.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
RIVERTON REGISTER.				
862	7/9/04	Water-race	Chalky Inlet	Port Pegasus Fishing Company.
861	7/6/04	"	"	Benjamin Gilmore Thompson.
921	17/5/05	"	Preservation	"
922	13/2/07	"	"	"
1001	13/2/07	"	"	"
1555	7/3/16	"	Wakapatu	Smith and Co. (Limited).
OREPUKI REGISTER.				
349	7/9/04	Water-race	Orepuki	James Hoggett.

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

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 28th February, 1923.

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

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.			
Bricknell, Dennis George	Warder	Borstal Institution, Invercargill	1 November, 1920.
Kilpatrick, John Forrest	„	„	1 „ „
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Okeby, Laurence Thomas	Clerk	District Office, Wellington	1 January, 1921.

OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.					
Courtney, Thomas Michael ..	Examining Officer, (C VI) ..	Auckland	Examining Officer (C, V)..	Auckland	8 Jan., 1923.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Proctor, William	Assistant Teacher	Te Waotu Native School ..	Head Teacher	Te Waotu Native School ..	1 Jan., 1923.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Pyne, Arthur William	Assistant Accountant (C, V) ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	Accountant (C, IV)	Head Office, Wellington ..	22 Dec., 1922.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.					
Bishop, James Theophilus..	Clerk of Magistrates Court, &c. (C, V)	Masterton	Senior Clerk (C, IV)	Head Office, Wellington ..	14 Feb., 1923.
Wylde, Percy Harold	Clerk of Magistrates Court (C, VII)	Taihape	Clerk of Courts (C, VI)	Paeroa	6 „ „
MARINE DEPARTMENT.					
Ross, William John	Assistant Keeper	Manukau South Head	Principal Keeper	Cape Maria Van Diemen ..	23 Jan., 1923.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
Ross, Hector McLennan	Survey Cadet (P.F.)	Auckland	Surveyor (P.E.)	Auckland	1 Nov., 1922.

OFFICERS PROMOTED—continued.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.					
Fleming, Annie Hilda	Nurse	Seacliff	Cook (1st)	Seacliff	1 Feb., 1923.
Fraser, Donald	Attendant	"	Senior Attendant	"	1 Oct., 1922.
*Sweeney, Patrick	Attendant	Christchurch	"	Christchurch	1 " "
MINES DEPARTMENT.					
Crawford, Hugh	Assistant Instructor	School of Mines, Thames	Instructor	School of Mines, Thames	13 Feb., 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Coombe, Frederick Charles	District Accountant and Chief Clerk (P.D.)	Hamilton	District Accountant (P.B.)	Christchurch	3 Feb., 1923.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Dalmer, Norman Eric	Clerk (C, VII)	Head Office, Wellington	Electrical Engineering Cadet (P.F.)	Christchurch	21 Feb., 1923.
Wilson, Mary Ann	Shorthand-typiste	Head Office, Wellington	Office Assistant	Head Office, Wellington	9 " "
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.					
Butt, Edgar	Electric Lineman (1st Grade)	Rotorua	Electrician (2nd Grade)	Rotorua	1 Feb., 1923.

* Amending entry on page 534 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No 16, of the 15th February, 1923.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Elliott, David	Inspector of Stock	Cambridge	Inspector of Stock	Auckland	1 Feb., 1923.
Harris, William	"	Wellington	"	Wairoa	9 Jan., "
Ironside, George Ernest	"	Pahiatua	"	Wanganui	18 " "
Johnston, James Gibb	Meat Inspector	Mataura	"	Wellington	30 " "
Kinghorn, Alexander	Inspector of Stock	Hastings	"	Waipukurau	31 " "
Mackenzie, Alexander	Veterinarian	Petone	Veterinarian	Hamilton	1 Feb., "
Mackenzie, Donald William Stewart	Meat Inspector	Kaeo (temporary)	Meat Inspector	Russell	28 Nov., 1922.
Parker, John Gilmour	Inspector of Stock	Waipukurau	Inspector of Stock	Stratford	6 Feb., 1923.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED—continued.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Callaway, Christina	2nd Assistant Teacher	Whakarewarewa Native School	Assistant Teacher	Papamoa Native School	1 Feb., 1923.
Guerin, Nellie	1st Assistant Teacher	Kaikohe Native School	2nd Assistant Teacher	Kaikohe Native School	1 " "
Haerewa, Areta	"	Tokomaru Bay Native School	"	Whakarewarewa Native School	1 " "
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.					
Irvine, Robert John	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Clerk	Dunedin (Temporarily)	3 Jan., 1923.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.					
Josland, Sydney Walter	Professional Cadet	Invercargill	Professional Cadet	Dunedin	31 Jan., 1923.
Newman, Harriet Elizabeth	Matron	St. Helens Hospital, Christchurch	Matron	St. Helens Hospital, Wellington	19 " "
Saunders, Ivor Wendell	Cadet	Wellington	Cadet	Invercargill	9 " "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Fouhy, Cecilia	Typiste	Head Office, Wellington	Typiste	Dominion Laboratory, Wellington	31 Jan., 1923.
Goldsworthy, William Harold	Clerk	Christchurch	Clerk	Head Office; Wellington	6 " "
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
O'Leary, Victor Cornelius	Clerk	Auckland	Clerk	North Auckland	17 Feb., 1923.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.					
Gotts, Roy Stanley	Assistant Keeper	Cuvier Island	Assistant Keeper	Tiri Tiri	10 Jan., 1923.
Pearce, Albert Victor	Principal Lightkeeper	Cape Maria Van Diemen	Principal Lightkeeper	Cape Brett	24 " "
Sutherland, Ronald Stuart	Assistant Keeper	Cape Foulwind	Assistant Keeper	Cuvier Island	8 " "
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.					
Morris, Henry	Deputy Charge Attendant	Tokanui	Gardener	Tokanui	1 Nov., 1922.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Aitchison, William Ronald	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Clerk	Dunedin	19 Feb., 1923.
Beattie, William Richie	"	Greymouth	"	Christchurch	14 " "
Dixon, Raymond Twizell	"	Head Office, Wellington	"	District Office, Wellington	6 " "
Gilbert, Thomas George	District Public Trustee	Masterton	Unattached	"	6 " "
Gudsell, Leslie Mansfield	Junior Estates Administration Clerk	Christchurch	Junior Estates Administration Clerk	Greymouth	5 " "
Millier, William Robert	Estates Administration Clerk	District Office, Wellington	Assistant Accountant	District Office, Wellington	12 " "
Playne, Clarence James	District Accountant (P, B)	Christchurch	First Assistant District Public Trustee (C, II)	Christchurch	20 Dec., 1922.
Walker, William James Henry	Clerk	Napier	Officer in Charge	Marton	20 Feb., 1923.
Ward, Raymond William	Officer in Charge	Marton	Estates Administration Clerk	Christchurch	21 " "

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED—*continued.*

Name	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Burrell, Leopold Ernest	Overseer	Alexandra	Overseer	Dunedin	26 Jan., 1923.
Doig, Fergus Martin	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Draughting Cadet	Electrical Branch, Wellington	12 Feb., "
Gwynn, Percy Harold	Draughtsman	Christchurch	Assistant Engineer	Christchurch	1 " "
Hinton, Walter John Walsh	Overseer	Otira	Overseer	Arapeti	14 " "
Johnston, Charles Stewart MacDonald	"	Catlins	"	Te Kuiti	10 " "
King, Wilford Bertrand	Draughtsman	Christchurch	Draughtsman	Wellington District	6 Dec., 1922.
Lyon, Alexander Mortimus	Inspector of Works	Napier	Inspector of Works	Mangahao	12 Feb., 1923.
MacDonald, Robert Malcolm	Overseer	Otira	Overseer	Arapeti	5 " "
Mitchell, William John	Fitter and Erector	Waikaremoana	Shift Operator (Acting Inspector)	Dunedin	1 " "
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.					
Carroll, Kate	Clerk	Napier	Clerk	Auckland	5 Feb., 1923.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.					
Cox, Robert Wallace	Cadet	Wellington	Cadet	Auckland	25 Oct., 1922.
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.					
Eggleston, Edward	District Valuer	Blenheim	District Valuer	Christchurch	14 Feb., 1923.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.					
Chithey, Alice Emily	Shorthand-typiste	Defence Department, Wellington	Shorthand-Typiste	Public Trust Department, Wellington	15 Feb., 1923.
Phimister, Hazel Annie Winifred	"	Health Department, Wellington	"	Relieving Staff, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	1 " "
Rubenstein, Annie	"	"	"	Ditto	5 " "
Patton, Annie Pauline	"	Immigration Department, Wellington	"	District Office, Public Trust Department, Wellington	17 " "
Holloway, Daisie Emma	Machinist	Census and Statistics Office, Internal Affairs Department, Wellington	"	State Advances Department, Wellington	1 " "
Heffernan, William Thomas Patrick	Cadet	Lands and Deeds Department, Wellington	Cadet	Stamp Duties Department, Auckland	8 Jan., "
Copeland, Winifred	Typiste	Public Service Superannuation Department, Wellington	Typiste	State Advances Department, Wellington	5 Feb., "
*Brooke-Taylor, Adele	Shorthand-Typiste	Public Trust Department, Wellington	Shorthand-typiste in Charge	Education Department, Wellington	17 June, 1922.
Darling, James Keith	Clerical Cadet	Head Office, Public Works Department, Wellington	Clerical Cadet	State Coal Depot, Mines Department, Christchurch	19 Feb., 1923.
Duncan, Mary Clementina	Shorthand-typiste	State Advances Department, Wellington	Shorthand-typiste	Education Department, Wellington	5 " "

* Amending entry on page 1813 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 54, of the 13th July, 1922.

RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.			
Burton, Samuel	Veterinarian	Hamilton	28 Feb., 1923.
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.			
Elton, Alexa Margaret Ion ..	Office Assistant	Wellington	13 Jan., 1923.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Black, May Elizabeth	3rd Assistant Teacher	Te Araroa Native School ..	31 Jan., 1923.
Currie, Abigail (Mrs.)	Head Teacher	Huiarau Native School ..	28 Feb., "
Currie, John	Assistant Teacher	Wellington "	28 " "
Devlin, Norah Ann	Literary Assistant, <i>School Journal</i>	Wellington "	28 " "
Gracie, Mary Little Stuart ..	1st Assistant Teacher	Rangitukia Native School..	31 Jan., "
Gracie, Thomas	Head Teacher	" "	28 Feb., "
Robinson, Ethel Adeline	Assistant Teacher	Waikare Native School ..	28 " "
Robinson, George	Head Teacher	" "	28 " "
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Ellis, Edward Ernest	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington ..	31 Jan., 1923.
Petrie, Arthur Frederick	Cadet.. ..	" "	31 " "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Smith, James Wilson	Messenger	Wellington	8 Feb., 1923.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.			
Sanderson, Reginald Charles Gerald	Cadet.. ..	Auckland	31 Jan., 1923.
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.			
Chappell, William James	Inspector of Factories	Invercargill	20 Jan., 1923.
Scanlen, Myrtle Eulalie	Clerk and Probationary Inspector of Factories	Christchurch	28 Feb., "
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.			
Mason, Fanny	Cadette	Wellington	8 Feb., 1923.
Smith, Alma Clark	"	"	31 Jan., "
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Alley, Hector John	Clerical Cadet	Napier	28 Feb., 1923.
Robb, Eleanor Edith	Typist	Head Office, Wellington ..	7 " "
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Brunt, Amy Florence Russell ..	Nurse.. ..	Seacliff	24 Jan., 1923.
Ferguson, Mary Louise	"	Christchurch	20 Feb., "
Hogan, William Francis	Attendant	" "	4 " "
Nehoff, Agnes Elizabeth	Nurse.. ..	Seacliff	31 Jan., "
Pringle, Ivy Hillier	"	" "	10 " "
Shaw, Hannah	"	" "	24 " "
Solomon, Margaret Ann	"	" "	14 " "
Thomas, Harry	Attendant	Hokitika	7 " "
Winter, Winifred	Nurse.. ..	Seacliff	31 " "
MINES DEPARTMENT.			
Baker, William Henry	Instructor	School of Mines, Thames ..	12 Feb., "
*Hadcroft, James	Underviewer	State Coal-mines, Greymouth	31 Dec., 1922.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Appleton, George	Cadet.. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	2 Feb., 1923.
Brown, Frederick Harold	Clerk	Christchurch	6 " "
Hellyer, Muritai Flora	Ledger Posting Machinist	Dunedin	28 " "
Marryatt, Florence Margaret ..	Office Assistant	District Office, Wellington	28 " "
Noonan, Norah Ross	Shorthand-typiste	Hamilton	14 " "
You, Eva Gertrude	Shorthand-typiste in Charge	Auckland	26 " "
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Spencer, Harrison Nutter	Engineering Cadet	Tauranga	11 Feb., 1923.
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.			
Read, Florence Muriel	Clerk	Auckland	1 Feb., 1923.
STATE FIRE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Heron, Beatrice Arawa	Typiste	Auckland	10 Feb., 1923.
STATE FOREST SERVICE.			
Purcell, Katherine Elizabeth ..	Shorthand-typiste	Wellington	27 Feb., 1923.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.			
Tonkin, Henry Elliott	Electrician	Rotorua	31 Jan., 1923.
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.			
Farmer, Richard Henry	District Valuer	Nelson	28 Feb., 1923.

* Amending entry on page 51 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 2, of the 11th January, 1923.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.				
Fitzgerald, Herbert Forbes	Cadet	Wellington	7 Feb., 1923	Appointment annulled.
Lodge, Alphonsus	.. .. .	.. .. .	2	Deceased.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Dickson, Hugh	Attendant	Nelson	4 Feb., 1923	Services terminated.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.				
Turner, Henry	Chief Inspector	Head Office, Wellington	24 Jan., 1923	Transferred to unclassified position.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Gavin, William Hay	Office Engineer	Wellington	5 Feb., 1923.	Deceased.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Elections to administer Estates.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder set forth, the gross property in each case being estimated not to exceed £400 in value.

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Clunan, Johanna	Westport	Widow	23/9/22	9/3/23	Testate	Hokitika.
2	Foster, Isabella	Springfield .. .. .	.. .. .	23/9/22	9/3/23	.. .. .	Christchurch.
3	Frodsham, Alice Eleanor	Auckland	Spinster	19/12/22	9/3/23	Intestate	Auckland.
4	Gardiner, Elizabeth Bedice	Christchurch	Widow	16/12/22	9/3/23	Testate	Christchurch.
5	Gill, Sarah Jane	Gonville .. .. .	.. .. .	3/12/22	9/3/23	.. .. .	Napier.
6	Harper, James Dallas	Granville	Miner	3/2/23	9/3/23	.. .. .	Hokitika.
7	Henry, Malcolm Medland	Stratford	Clerk	19/1/23	9/3/23	Intestate	New Plym'th.
8	Johnston, Lettie	Christchurch	Married woman	17/2/23	9/3/23	Testate	Christchurch.
9	Kirkup, James	Huntly	Miner	16/12/21	24/2/22	Intestate	Auckland.
10	Liptrott, William Wallace	Annedale, Tinui	Station hand	15/1/23	9/3/23	.. .. .	Wellington.
11	Murrell, Henry	Auckland	Boilermaker	14/12/22	9/3/23	Testate	Auckland.
12	Olin, Robert	Waiuta	Miner	28/1/23	9/3/23	.. .. .	Hokitika.
13	Phillips, Mabel Ann	Whangarei	Nurse	7/2/17	9/3/23	Intestate	Auckland.
14	Russell, William	Ahaura	Miner	16/12/22	9/3/23	Testate	Hokitika.
15	Suteliffe, Charles William	Umakari	Farm labourer	25/1/23	9/3/23	Intestate	Nelson.
16	Walford, Albert Irons	Turakina	Farmer	29/11/22	9/3/23	.. .. .	Wellington.
17	Walker, Edward John Hampton	Dunedin	Bootmaker	28/12/22	9/3/23	Testate	Christchurch.
18	Watson, Charles	Wanganui	Soldier patient	31/12/22	9/3/23	.. .. .	Wellington.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 13th March, 1923.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

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

I, DONALD GEORGE CLARK, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The Kaitaia Medical Club is no longer carrying on business and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Wellington this 7th day of March, 1923.

D. G. CLARK,
Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

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

Warden's Court,
Naseby, 2nd March, 1923.

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

C. R. J. INDER, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

REG. No. 1742. Date: 10/6/1904. Nature of privilege: Special alluvial claim. Locality: Sowburn. Registered holders: James Thos. Smith Crearer and Alexander G. Crearer.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 13 of 1923.

SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN.—SAMOA ISLANDS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 8th March, 1923.

INFORMATION has been received that the s.s. "Navua," when approaching Apia from the westward, at a position stated to be Faleula Beacon 218°, distant 1.3 miles, touched the bottom.

The draft of the vessel and the existing state of the tide indicates a depth of seventeen feet M.L.S.W. at this place.

The attention of mariners is drawn to the "Pacific Islands Pilot," Volume 2, 5th edition, 1918, page 546, paragraph 1, which states "CAUTION—do not approach the northern coast at Upolu Island, westward of Apia, within five miles, as sunken dangers extend nearly that distance off shore." Also, page 549, which states in reference to the locality at Niss Reef, "CAUTION—as several patches lie between it and the shore reefs, vessels should pass northward of Niss Reef, or at about five miles from the coast." Mariners navigating in the localities to which these and similar cautionary notices apply should be careful to navigate outside of the limits prescribed in these notices.

Publications affected.—Admiralty Charts Nos. 1730, 1339; "Pacific Islands Pilot," Volume 2 (Central Groups), 5th edition, 1918, pages 546 and 549.

A. D. PARK, Secretary.

Vital Statistics of Urban Areas.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of February, 1923:—

	Estimated Population 31st March, 1922.	Total Births registered February, 1923.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN FEBRUARY, 1923.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, February, 1923.
				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	84,874	123	1.45	3	..	26	6	2	19	56	0.66
Remainder of Urban Area ..	79,576	121	1.52	4	..	18	4	2	20	48	0.60
Total for Auckland Urban Area	164,450	244	1.48	7	..	44	10	4	39	104	0.63
Wellington City	91,581	147	1.61	5	..	30	..	..	24	59	0.64
Remainder of Urban Area ..	19,099	34	1.78	..	1	4	1	..	3	9	0.47
Total for Wellington Urban Area	110,680	181	1.64	5	1	34	1	..	27	68	0.61
Christchurch City	74,621	114	1.53	3	..	16	4	1	30	54	0.72
Remainder of Urban Area ..	35,579	52	1.46	2	1	13	1	2	9	28	0.79
Total for Christchurch Urban Area	110,200	166	1.51	5	1	29	5	3	39	82	0.74
Dunedin City	59,061	97	1.64	2	..	18	..	..	19	39	0.66
Remainder of Urban Area ..	14,409	31	2.15	..	..	4	..	..	6	10	0.69
Total for Dunedin Urban Area	73,470	128	1.74	2	..	22	..	..	25	49	0.67
Hamilton Borough	12,547	23	1.83	2	..	6	..	..	3	11	0.88
Remainder of Urban Area ..	2,403	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Hamilton Urban Area	14,950	23	1.54	2	..	6	..	..	3	11	0.74
Gisborne Borough	11,328	22	1.94	..	..	5	..	..	1	6	0.53
Remainder of Urban Area ..	3,592	3	0.84	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.28
Total for Gisborne Urban Area	14,920	25	1.68	..	..	6	..	..	1	7	0.47
Napier Borough	14,762	20	1.35	1	..	3	..	..	7	11	0.74
Remainder of Urban Area ..	2,908	1	0.34	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.34
Total for Napier Urban Area	17,670	21	1.19	1	..	4	..	..	7	12	0.68
Hastings Borough	9,556	13	1.36	..	..	4	..	..	3	7	0.73
Remainder of Urban Area ..	3,974	2	0.50	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.25
Total for Hastings Urban Area	13,530	15	1.11	..	..	5	..	..	3	8	0.59
New Plymouth Borough ..	12,225	21	1.72	..	..	5	..	..	2	7	0.57
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,285	1	0.78	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for New Plymouth Urban Area	13,510	22	1.63	..	..	5	..	..	2	7	0.52
Wanganui Borough	16,970	20	1.16	2	..	7	..	..	6	15	0.87
Remainder of Urban Area ..	7,200	18	2.50	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	0.56
Total for Wanganui Urban Area	24,170	38	1.57	2	..	10	..	..	7	19	0.79
Palmerston North Borough ..	16,254	24	1.48	..	..	3	2	..	2	7	0.43
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,256	2	1.59	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Palmerston North Urban Area	17,510	26	1.48	..	..	3	2	..	2	7	0.40
Nelson City	9,511	12	1.27	..	..	2	1	..	5	8	0.84
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,369	3	2.19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Nelson Urban Area	10,880	15	1.38	..	..	2	1	..	5	8	0.74
Timaru Borough	14,571	16	1.10	..	1	1	..	..	2	4	0.27
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,469	3	2.04	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Timaru Urban Area	16,040	19	1.18	..	1	1	..	..	2	4	0.25
Invercargill Borough	15,535	25	1.61	..	..	5	..	..	6	11	0.71
Remainder of Urban Area ..	4,055	1	0.25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Invercargill Urban Area	19,590	26	1.33	..	..	5	..	..	6	11	0.56
Grand totals	629,970	949	1.53	24	3	176	19	7	168	397	0.64

The total births registered for the urban areas amounted to 949, as against 1,101 in January—a decrease of 152. The deaths in February were 397, a decrease of 49 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 203, females 194. Fifty-three of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 13·35 per cent. of the whole number. Forty-three of these were under one year of age.

The rates per 1,000 of mean population in February, 1922 and 1923, were as follows:—

Urban Area.	Birth Rate.		Death Rate.	
	February, 1922.	February, 1923.	February, 1922.	February, 1923.
Auckland	1·52	1·48	0·65	0·63
Wellington	1·98	1·64	0·68	0·61
Christchurch	1·61	1·51	0·69	0·74
Dunedin	1·61	1·74	0·51	0·67
Hamilton	3·11	1·54	0·29	0·74
Gisborne	1·59	1·68	0·69	0·47
Napier	1·80	1·19	0·81	0·68
Hastings	2·08	1·11	0·31	0·59
New Plymouth	1·98	1·63	1·19	0·52
Wanganui	1·53	1·57	0·77	0·79
Palmerston North	2·01	1·48	0·18	0·40
Nelson	1·32	1·38	1·03	0·74
Timaru	1·81	1·18	0·71	0·25
Invercargill	·08	1·33	0·83	0·56
Totals for all areas	1·73	1·53	0·65	0·64

The following table shows the deaths in various age-groups occurring in the urban areas during the month of February, 1923:—

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 ..	7	14	6	1	6	8	2	..	6	3	27	26
5 and under 10 years..	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	2	1	3	4
10 " 15 " ..	..	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	3	5
15 " 20 " ..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	7	..	7	5
20 " 25 " ..	..	2	1	1	..	1	..	1	2	1	3	6
25 " 30 " ..	1	..	2	1	1	4	..	1	..	1	3	7
30 " 35 " ..	..	3	..	2	1	3	1	..	1	2	4	10
35 " 40 " ..	4	4	1	..	2	..	..	1	2	1	9	6
40 " 45 " ..	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	..	1	1	9	6
45 " 50 " ..	1	2	3	1	3	2	..	..	5	2	12	7
50 " 55 " ..	4	4	4	2	3	1	..	4	1	1	12	12
55 " 60 " ..	..	1	3	5	1	..	1	5	1	4	6	15
60 " 65 " ..	4	1	6	2	1	6	4	2	2	2	17	13
65 years and over ..	25	15	11	10	15	16	15	10	22	21	88	72
Totals ..	51	53	40	28	35	47	24	25	53	41	203	194

The deaths of 160 persons of 65 years and upwards were registered for the urban areas during the month of February, 1923. 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	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	3	3
66	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	1
67	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	5	2
68	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	1	5
69	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	4	1
70	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	2	..	3	4
71	1	..	2	2	1	2	..	2	1	..	5	6
72	1	1	1	..	1	2	1	..	1	2	5	5
73	4	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	5	2
74	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	3	2
75	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
76	..	..	..	1	2	1	1	..	2	2	5	4
77	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	2	6	2
78	1	1	..	1	..	3	2	..	2	..	5	5
79	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1
80	2	1	1	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	4	4
81	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	4	4
82	2	2	1	..	2	2	1	1	2	2	7	7
83	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	4	2
84	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	4	2
85	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
86	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	2	2
87	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	1
88	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	3	2
89	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	1
90	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
94	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
95	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total ..	25	15	11	10	15	16	15	10	22	21	88	72

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons in the Urban Areas, registered during February 1923—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.	
VI.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM											
<i>—continued.</i>											
122. Cirrhosis of Liver .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	4
123. Biliary Calculi .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
124. Jaundice .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
126. Peritonitis .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
Totals	2	7	1	6	..	3	..	5	2	9	35
VII.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.											
129. Bright's Disease .. ..	..	5	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	4	13
131. Other Diseases of Kidneys and Annexa .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	4
133. Cystitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
135. Enlargement, &c., of Prostate .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	2	..	..	6
139. Uterine Tumour .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
141. Other Diseases of Female Genital Organs .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. ..	..	8	..	2	..	5	..	4	..	7	26
VIII.—PUERPERAL STATE.											
143. Accidents of Pregnancy .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
144. Puerperal Hæmorrhage .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
146. " Septicæmia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
148. " Albuminuria and Convulsions .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
X. DISEASES OF BONES AND OF ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.											
155. Osteomyelitis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
156. Arthritis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Total .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
XI.—MALFORMATIONS.											
159. Congenital Heart-disease	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
159. " Pyloric Stenosis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Spina Bifida	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
XII.—EARLY INFANCY.											
160. Congenital Debility, Icterus, &c.	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	4	..	9
161A. Premature Birth	6	..	3	..	4	..	2	..	1	..	16
162. Other Causes peculiar to Early Infancy	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	5
Totals	10	..	4	..	8	..	2	..	6	..	30
XIII.—OLD AGE.											
164. Senility .. ..	..	5	..	5	..	7	..	4	..	12	33
XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.											
165. Suicide by Poison .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
168. " Hanging .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
170. " Firearm .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. " Jumping from High Place .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
175. Poisoning by Food .. ..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	3
180. Accidental Mechanical Suffocation .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
182. Accident, Drowning .. ..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	5
185. " Diving .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
186. Traumatism in Mines .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
188. Railroad Accidents .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
188. Tramway .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
188. Injuries by other Vehicles .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
196. Accidental Electrocution .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
199. Homicide (Undefined) .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
201. Fracture (cause not specified) .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	5	..	6	4	1	..	2	..	4	22
XV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.											
205. Ill-defined or not specified .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
Grand totals	21	83	7	61	14	68	2	47	9	85	397

Special Order made by the Hauraki Plains County Council altering Riding Boundaries (and adjusting Representation).

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 14th March, 1923.

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

Pursuant to section 100 of that Act, as amended by section 3 of the Counties Amendment Act, 1921-22, I hereby fix the 31st day of March, 1923, as the date from which the special order shall take effect.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

HAURAKI PLAINS COUNTY COUNCIL.

IN exercise of the powers conferred upon it by sections 23 and 60 of the Counties Act, 1920, the Hauraki Plains County Council hereby resolved by way of special order as follows:—

1. The present division of the County of Hauraki Plains into five ridings is revoked, and in lieu thereof the said county shall be divided into ten ridings, to be called respectively Kopuarahi Riding, Turua Riding, Horahia Riding, Kerepeehi Riding, Netherton Riding, Tahuna Riding, Patetonga Riding, Ngatea Riding, Pipiroa Riding, and Waitakaruru Riding, which said ridings are respectively described in the Schedule hereto.

2. The said Hauraki Plains County Council shall consist of ten members, who shall be elected as follows: The electors of each of the above-mentioned ten ridings shall elect one Councillor.

3. The alteration hereby made shall take effect on and after the 1st day of April, 1923.

SCHEDULE.

Kopuarahi Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north and east by a line commencing at a point midway in the mouth of the Piako River where it intersects the northern boundary of the county; thence proceeding in an easterly and southerly direction along such boundary to a point in line with the southern boundary of Kaipapaka Block in Block XII of the Thames Survey District; thence on the south to and along the southern boundary of the said Kaipapaka Block; thence northerly along the western boundary of the last-mentioned block; thence westerly along the northern boundaries of Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20 of Block XI, Thames Survey District, to and by a right line across the Kopuarahi-Kerepeehi Road; thence along the northern and western boundaries of Section 1, Block II, Waihou Survey District; thence in a westerly direction along the northern boundaries of Kopuarahi 2D 1 and 3A 2D 2C Blocks to the centre of the Piako River; thence on the west by a line down the centre of the Piako River to the point of commencement.

Turua Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north by a line commencing at the south-west corner of Kaipapaka Block; thence proceeding easterly along the southern boundary of Kopuarahi Riding to the centre of the Waihou River; thence on the east following up the centre of said river in a southerly direction to a point the production of the southern boundary of Lot 105 on plan No. 8123 deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar, Auckland; thence on the south proceeding in a westerly direction along the southern boundaries of Lots 105, 104, 103, 102, 101, 99 on plan aforesaid; thence on the west proceeding in a northerly direction along the western boundaries of Lots 97, 95, 93, 91, 89 on plan aforesaid and Kuranui No. 2 Block, and by Lots 69, 57, 55, 53, 51, 49, 47, 45, 43, 41, 39, 37, 35, 33, 31, 29, 27, and 25 on plan No. 7492 deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar, Auckland; and along the eastern boundaries of Lots 3 and 2 of Section 7, Block II, Waihou Survey District, and Section 14, Block XI, Thames Survey District, to the point of commencement.

Horahia Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north by the Kopuarahi Riding; towards the east by the Turua Riding to the south-eastern corner of Horahia-Opou No. 1 Block; towards the south by the southern boundary of the said block to the centre of the Piako River; thence towards the west by a line down the centre of the said river to its intersection with the south-western corner of Kopuarahi Riding, the point of commencement.

Kerepeehi Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north by the Horahia Riding; towards the east and again towards the north by the Turua Riding; again towards the east by a line up the centre of the Waihou River to a point in line with the southern boundary of Te Arawahakapeka Block (L.T. 6455A); thence in a westerly direction to and along the southern boundary of the said block and of Te Awaiti 2c 1; thence in a southerly direction along the eastern boundaries of Te Awaiti 2c 1, 2c 2, and 2c 3 Blocks, and along the northern and western boundaries of Te Awaiti 2c 4 Block and Section 29 of Block XI, Waihou Survey District; thence in a south-westerly direction along the north-western boundary of Lots 1 and 2, Te Awaiti 1j 2b 3 until it intersects the southern boundary-line of Block XI of the Waihou Survey District; thence towards the south proceeding in a westerly direction by the southern boundary-lines of Blocks XI and X of the said Waihou Survey District to the centre of the Piako River; thence towards the west by a line proceeding in a northerly direction down the centre of the Piako River to and through the centre of the Waikaka Cut, and again down the centre of the Piako River to the point of commencement, the south-western corner of the Horahia Riding.

Netherton Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north-west by the Kerepeehi Riding; towards the east by the county boundary; towards the south by the Tahuna Riding; and towards the west by a line commencing at a point where the northern boundary of Block II, Waitoa Survey District, meets the centre of the Piako River; and proceeding in a northerly direction down the centre of the Piako River to the point of commencement, the south-western corner of the Kerepeehi Riding.

Tahuna Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north by a line commencing at the intersection of the south-western boundary of Block XVI, Piako Survey District, with the county boundary; thence proceeding in a south-easterly, north-easterly, and southerly direction along the said block-line; thence southerly along the western boundaries of Sections 2 and 4 (bush reserve) of Block IV, Hapuakohe Survey District; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said Section 4 and the south-eastern and south-western boundaries of Section 5, Block IV, Hapuakohe Survey District; thence along the south-western boundaries of Sections 5 and 4, Block I, Waitoa Survey District; thence across the Waitakaruru-Morrinsville Road and along the northern boundaries of Lots 5, 6, and 24 shown on plan No. 13425 deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland, across the Maukoro Deviation Road, and along the northern boundaries of Lots 15, 16, 17, 18, and 23 shown on aforesaid plan, and that boundary produced to the centre of the Piako River; thence down centre of said river to the northern boundary-line of Waitoa Survey District; thence easterly along said line to the south-west boundary of Te Awaiti No. 1j 2b 4 Block; thence south-easterly along south-western boundaries of said block and Te Awaiti No. 1b 2b 3 Block; thence along south-eastern boundary of last said block to the northern boundary of Waitoa Survey District aforesaid; thence easterly by said boundary to the Hauraki Plains County boundary; and towards the east, south, and west by the said county boundary to the point of commencement.

Patetonga Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded generally towards the north by a line commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Block XI, Piako Survey District, intersects the western boundary of the county; thence proceeding easterly along the southern boundary of Section 15 (forest reserve), Block XI, Piako Survey District, and of Sections 3 and 4, Block XII, Piako Survey District; thence southerly along the western boundaries of Sections 8 and 9 of the said Block XII; again in an easterly direction along the southern boundaries of Sections 9, 10, and 11 of the said Block XII to and across the Waitakaruru-Morrinsville Road, and along the southern boundary of Ngarua 1b 3b Block; thence southerly along the western boundary of Section 20, and along the southern boundaries of Sections 20, 19, and 18 of the said Block XII; thence along the southern boundaries of Sections 4, 5, 6, 17, 16, 14, of Block IX, Waihou Survey District; thence by a right line to the centre of the Piako River at a point where it is met by the centre of the northern end of the Waikaka Cut; and bounded towards the east by the Kerepeehi and

Netherton Ridings above described, towards the south by the Tahuna Riding above described, and towards the west by the county boundary to the point of commencement.

Ngatea Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded generally towards the north-west and north by a line commencing at a point where the southern boundary of Section 12 (climatic and forest reserve), Block XI, Piako Survey District, intersects the western boundary of the county; thence proceeding north-easterly along the south-eastern boundaries of Sections 12, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of the said Block XI; thence along the south-eastern boundaries of Sections 23 and 24 of Block VII of the said survey district; thence along the south-eastern boundary of Waitakaruru No. 5B 2 (6577); thence by a right line to the centre of the Waitakaruru-Maukoro Canal Reserve; thence in a northerly direction down the centre of such canal reserve to a point opposite the southern boundary of Section 48 of Block IV, Piako Survey District; thence in an easterly direction to and along the southern boundaries of Sections 48 and 49 of the said Block IV to and across the Pouarua Road; thence in a northerly direction along the western boundary of Section 5, Block I, Waihou Survey District; thence in an easterly direction along the northern boundary of the said Section 5 of Lot 1 of Section 6; thence in a southerly direction along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 1 to a point opposite the southern boundary of Section 7 of the said block; thence by a right line across the Pipiroa-Ngatea Road to and along the southern boundaries of Section 7 and Sections 8 and 40 of the said block; thence in a northerly direction along the western boundary of Section 10 of said block; and thence easterly along the northern boundary of the said Section 10 to the centre of the Piako River, and on the east by a line proceeding southerly up the centre of the Piako River to the north-eastern corner of Patetonga Riding, and on the south by the Patetonga Riding, and on the west by the county boundary to the point of commencement.

Pipiroa Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north by the county boundary, towards the east by a line up the centre of the Piako River, towards the south by the Ngatea Riding, and towards the west by the Waitakaruru Riding to the point of commencement.

Waitakaruru Riding.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, bounded towards the north by the county boundary commencing at the junction of the northern and western county boundaries, and proceeding easterly to a point midway in the mouth of the Waitakaruru Stream; and thence towards the east by a right line to and along the western boundary of Section 7 of Block X, Wharekawa Survey District; thence in a westerly direction along the northern boundary of the Waitakaruru-Pipiroa Road, and by a right line to the centre of the Waitakaruru-Maukoro Canal; thence in a southerly direction up the centre of the said canal to the north-western corner of the Ngatea Riding; thence towards the east and south-east by the Ngatea Riding boundary, and on the west by the county boundary to the point of commencement.

I hereby certify the foregoing resolution to be a true copy of a special order made by the Hauraki Plains County Council in the manner prescribed by section 99 of the Counties Act, 1920.

Dated at Ngatea this 19th day of February, 1923.

ERNEST WALTON, County Clerk.

Certified correct.—J. D. THOMSON, for Chief Surveyor.

Redefining Boundaries of the City of Wellington and the County of Makara.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 8th March, 1923.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the City of Wellington are hereby defined as set out in the First Schedule hereto, the boundaries of the said city having been altered by Proclamation dated the 21st day of December, 1922, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and published in *Gazette* No. 2, of the 11th day of January, 1923.

And also, in pursuance of the provisions of the said section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the County of Makara affected by the said Proclamation dated the 21st day of December, 1922, are hereby defined as set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY OF WELLINGTON.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point on high-water mark of Lambton Harbour in line with the north-eastern boundary of Section 7, Harbour District; thence to and along the north-eastern boundary of Section 7 aforesaid to the easternmost corner of the area of land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 222, folio 65, and along the southern boundaries generally of that area of land to the north-eastern boundary of Section 7 aforesaid; thence along the north-eastern and north-western boundaries of that section 7 to the north-eastern corner of Section 4, Harbour District; thence along the north-eastern boundary of Section 4 aforesaid to the Wellington-Marton Railway Reserve in Section 5, Porirua; along the eastern boundary of the aforesaid railway reserve to the north-eastern boundary of Section 5, Porirua, along the north-eastern boundary of that section to the south-eastern boundary of Section 107, Ohariu; thence along the south-eastern and south-western boundaries of Section 107 aforesaid, the south-western boundary of Section 95, Ohariu, to the southernmost corner of Section 94; thence along a right line to the northernmost corner of Section 94 aforesaid and that line produced across the old Ohariu Road, and along the northern side of that road to a point in line with the north-western boundary of Section 93, Ohariu; thence to and along the north-western boundary of Section 93, Ohariu, a right line to the northernmost corner of Section 9, Kaiwarra; along the north-western and south-western boundaries of Section 9, Kaiwarra, to the northernmost corner of Section 7, Kaiwarra; along the north-western and south-western boundaries of the said Section 7 to the northernmost corner of Subdivision I of the Otari Native Reserve; along the north-western boundaries of Subdivisions Nos. I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, and VIII, Otari Reserve, and the south-western boundary of the last-mentioned subdivision and its prolongation to the right bank of the Kaiwarra Stream, and along the right bank of that stream to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of the Otari Native Reserve; thence to and along that boundary and south-westerly along the north-western boundaries of Sections 33, 35, 37, 39, 40, 41, and 42, Karori Registration District, to the eastern side of the Makara Road; thence southerly along that side of the said road and the eastern boundary of that part of Section 42 shown on deposited plan A/1773 to the northern side of the Allington Road; thence south-westerly along that side of the said road to a point in line with the eastern boundary of an area of 14 acres 1 rood 32.7 perches shown on deposited plan A/2539; thence to and along the eastern and south-eastern boundaries of that area, along the north-eastern boundary of Section 53, Karori Registration District; thence along the north-western, south-western, and south-eastern boundaries of Section 54, Karori Registration District, to and along the south-western boundary of Section 45 of the said district; thence along the southern boundaries of that section and Section 47 of the said district and along the eastern boundaries of the said Section 47 and Section 46, along the south-eastern boundaries of Sections 55 and 38 of the said Karori Registration District to Part 2 of Section 2, Upper Kaiwarra Registration District; thence south-easterly along the south-western boundary of the said Part 2 of Section 2 to the western boundary of the Waterworks Reserve; thence along the western boundary of that reserve to the northern boundary of Section No. 69, Block X, Port Nicholson Survey District; thence along the northern boundaries of Sections Nos. 69 and 70, the eastern boundaries of Sections Nos. 70 and 38, Block X aforesaid, the eastern boundary of Section No. 37, Block XIII, and its production to high-water mark of the sea; thence along high-water mark of Cook Strait, Port Nicholson, and Evans Bay to the eastern boundary of the area described in the Third Schedule to the Wellington City Reclamation and Empowering Act, 1906; thence along the said eastern boundary and high-water mark of Evans Bay to a point on the southern boundary of land reclaimed by the Wellington Patent Slip Company, distant 2434 links south and 10952 links east from Mount Cook Initial Station; thence along lines bearing 117° 24' distance 206.06 links, bearing 80° 28' distance 157.58 links, bearing 2° 30' distance 206.06 links, and bearing 27° 43' distance 348.5 links (scaled), to high-water mark, and again along high-water mark of Evans Bay to a point on the eastern boundary of another portion of land reclaimed by the said company, distant 1860.7 links south and 11775.16 links east from Mount Cook Initial Station; thence along lines bearing due north distance 460 links, bearing 290° 58' distance 91.17 links, to high-water mark, and along high-water mark of Evans Bay and Lambton Harbour to the north-eastern boundary of Te Aro Baths; thence along the seaward boundary of the said Te Aro Baths to the north-eastern corner of the land shown on plan marked M.D. 3188, deposited in the office of the Minister of Marine at Wellington;

thence along the northern boundary of the said land to its westernmost corner; thence along the seaward boundary of the land shown on plan marked 1373, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington, by lines bearing 314° 57' distance 123.72 links, bearing 15° 54' distance 414.64 links, bearing 277° 45' distance 739.8 links, and bearing 262° 45' distance 430.8 links, to the boundary of the land granted to the Corporation of the City of Wellington by deed of grant dated the 24th day of June, 1874, and along the seaward boundary of the land so granted to the eastern boundary of the land shown on plan marked M.D. 1332, deposited in the office of the Minister of Marine at Wellington; thence along the seaward boundary of the said land by lines bearing 12° 39' distance 298.95 links, bearing 349° 41' distance 329 links, bearing 347° 2' distance 83.76 links, to a point on the southern boundary of the land on plan marked 103/61, deposited in the District Survey Office at Wellington; thence along the seaward boundary of the said land by lines bearing 81° 31' distance 20.97 links, bearing 349° 34' 37" to the eastern boundary of the land granted to the Superintendent of Wellington by grant dated the 20th day of June, 1862; thence along the seaward boundary of the last-mentioned grant to a point on the line marked "Proposed Limit of Reclamation" on plan marked M.D. 2192 (sheet No. 1), deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington; thence along the said line to a point marked O on the aforesaid plan, being a point on the eastern side of the Railway Wharf as it existed in May, 1898; thence along the said eastern side of the Railway Wharf to the southernmost point of the land vested in the Wellington Harbour Board by Order in Council, 25th April, 1887, and shown on plan marked B/30, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington and thereon edged green; thence along the seaward boundary of that land to the southernmost point marked E of the land described in the First Schedule to the Wellington Harbour Board Reclamation and Empowering Act, 1903, and shown on plan marked M.D. 2636, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington; and thence along the seaward boundary of the last-mentioned land to the southernmost point marked C on the land described in the First Schedule to the Wellington Harbour Board Reclamation and Empowering Act, 1903 Amendment Act, 1906, and shown on plan marked M.D. 2988, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington; thence along the south-eastern, north-eastern, and north-western boundaries of that land to the point marked B on the said plan M.D. 2988; thence along a right line to the easternmost corner of the land taken for railway purposes by Proclamation in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 7th May, 1891, and shown on plan marked P.W.D. 16469, deposited in the office of the Public Works Department at Wellington; thence along the south-eastern and south-western boundaries of that land, the seaward boundaries of the Thorndon Baths, and again along the south-western boundary of the aforesaid land shown on the said plan marked P.W.D. 16469, to the seaward boundary of the Wellington-Hutt Railway land; and thence along the seaward boundary of the said Wellington-Hutt Railway land to the place of commencement. As the same is delineated on the plan marked 49/59, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE COUNTY OF MAKARA.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point on the eastern shore of Porirua Harbour, being the north-western corner of Section 99, Block VIII, Paekakariki Survey District: thence towards the east and south generally by the north-eastern boundary of that section, by sections numbered 30, 31, 33, and 35 of Block II, Belmont Survey District, by Sections 37, 39, 352, 349, 347, 346, 345, and 343 of Block III, Paekakariki Survey District, by Sections 340 and 339 of Block II, Belmont Survey District, and by Sections 331, 330, 329, 322, 321, 422, 423, 7, 5, 4, 6, 3, 39, and 34, of Block VIII, Belmont Survey District; thence by the western boundary of the Borough of Petone to Port Nicholson Harbour; thence along the shore of the said Port Nicholson Harbour and the shore of the Lambton Harbour to the northern boundary of the City of Wellington; thence by the northern and western boundaries of the said City of Wellington, as described in the First Schedule hereto, to the sea-shore at the south-eastern corner of Section 37, Block XIII, Port Nicholson Survey District; thence easterly and northerly along the sea-shore to the point of commencement: excluding the Town District of Johnsonville.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Education Reserves for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 12th March, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the education reserves described in the Schedule hereto will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Monday, 30th April, 1923, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Rangitikei County.—Ohinewairua Survey District.

SECTION 1, Block XV: Area, 283 acres; upset annual rental, £200.

Weighted with £1,230, valuation for improvements.

Situated on the left bank of the Mangapapa Stream. Access is from Taihape and Ohutu Railway-stations by metalled dray-road. Distant five miles from Taihape and two miles and a half from Ohutu. Soil is of good quality loam on clay, resting on papa formation. All felled and in grass. Ninety acres undulating, balance hilly. Well watered by streams and springs. Altitude, 1,300 ft. to 1,500 ft.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

Improvements consist of sheep-yards, cow-shed and yards, dwelling of four rooms, two-roomed outhouse, wool-shed, and boundary and subdivisional fencing 40 chains; total value £1,230, which will have to be paid in cash.

Waitotara County.—Omahine Survey District.

Section 11, Block V: Area, 193 acres; upset annual rental, £10.

Weighted with £72, valuation for improvements.

Situated about ten miles from Waverley. Section has been felled and grassed; ring fenced; comprises steep broken country of poor quality.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.

Improvements comprise 48 chains fencing, which will have to be paid for in cash.

Kiwitea County.—Ongo Survey District.

Section 11, Block XVI: Area, 268 acres; upset annual rent, £120.

Weighted with £162, valuation for improvements.

Situated on the Waitana Valley Road about three miles from Waitana Village Settlement. Land is broken, but easy undulating country; all cleared, with the exception of some parts covered in fern; about 10 acres ploughable. Soil is of a light loam quality, resting on clay formation; permanently watered by creeks.

Altitude about 1,800 ft.

Improvements consist of 162 chains fencing, valued at £162, which must be paid in cash.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

Kiwitea County.—Apti Survey District.

Section 9, Block IV: Area, 120 acres 1 rood 24 perches; upset annual rent, £90.

Weighted with £84 14s., valuation for improvements.

Situated on Te Parapara Road about two miles from Rangiwahia by good metalled road. Easy undulating country, all cleared from bush. Soil is of good quality loam, on papa and shingle formation; well watered by a creek. Altitude, 1,800 ft. to 2,000 ft.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.

Improvements comprise 107 chains fencing and sheep-yards, valued at £80 14s., which will have to be paid for in cash.

Kiwitea County.—Umutoi Survey District.

Section 12, Block IV: Area, 138 acres; upset annual rental, £30.

Weighted with £380, valuation for improvements.

Situated on the Te Parapara Road about ten miles from Rangiwahia by good metalled road. Broken hilly country, all cleared of bush, only suitable for sheep and dry cattle. Soil is of fair loam quality, resting on papa formation; permanently watered by streams. Altitude, 2,500 ft. to 2,750 ft.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.

Improvements comprise four-roomed dwelling and out-buildings and 224 chains fencing; total value £380, which will have to be paid for in cash.

Manawatu County.—Town of Foxton.

Section 131: Area, 1 acre 1 rood 21 perches; upset annual rental, £8 5s.

Weighted with £6 10s., valuation for improvements.

Situated in the Borough of Foxton, with a frontage to Union Street, about 20 chains from the post-office. Soil is of light sandy quality, resting on shingle formation.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.

Improvements consist of 6½ chains of fencing, which will have to be paid for in cash.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Featherston County.—Waiohine Survey District.

Section 102, Block IX: Area, 63 acres; upset annual rental, £2.

Situated in the valley of the Tauherenikau River. Access is from Woodville, which is about four miles distant. Soil is of poor quality, on shingle and rock formation. Mostly covered with mixed tauhine and scrub, and a little native feed along river-bank.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Horowhenua County.—Town of Levin.

Section 11, Block XVII: Area, 1 rood; upset annual rental, £5 15s.

Good residential site. All flat land, in grass. Soil is good loam, on clay formation. Section is ring fenced. Situated in Kent Street.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

Waimarino County.—Town of Ohakune.

Section 34, Block XX: Area, 35·2 perches; upset annual rental, £2 10s.

Weighted with £1 10s. 6d., valuation for improvements.

Situated in the Borough of Ohakune, with a frontage to Mangawhero Terrace. Access is from Ohakune Railway-station by good metalled road, distant about 12 chains. Soil is of light loam quality on clay, resting on volcanic formation.

Term of lease, twenty-one years, with right of renewal for a further term of twenty-one years.

Improvements consist of 2 chains boundary fence valued at £1 10s., which must be paid for in cash.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and lease and registration fee (£2 2s.), to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. Term of lease as shown in Schedule.
3. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value (to be handed over to the outgoing lessee) of the improvements effected with the consent of the Land Board. Failing disposal, the land and improvements to revert to the Crown without compensation.
4. Land Board to approve of improvements proposed.
5. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of the Land Board.
6. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
7. Buildings on land to be insured to their full insurable value.
8. Lease will be registered under the Land Transfer Act.
9. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
10. Lessee to keep the land free from noxious weeds, rabbits, and vermin.
11. Lessee not to use or remove any gravel without the consent of the Land Board.

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

13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

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

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

The valuations for improvements must be paid immediately on the fall of the hammer.

Possession will be given on date of sale.

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

THOS. BROOK,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 12th March, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, at 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 30th April, 1923, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

Term of Lease: Twenty-one Years.

Town of Balclutha.

SECTION 5, Block IV: Area, 1 rood; upset rental, 10s. per annum.

Not a good building-site, being cut up by a rather deep gully.

Town of Clyde.

Section 33, Block XI: Area, 7·1 perches; upset rental, 5s. per annum.

This section has a small frontage.

Tairi County.—Otokia Survey District.

Section 1 of 20, Block I: Area, 40 acres; upset rental, £2 per annum.

Situated about two miles from Brighton Town, and about seven miles from Abbotsford Railway-station on the Southern Trunk Railway. There is a formed road to and along the south boundary.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at the rate offered, and rent for the broken period between date of possession and the 30th June, 1923, lease, registration, and stamp fees, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
2. At the end of term, lease to be offered by auction for term of twenty-one years at rent to be fixed by arbitration, the incoming lessee to pay the value of the improvements, which is to be handed over to the outgoing lessee.
3. No assignment or sublease without consent.
4. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.
5. Consent of the Land Board to be obtained before subletting, erecting any buildings, or effecting other improvements.
6. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

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

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

ROBT. T. SADD,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK TUCKER, of Helensville, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Helensville, on Thursday, the 15th day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

7th March, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED LEONARD WALL, of Rangiora (near Te Puke), Farm Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Te Puke, on Tuesday, the 20th day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

7th March, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WOULDERS, of Whangaparapara, Great Barrier Island, Gumdigger, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 23rd day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

9th March, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS JAMES GUNN, of Gisborne, Biograph Operator, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Thursday, the 22nd day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

5th March, 1923.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that STANLEY AMUNDSON, of Gisborne, Motor Mechanic, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Thursday, the 22nd day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

6th March, 1923.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that OLIVER GOLDSMITH, of Ruatorea, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Thursday, the 22nd day of March, 1923, at 3 o'clock p.m.

7th March, 1923.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED HAWES, of Gisborne, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Wednesday, the 21st day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

9th March, 1923.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of VICTOR FRANCIS HURLSTONE, of Egmont Village, Storekeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 7s. 6d. in the pound on all proved and accepted claims is now payable at my office, New Plymouth.

7th March, 1923.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM GEORGE BONNER, of Tangarakau Gorge, Tatu, Ohura, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 21st day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

9th March, 1923.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that GORDON FRANK SALWAY, of Waitoitoi, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 21st day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

9th March, 1923.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID DANIEL FORSYTH, of Mataimoana, Waverley, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Waverley, on Thursday, the 15th day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock.

6th March, 1923.

ROBERT S. SAGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HORACE GEORGE JONES, of Hastings, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Monday, the 19th day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

5th March, 1923.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that TENI RENATA ROPIHA, of Porangahau, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Waipukurau, on Tuesday, the 20th day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

7th March, 1923.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that VICTOR DANIEL WISNESKY, of Waipukurau, Retired Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Waipukurau, on Wednesday, the 21st day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANCIS HAROLD HOOKER, of Wanganui, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Thursday, the 15th day of March, 1923, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

5th March, 1923.

F. J. HILL,
Acting Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of MARSHALL KNIGHT, Palmerston North. NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 19s. 6d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved accepted claims at my office, Palmerston North.

27th February, 1923.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of JOHN SCHWASS, a bankrupt. NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 4½d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved accepted claims at my office, Palmerston North.

7th March, 1923.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of SYDNEY DRAKE, of Palmerston North, bankrupt. NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 4½d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved accepted claims at my office, Palmerston North.

8th March, 1923.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FOSTER BADHAM RAMSAY, of Brookside, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 15th day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. W. WATTERS,
5th March, 1923. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SIDNEY CLEMENT THOMPSON, of Christchurch, Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 16th day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. W. WATTERS,
5th March, 1923. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that BYAM PETERS, of Christchurch, Upholsterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 16th day of March, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

A. W. WATTERS,
6th March, 1923. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CLIFFORD GEORGE COSSAR, of Duvauchelles Bay, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 20th day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. W. WATTERS,
8th March, 1923. Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS GORDON LENNOX, of Timaru, Veterinary Surgeon, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Arcade, Timaru, on Thursday, the 15th day of March, 1923, at 2 o'clock.

F. A. RAYMOND,
2nd March, 1923. Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of WILLIAM BLISSARD, of Waimate, Builder, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 1s. 7½d. in the pound is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, Stafford Street, Timaru.

F. A. RAYMOND,
10th March, 1923. Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of GEORGE WISE, Oamaru, Hairdresser, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 15s. 5d. in the pound on all proved accepted claims is payable at my office, Thames Street, Oamaru.

A. W. WOODWARD,
6th March, 1923. Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN JAMES CAULFIELD, of Grove Bush, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 14th day of March, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
9th March, 1923. Deputy Official Assignee.

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LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 51, folio 68, for part Lot 149 of Section 1 of deposited plan No. 171, and being part of Allotment 19 of Section 5 of the Suburbs of Auckland, in favour of SAMUEL ALLISON, of Auckland, Land Agent, having been lodged with me, together with an application for a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title accordingly on the expiration of fourteen days from the 15th March, 1923.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office at Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of loss of certificate of title, Vol. 128, folio 139, for Section 48 of Block 11 in the Wairere Survey District, in favour of JOHN BRUMBY, of Shaftesbury, Farmer, having been lodged with me, together with an application for a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title accordingly on the expiration of fourteen days from the 15th March, 1923.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office at Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 16th April, 1923.

6663. SOLOMON COSSEY.—Lots 10 and 23, Section 4, Lots 2, 3, and 4, Section 5, Lots 2, 5, and 6, Section 6, and Lots 3, 31, and 32, Section 7, of the Village of Drury, being portions of Allotments 37 and 38, Parish of Opaheke, containing together 2 acres 0 roods 36.7 perches. Occupied by Martha Ann Cossey, Alice Selina Cossey, and Georgina Bell Cossey. Plan 14441.

6777. MILLICENT ESTHER ATKIN.—Allotments 114 and 115, Town of Hamilton East, containing 2 acres 0 roods 6.5 perches, situated at the corner of Grey Street and Albert Street. Occupied by applicant. Plan 15237.

6817. THE ORURU FAIRBURN CO-OPERATIVE DAIRY FACTORY COMPANY (LIMITED).—Part Allotment 19, Parish of Mongonui, containing 1 acre 1 rood 38 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 15362.

6900. ANNIE MARIAH MARY WOODMAN.—Allotments 104 and 105, Parish of Waiuku East, containing 231 acres 2 roods 14 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 15875.

6924. JOHN BARTON.—Allotment 52, Section 2, Village of Papakura, containing 31.8 perches, situated at the corner of View Road and Wood Street. Occupied by applicant. Plan 16010.

6975. NICHOLAS CHARLES KNEEBONE.—Lot 4 and part Lots 5 and 6, Section 4, of Allotment 2B, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 20 perches, fronting New North Road and Ruru Street, Eden Terrace. Occupied by J. G. Peat, W. T. Cooper, Home and Colonial Stores (Limited), and Kia Ora Mineral Water Company (Limited). Plan 16272.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional memorandum of lease, in the name of SEPTIMUS FREDERICK REID, Butcher, ALBERT LEIGHTON, Accountant, and CHARLES OLLIVER GIBBS, Sawmiller, all of Taihape, as lessees under Memorandum of Lease No. 14194, from ANNIE SINCLAIR FRASER, of Lease No. 7620 affecting parts of a closed road, Township of Taihape, and part of the land in certificate of title, Vol. 157, folio 276, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said memorandum of lease, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional memorandum of lease, as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the Gazette containing this notice.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

J. J. L. BURKE,
Deputy District Land Registrar.

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

forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

5145. GEORGE HENRY BAYLIS and CLARA EMMA McMILLAN BAYLIS.—2 roods 26·3 perches, parts Section 7, Town District (Lots 450, 451, and parts 466, 467, Island Bay). Unoccupied. D.P. 6197.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 14th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

J. J. L. BURKE,
Deputy 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 16th day of April, 1923.

No. 13083. JOHN HENRY FISHER.—Part of Rural Section 163, Lot 2, deposit plan No. 6442, Kilmarnock and Edinburgh Streets, Riccarton. Occupied by applicant.

No. 13085. ENOCH BARRETT.—Rural Sections 1300, 8938, part of Rural Sections 457, 4120, and 4122, Block I, Gough's, and Block IV, Akaroa Survey Districts, Lots 1 and 2, deposit plan No. 6437. Occupied by applicant and Ronald Dixie Whitehead.

No. 13099. RICHARD HENRY MUGFORD.—Part of Rural Section 154, deposit plan No. 6443, Simeon Street, City of Christchurch. Occupied by Joseph Gilbertson.

No. 13101. FRANK HAROLD CHRISTIAN.—Rural Section 14189, Block XVI, Selwyn Survey District. Occupied by James Burt.

No. 13102. THE PUBLIC TRUSTEE.—Rural Section 4943, Block XIV, Grey Survey District. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of the under-mentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved:—

The Maraetai Farms (Limited). 1913/70.

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of March, 1923.

J. H. MCKAY,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

The Wellington Jasper and Argillite Quarries (Limited). 1916/56.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of March, 1923.

J. H. MCKAY,
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 be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies dissolved:—

Addison's Sluicing Company (Limited). 1913/5.
Callaghan's Sawmill (Limited). 1920/12.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Hokitika this 12th day of March, 1923.

E. C. ADAMS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266, subsection (4), of the above Act, that the under-mentioned company has been struck off the Register for the District of Otago, and the said company has been dissolved:—

1917/13. Pukerangi Gold and Scheelite Mining Company (Limited).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Dunedin this 12th day of March, 1923.

J. MORRISON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

NOTICES OF PLACES OF BUSINESS.

AUSTRALASIAN CONFERENCE ASSOCIATION (LIMITED).

PURSUANT to section 302 of the Companies Act, 1908, Australasian Conference Association (Limited), being a foreign company carrying on business in New Zealand, having its registered office at 902 Colombo Street, Christchurch, hereby gives notice by its Attorneys that it will commence and carry on business at 93 Princes Street, Dunedin, and at 708 Colombo Street, Christchurch. And notice is hereby given that the Australasian Conference Association (Limited) aforesaid intends to close its place of business at 84 Cashel Street, Christchurch.

Dated at Christchurch this 28th day of February, 1923.

SYDNEY HERBERT AMYES,
ALBERT GEORGE MINCHIN.
Attorneys for Australasian Conference
Association (Limited).

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THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that McDONALD & COMPANY (LIMITED) is ceasing to carry on business in New Zealand. The continuity of the business will not, however, be affected as a new Company, McDonald & Company (New Zealand) (Limited), has acquired the New Zealand business previously carried on by the former Company, and will henceforth carry on such business at 54 Victoria Street, Wellington.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1923.

F. C. RENOUF, Attorney.
Bell, Gully, Mackenzie, and O'Leary, Solicitors, Wellington. 293

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between HARRY WEAVER and THOMAS HEATON, heretofore carrying on business in Northcote near Auckland as Storekeepers under the firm and style of "Weaver and Heaton," is dissolved by mutual consent as on and from the 28th day of February, 1923, Mr. Weaver retiring from the Partnership, and Mr. HEATON continuing the business and taking over all liabilities of and collecting all moneys due to the late firm.

Dated at Auckland this 28th day of February, 1923.

H. WEAVER.

Witness to signature of Harry Weaver—H. L. Rees,
Solicitor, Auckland.

T. HEATON.

Witness to signature of Thomas Heaton—H. A. Wernham,
Law Clerk, Auckland. 306

No. 11/23.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.

UNDER THE MINING ACT, 1908.

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District, at Queenstown.

PURSUANT to the Mining Act, 1908, the undersigned, Catherine Scott, of Glenorchy, Widow, hereby applies for a license for a water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 10 a.m., 7th February, 1923.

Date and number of miner's right: 6th February, 1923; 128869.

Address for service: Office of R. Gilkison, jun., Queenstown.
Dated at Queenstown this 14th day of February, 1923.

SCHEDULE.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Precipice Creek, near Paradise, starting where the creek

leaves the gorge, running 200 yards through Mr. Aitken's property, crossing main road at present culvert, and ending in Mrs. Scott's property.

Length and intended course of race: 750 yards; east and west points of intake, Precipice Creek.

Estimated time and cost of construction: Already constructed.

Mean depth and breadth: 1 ft. by 3 ft.

Number of heads to be diverted: Eight.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Domestic, irrigation, feeding, and driving machinery.

Proposed term of license: Forty-two years.

CATHERINE SCOTT.

(By her Solicitor, ROBERT GILKISON, Jun.)

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 3.30 p.m., 14th February, 1923.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Thursday, 12th April, 1923, at 10 a.m., Warden's Court, Queenstown.

Objections must be filed in the Registrar's Office, and notified to applicant at least three days before the time so appointed.

NOTE.—Applicant desires to reduce quantity of water applied for to four heads.

307 C. O. PRATT, Mining Registrar.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between DAVID BROWN LAURIE and HERBERT ARTHUR HAWKINS is dissolved as from the 16th day of February, 1923.

All debts due to the said Partnership shall be paid to the said DAVID BROWN LAURIE, who will discharge all debts due by the said Partnership.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1923.

DAVID BROWN LAURIE.

Signed by the said David Brown Laurie in the presence of—
H. M. Hammond, Solicitor, Hamilton.

H. A. HAWKINS.

Signed by the said Herbert Arthur Hawkins in the presence of—
J. M. Baxter, Solicitor, Hamilton.

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RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Hororata Racing Club at a meeting held on the 11th day of January, 1923, at Hororata, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. H. Oliver, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by His Excellency the Governor-General, in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. H. Oliver, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. W. Deans seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman and Secretary be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

HORORATA RACING CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Hororata Racing Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulations dated the 28th day of December, 1918, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the Christchurch Racecourse situated in the district of Christchurch, and known as the Riccarton Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

1. These regulations shall come into force on the date of the same being published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

2. In these regulations the words "bookmaker," "racing club," and "race meeting" shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms respectively by section 2 of the Gaming Act, 1908.

3. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the racecourse above described while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely,—

(a.) Bookmakers.

(b.) Bookmakers' clerks, bookmakers' assistants, and bookmakers' agents.

(c.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing or trotting club in the Dominion of New

Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Association.

(d.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or persons who have no lawful visible means of support.

(e.) Professional tipsters, persons convicted of housebreaking or pocket-picking, forgery, uttering or possessing counterfeit coin, theft, false pretences, receiving stolen goods, mischief, assault, or any offence or crime of any kind under the Crimes Act, 1908, and also idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues convicted under the Police Offences Act, 1908, and persons convicted of an offence under the Gaming Act, 1908.

Provided always that the Stipendiary Stewards' Committee appointed by the New Zealand Racing Conference, upon being satisfied by evidence as to character and otherwise that any person who, by reason of any conviction, comes within the scope of this regulation should have relief from the effect thereof, may grant exemption to any such person, and may at any time revoke any such exemption without notice to such person, and without assigning any reason for such revocation.

The foregoing regulations of the Hororata Racing Club were made and passed by such club on the 11th day of January, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

H. OLIVER, Chairman.

A. H. NOALL, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Hororata Racing Club are hereby approved this third day of February, 1923.

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JELLICOE, Governor-General.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Vincent Jockey Club at a meeting held on the 13th day of December, 1922, at Omakau, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. Andrew Cowie Scoular, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by His Excellency the Governor-General in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. Andrew Cowie Scoular, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. John Clare seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman and Secretary be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

VINCENT JOCKEY CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Vincent Jockey Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulations dated the 28th day of December, 1921, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the Lauder Domain situated in the district of Matakauui, and known as the Vincent Jockey Club Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

1. These regulations shall come into force on the date of the same being published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

2. In these regulations the words "bookmaker," "racing club," and "race meeting" shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms respectively by section 2 of the Gaming Act, 1908.

3. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the racecourse above described while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely,—

(a.) Bookmakers.

(b.) Bookmakers' clerks, bookmakers' assistants, and bookmakers' agents.

(c.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing or trotting club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Association.

(d.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or persons who have no lawful visible means of support.

(e.) Professional tipsters, persons convicted of house-breaking or pocket-picking, forgery, uttering or possessing counterfeit coin, theft, false pretences, receiving

stolen goods, mischief, assault, or any offence or crime of any kind under the Crimes Act, 1908, and also idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues convicted under the Police Offences Act, 1908, and persons convicted of an offence under the Gaming Act, 1908.

Provided always that the Stipendiary Stewards' Committee appointed by the New Zealand Racing Conference, upon being satisfied by evidence as to character and otherwise that any person who, by reason of any conviction, comes within the scope of this regulation should have relief from the effect thereof, may grant exemption to any such person, and may at any time revoke any such exemption without notice to such person, and without assigning any reason for such revocation.

The foregoing regulations of the Vincent Jockey Club were made and passed by such club on the 13th day of December, 1922, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

ANDREW C. SCOLAR, Chairman.
GEO. A. FRANCIS, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Vincent Jockey Club are hereby approved this 10th day of January, 1923.

310 JELLCOE, Governor-General.

MACKENZIE COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION STRIKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Mackenzie County Council Lilybank Telephone Lines Loan of £550, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Mackenzie County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of the erection and maintenance of telephone-lines to Lilybank, Mount Gerald, and Richmond Stations in the County of Mackenzie, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one halfpenny ($\frac{1}{2}$ d.) in the £1 sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of capital value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Richmond, Mount Gerald, and Lilybank Special Rating Area of the County of Mackenzie, being Rural Sections 35532, area 40 acres; all that portion of Run 77 included within the boundaries of the Mackenzie County, area 27,600 acres; all that portion of Run 77A included within the boundaries of the Mackenzie County, area 44,500 acres; Rural Section 14452, area 20 acres; the whole of Run 78, area 70,000 acres. And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty (20) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

311 E. MACDONALD, Chairman.
R. L. BANKS, Clerk.

WEBER COUNTY COUNCIL.

LOAN OF £5,000 FOR RECONSTRUCTING, REFORMING, CULVERTING, AND METALLING VARIOUS ROADS (LOAN NO. 9).

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £5,000 (five thousand pounds), authorized to be raised by the Weber County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purposes of—(1) reconstructing, culverting, and metalling main Dannevirke—Herbertville Road, £3,600; (2) reforming, culverting, and metalling Tahukaretu Road, £500; (3) reforming, culverting, and metalling Oporae—Waihi Road, £250; (4) reforming, culverting, and metalling Waione Road, £250; reforming, culverting, and metalling Esdaile Road, £400: total, £5,000—the said Weber County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of $\frac{5}{32}$ nds (five thirty-seconds) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property (on the basis of the unimproved value) comprising the whole County of Weber; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the twenty-first day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

312 A. L. STEWART, Chairman.

PATEA 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 Patea County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £200, authorized to be raised by the Patea County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for reforming, widening, and metalling the Ahuroa Hill on the Ahuroa Road, the said Patea County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Ahuroa Special Rating area, comprising Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10, Block IV, Opaku Survey District; Sections 4, 5, 6, and 8 of Block VIII, Opaku Survey District; Subsections 1 and 3 of Kahuroa Block 3, and Section 2, Block III, Opaku Survey District; and Section 2, Block VII, Opaku Survey District; all within the following boundaries—commencing at the Matai Trig. Station; thence along the northern boundary of the Patea and Eltham Counties in an easterly direction generally to the point where the said boundary-line strikes the western boundary of Forest Reserve No. 4, Block I; thence in a south-easterly and southerly direction along the eastern boundary of Sections 10 and 4 of Block IV to the Kapara Trig. Station; thence west along the southern boundary of Sections 4 and 5, Block IV, and along the eastern, southern, and western boundaries of Section 6, Block IV; along the southern boundary of Section 7, Block IV, and eastern boundary of Sections 8, Block II, and 5, Block VIII; along the north-eastern boundary of Section 4, Block VIII, to its junction with the Ngarahu Road; thence in a south-westerly direction along the Ngarahu Road to its junction with the Whenuakura Valley Road; thence in a northerly direction along the Whenuakura Valley Road to a point where it crosses the confiscation line; thence in a north-westerly direction along the confiscation line to the Riminui Trig. Station; thence in a north-westerly direction along the western boundaries of Subsections 1 and 3 of Kahuroa Block No. 3 to the Matai Trig. Station, 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 September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being for a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until such loan is fully paid off.

313 J. J. F. SHIELD, County Clerk.

In the matter of a Private Bill intended to be brought into the General Assembly of New Zealand to be intitled the St. John's College Trust Act, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the Standing Orders of the General Assembly of New Zealand relating to Private Bills, that the St. John's College Trust Board (hereinafter called the Board) will, within fourteen days after the commencement of the session of the General Assembly of New Zealand to be held next after the date of this notice, present a petition to the General Assembly of New Zealand through the Honourable the Speaker and members of the House of Representatives, praying and applying for leave to bring in a Private Bill to be called the St. John's College Trust Act, 1923.

The objects of the said application and Bill are to provide that—

1. The lands and funds vested in the Board as trustees and held by them under trusts known as Consolidated Scholarships, Maria Blackett Scholarships, Griffin Laing Scholarships, Lady Margaret Scholarships, and Widows Orphans' Endowment are and shall be held on the trusts respectively declared in the respective trust deeds whereby the said lands and funds were vested in the Board's predecessors.
2. It shall be lawful for the Board, at its discretion, from time to time to apply the whole or such portion or portions as it thinks fit of the income from the said lands and funds and from certain lands and funds held under a certain trust called the Grammar School Trust for the general purposes of St. John's College near the City of Auckland in such manner as the Board thinks fit for a period of twenty years from the passing of the said Bill, or for such longer period as may be directed from time to time by the General Synod of the Church of the Province of New Zealand.
3. All payments or applications of income from the said lands and funds for the general purposes of St. John's College aforesaid at any time prior to the passing of the said Bill made by the Board are validated.

Notice is also given that a copy of the said petition and Bill will be deposited in the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders within fourteen days after the commencement of the said session.

Dated this 7th day of March, 1923.

NICHOLSON, GRIBBIN, ROGERSON, AND NICHOLSON.

STANTON, JOHNSTONE, AND SPENCE.

Solicitors for the St. John's College Trust Board, Promoters of the said Bill.

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HUTT VALLEY ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hutt Valley Electric-power Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £200,000, authorized to be raised by the Hutt Valley Electric-power Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of distributing electrical energy in the Hutt Valley Electric-power District, the said Hutt Valley Electric-power Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and thirty-three one-hundredths of a penny (1d. and 33/100d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the whole of the Hutt Valley Electric-power District, on the basis of the unimproved value; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of September and the 1st day of March in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of forty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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H. E. LODGE, Clerk of Board.

BOROUGH OF RANGIORA.

POLL ON PROPOSAL TO ADOPT SYSTEM OF RATING ON UNIMPROVED VALUES.

PURSUANT to section 39 of the Rating Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Rangiora taken on the seventh day of March, 1923, on the proposal that the system of rating in the said borough be on the basis of the unimproved value, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 266, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 87.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 8th day of March, 1923.

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W. A. BANKS, Mayor.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of ROBERT HALL AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT a general meeting of the company held this day at the registered office of the company the following resolution was passed as a special resolution, and it is accordingly hereby resolved as follows:—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily under the Companies Act, 1908; and that ARTHUR MAURICE ANDERSON, of Wellington, Public Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up; and that this resolution is passed as a special resolution.”

H. AMES.
ROBT. HALL.

Wellington, 8th March, 1923.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of ROBERT HALL AND COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the above-named company are required on or before the 23rd day of March, 1923, to send their names and addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims, and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any), to Arthur Maurice Anderson, Public Accountant, 105 Customhouse Quay, Wellington, the Liquidator of the said company; and, if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator, are personally or by their solicitors to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts or claims are proved.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1923.

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A. MAURICE ANDERSON,
Liquidator to the above-named Company.

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of THE NEW ZEALAND MEAT PACKING AND BACON COMPANY (CO-OP.) LIMITED, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special resolution “That the company be wound up voluntarily” was duly passed at extraordinary general meetings of the company held respectively on the 31st day of January, 1923, and the 23rd day of February, 1923.

Dated at Wellington this 7th day of March, 1923.

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S. C. BARON, Liquidator.

COPY of REGISTER OF UNCLAIMED MONEYS held by the NEW ZEALAND LOAN AND MERCANTILE AGENCY COMPANY (LIMITED), NEW ZEALAND INSPECTION DEPARTMENT, WELLINGTON, as on 1st January, 1923.

Name and Address.	Amount.	Description.	Date of Credit.
Edwards, R. W., New Plymouth	£ s. d. 0 3 6	Dividend on ordinary stock	16th June, 1916.
Fitzsimons, Ellen (deceased)	0 12 8	Interest on debentures	21st December, 1916.
“ “ “ “	0 4 4	Dividend on ordinary and preference stock	1st April, 1916.
Gawith, C. F. (deceased)	0 15 1	Interest on debentures	1st October, 1916.
“ “ “ “	0 4 4	Dividend on ordinary and preference stock	16th June, 1916.
Gill, F. F., Waitere, Maungaturoto	0 4 4	Interest on debentures	21st December, 1916.
Heald, R. A., Auckland	2 3 0	Ditto	1st April, 1916.
Heath, E., Auckland	0 4 4	Dividend on ordinary and preference stock	1st October, 1916.
Munro, J., Auckland	13 8 0	Unclaimed dividend in estate of C. Wilson	16th June, 1916.
Parrington, W., Auckland	9 2 6	Dividend in estate of D. Wilson	21st December, 1916.
Perry, Walter (deceased)	0 10 8	Cheque returned	16th June, 1916.
“ “ “ “	0 6 4	Dividend in estates of D. and C. Wilson	21st December, 1916.
Rutherford, Rebecca Jane, Orakei Road, Remuera, Auckland	0 2 5	Interest on debentures	1st July, 1916.
Unknown, Auckland	0 2 5	Dividend on ordinary stock	1st April, 1916.
“ Wellington	13 9 1	Dividend on ordinary stock	1st October, 1916.
“ Invercargill	1 4 5	Proceeds nine hides sold	16th June, 1916.
“ “ “ “	0 12 0	Proceeds stock sold	21st December, 1916.
“ “ “ “	42 15 4	Unclaimed payment	30th June, 1916.
“ “ “ “			23rd September, 1916.
“ “ “ “			6th March, 1916.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JAMES KENNEDY and WALTER McCULLOCH, carrying on business as Threshing-mill Owners at Milburn under the style of "Kennedy and McCulloch," has been dissolved so far as concerns the said Walter McCulloch, who retires from the said firm.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid by the said JAMES KENNEDY.

Dated this twenty-second day of February, 1923.

JAMES KENNEDY.
WALTER McCULLOCH.

Witness to both signatures—R. M. Rutherford, Solicitor,
Milton. 320

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of TROPICAL FRUIT COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that Tropical Fruit Company (Limited), in Liquidation, a company duly incorporated under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance, Fiji, having its registered office at Suva, Fiji, and carrying on business at Auckland in New Zealand as Fruitgrowers and Shippers and General Merchants, intends at the expiration of three months from the date hereof to cease carrying on business in New Zealand as aforesaid.

Dated at Auckland this 12th day of March, 1923.

D. C. FRASER.

Attorney in New Zealand for Tropical Fruit Company (Limited).

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OTOROHANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Otorohanga County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute certain public works—namely, a road and a metal reserve, and for the purpose of such public works the lands described in the First Schedule hereto are required to be taken for the purposes of a road, and the lands described in the Second Schedule hereto are required to be taken for the purposes of a metal reserve. And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken is deposited in the office of Messrs. Phillips and Patterson, situate in Maniapoto Street, Otorohanga, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours, and is No. 22244, Auckland.

All persons affected by the execution of the said public works or by the taking of the said lands must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the County Clerk at Otorohanga.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas or parcels of land required to be taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
8	1	24-3	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 33C Sec. 3A; coloured on plan yellow.
3	2	36-3	Rangitoto-Tuhua No. 33C Sec. 1; coloured pink.
1	0	15-4	Section 3, Block VI; coloured yellow.
3	0	15	Section 14, Block VII; coloured purple.
5	0	16	Section 15, Block VII; coloured pink.
10	1	37	Rangitoto A No. 63B No. 2; coloured yellow.
0	0	2-4	Rangitoto A 63B 1B; coloured blue.
5	0	22	Rangitoto A No. 63A (Crown land), now Section 18, Block VII; coloured pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

1	1	2	Rangitoto A No. 63 (Crown land), now Section 18, Block VII; coloured pink.
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All situate in Mangaorongo Survey District.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1923.

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S. J. FORTESCUE, County Clerk.

BOROUGH OF THAMES.

SPECIAL ORDER MADE BY THE THAMES BOROUGH COUNCIL.

THE following resolution as a special order was passed at a special meeting of the Thames Borough Council held on Thursday, 16th November, 1922, and subsequently confirmed at an ordinary meeting of the Council held on Thursday, 14th December, 1922:—

Resolution.

That, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by section 142 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the Thames Borough Council resolved by way of special order that all subdivisions of the Borough of Thames be abolished on and after the 26th day of April, 1923.

We hereby certify that the above special order was made in accordance with the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920.

ERNEST N. MILLER, Mayor.

ARTHUR CHAPMAN, Town Clerk.

15th December, 1922.

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WHAKATANE COUNTY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—RE LOAN £1,000 FOR A WORKER'S DWELLING AT MATATA.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one thousand pounds (£1,000), authorized to be raised by the Whakatane County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of purchasing a house and section of land in the Town of Matata, to be known as a worker's dwelling, for the residence of a registered medical practitioner engaged in the practice of his profession, as authorized by section 192 of the Counties Act, 1920, the said Whakatane County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one farthing ($\frac{1}{4}$ d.) upon the rateable unimproved value of all rateable property of the Matata Riding of the Whakatane County; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of April and the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half ($36\frac{1}{2}$) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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WALTER REID, Chairman.

SHANNON 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 the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the Shannon Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £11,000, authorized to be raised by the Shannon Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for water-supply for the Borough of Shannon, the said Shannon Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Borough of Shannon, comprising the whole of the rateable property in the Borough of Shannon; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of May and the 1st day of November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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WM. MURDOCH, Mayor.

WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £300, authorized to be raised by the Waipa County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of metalling the hospital deviation in the Rukuhia Riding for the first time, the Waipa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixtieth of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Rukuhia Riding of the Waipa County; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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CHAS. BOWDEN, County Clerk.

WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—MANGAPIKO METALLING LOAN £6,000.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £6,000 authorized to be raised by the Waipa County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of metalling roads in the Mangapiko Riding for the first time, the said Waipa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixth of a penny in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Mangapiko Riding; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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CHAS. BOWDEN, County Clerk.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, GILBERT MACLEAN, M.B. Bacc. Surg., Univ. N.Z. 1922, now residing in Napier, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 1st May 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.

GILBERT MACLEAN, M.B., B.S.

Dated at Napier 12th March, 1923.

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COMMENCEMENT OF BUSINESS.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, Part IX.

NOTICE is hereby given that NIELSON AND MAXWELL (LIMITED), a company incorporated in the United Kingdom, propose to commence to carry on business in New Zealand, where its registered office or place of business will be at No. 31 Hunter Street in the City of Wellington.

Dated at Wellington this 9th day of March, 1923.

DAVID AITKEN HAMILTON,

Attorney of the said Company.

By its solicitor, A. B. Sievwright, solicitor, Wellington.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the MOTUEKA FARMERS' CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the Motueka Farmers' Co-operative Company (Limited) held at Motueka on 2nd March, 1923, the following extraordinary resolutions were passed:—

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

2. That JOHN JENKISON, of Motueka, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of winding up the affairs of the company and distributing its assets.

Dated at Motueka this 6th day of March, 1923.

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JOHN JENKISON, Liquidator.

PETONE AND LOWER HUTT GAS LIGHTING BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and in and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Petone and Lower Hutt Gas Lighting Act, 1922, and by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Petone and Lower Hutt Gas Lighting Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Petone and Lower Hutt Gas Lighting Board Petone Gas Redemption Loan of £17,900, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Petone and Lower Hutt Gas Lighting Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of repaying such part of the sum repayable under the matured Petone Borough Council Consolidated Loan No. 1 of £26,200 and the matured Petone Borough Council Consolidated Loan No. 2 of £12,000 as is a liability of the Board in terms of section 20 of the Petone and

Lower Hutt Gas Lighting Act, 1922, the said Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of nine thirty-eighths of a penny (9/38d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Boroughs of Petone and Lower Hutt; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of September in each year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty (30) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

W. G. LODDER, Chairman.

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W. F. STURMAN, Secretary.

PETONE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Petone Borough Council Consolidated Loans Redemption Loan of £14,300, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Petone Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of repaying part of the sum repayable under the matured Petone Borough Council Consolidated Loan No. 1 of £26,200 and the matured Petone Borough Council Consolidated Loan No. 2 of £12,000, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of twenty-three fifty-thirds of a penny (23/53d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Petone, and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of September in each year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty (30) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

J. W. McEWAN, Mayor.

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W. F. STURMAN, Town Clerk.

MANUREWA TOWN BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of two thousand five hundred and sixty pounds, authorized to be raised by the Manurewa Town Board aforesaid, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of the formation and metalling of roads and the formation and surfacing of footpaths in the Manurewa Town District, the Manurewa Town Board aforesaid hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-seventh of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Manurewa Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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A. C. A. SEXTON, Chairman.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Bay of Plenty Jockey Club at a meeting held on the 13th day of February, 1923, at Tauranga, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. J. G. Green, of Tauranga, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by His Excellency the Governor-General, in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. J. G. Green, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. C. F. Oliver seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman and Secretary be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

BAY OF PLENTY JOCKEY CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other

powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Bay of Plenty Jockey Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the racecourse situated in the district of Auckland, and known as the Avondale Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

1. These regulations shall come into force on the date of the same being published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

2. In these regulations the words "bookmaker," "racing club," and "race meeting" shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms respectively by section 2 of the Gaming Act, 1908.

3. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the racecourse above described while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely,—

- (a.) Bookmakers.
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The following regulations of the Bay of Plenty Jockey Club were made and passed by such club on the 13th day of February, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

J. GEORGE GREEN, Chairman.
H. E. VOKES, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Bay of Plenty Jockey Club are hereby approved this 12th day of March, 1923.

334 JELLCOE, Governor-General.

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