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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 area of the piece of stopped Government road declared to be Crown land: 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 24th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of Gravel-pits in Blocks III, Pihanga, and X, Puketi Survey Districts.

[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

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this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of gravel-pits, and shall vest in His Majesty the King as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the seventeenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being
3	0	0	Section 1, Block X, Puketi Survey District.
3	0	2	" 1 " III, Pihanga Survey District.
3	0	0	" 2 " III

(Being part of Ohuanga North Block.) (S.O. 1707.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55759, 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 27th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for 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.

TAUMARUNUI Native Township, Subdivision R 3, being Lots 1, 2, and 3 (L.T. 15250) of Sections 2 and 4, Block VIII: Area, 36 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 27th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

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.

MINARAPA No. 5, being Section 19, Block V, Cape Survey District: Area, 112 acres.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 27th day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

State Reformatory Institution declared a Reformatory Home.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section two of the Reformatory Institutions Amendment Act, 1918, it is provided that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation, declare any building or place to be a State reformatory institution, and thereupon such building or place, together with such area of land immediately adjoining as may be defined in the Proclamation, shall be deemed to be a reformatory home within the meaning of the Reformatory Institutions Act, 1909:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance of the above-recited power and authority, do hereby declare that the building and land described in the Schedule hereto shall, from and after the date of the publication of this Proclamation in the *Gazette*, be a State reformatory institution, known as the Point Halswell Reformatory Home, within the meaning and for the purposes of the Reformatory Institutions Act, 1909.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that building containing seventeen rooms with appurtenances thereto, known as the West Ward of the Point Halswell Reformatory for Women, together with the land in and around the said building, being portion of Military Reserve (Sections 1, 2, and part 3, Block VII, Port Nicholson

Survey District). Bounded towards the north by a line due east from the Evans Bay shore to a point on the watershed sixteen chains south of Point Halswell, towards the east by the said watershed passing through Mount Crawford to the south boundary of the said Military Reserve, towards the south by the southern boundary of the said Military Reserve to the Evans Bay shore, and towards the west by Evans Bay.

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 27th day of March, 1923.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Regulations under the Stamp Duties Act, 1908.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Stamp Duties Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulation made on the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the twenty-fifth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and in the place thereof doth hereby make the additional regulation set forth in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby notify and declare that such additional regulation shall form part of the regulations of the eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and gazetted on the thirteenth day of the same month, and shall take effect on and after the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

SCHEDULE.

THE stamps for the fees payable under the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908, in respect of the several matters specified in the first column hereunder shall be impressed upon or affixed to the document specified opposite such matters in the second column hereunder, that is to say:—

FEES UNDER THE INCORPORATED SOCIETIES ACT, 1908.

First Column.	Second Column.
Matter in respect of which Fee is payable.	Document on which Stamp is to be placed.
On application for registration ..	In Fee Book.
For certificate of incorporation
For alteration of rules
For certificate of copy or extract
For inspection of register
For inspection of any document
For report of Revising Barrister

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Declaring Portions of Road in Block V, Awa-o-te-Atua Survey District, to be Government Roads.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the portions of road declared to be Government roads: 25 acres 1 rood 33·6 perches. Adjoining or passing through Lots 51A, C.L., 36, 35, 34, and 51, Rangitaiki Parish, situated in Block V, Awa-o-te-Atua Survey District. (S.O. 22642.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56487, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Western Side of Portion of Sydney Street and the Southern Side of Portion of Regent Street, in the Borough of Petone, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in any-wise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Petone Borough Council on the sixteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, viz.:

"The Petone Borough Council, having control of Regent Street and Sydney Street in the Borough of Petone, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the portion of the said streets hereinafter described, namely:—

"1. That portion of the western side of Sydney Street bounding that parcel of land, containing 16·9 perches, being Lots 1 and 2 on a plan deposited in the Land Transfer Office as No. 5984, part Section 4, Hutt District;

"2. That portion of the southern side of Regent Street bounding that parcel of land, containing 16·9 perches, being Lots 1 and 2 on a plan deposited in the Land Transfer Office as No. 5984, part Section 4, Hutt District";

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the western side of the portion of Sydney Street and the southern side of the portion of Regent Street described in the Schedule hereto within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portions of streets.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, Borough of Petone, known as Sydney Street, abutting on Lots 1 and 2, D.P. 5984, part Section 4, Hutt District.

Also all that portion of street situated in the said Land District and borough, known as Regent Street, abutting on Lot 1, D.P. 5984, part Section 4, Hutt District.

As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56349, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjust-

ment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of eighteen months the Order in Council dated the twelfth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted the fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, prohibiting all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
WHAREAMA, Waikaremoana Survey District	300	0	0
Kopane, Waiau Survey District ..	791	0	0
Ngaputahi, Waiau Survey District ..	298	1	3
Heoitahoka, Waiau Survey District ..	1,100	0	0

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of eighteen months the Order in Council dated the twelfth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted the fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, prohibiting all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
KAHUWERA B No. 2B Section 1 ..	280	0	0
" 2 ..	63	3	0
" 4 ..	63	3	8
" 5 ..	207	1	4
" 6 ..	64	0	10
" 7A ..	781	1	12
" 7B ..	164	2	36
" 7C ..	191	1	12

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of eighteen months the Order in Council dated the fifth day of September, one thousand nine

hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted the eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, but only in so far as it affects the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto, prohibiting all alienation of the land other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

PIHANGA AND PUKAWA SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
WAIPAPA 1A	51	0	0
" 1B	129	3	2
" 1C	116	1	9
" 1D	386	3	39
" 1E	365	1	1
" 1F	107	2	24
" 1G	2	0	0
" 1H	40	3	16
" 1J 2	74	0	2
" 1J 3	56	0	37
" 1J 4	8	3	35
" 1J 5	62	2	35
" 1J 6	68	0	1
" 1K	108	2	6
" 1L	376	0	31
" 1M	189	0	21
" 2A	1,755	2	20
" 2B	1,198	2	25
" 2C	3,082	3	9

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Extending Prohibition of Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section and by section one hundred and eleven of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913 (as amended by section eight of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1916), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of eighteen months the Order in Council dated the twelfth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted the fifteenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, prohibiting all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TAURANGA-TAUPO 3B 1 Block, Waitahanni Survey District: Approximate area, 474 acres.

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council

Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £1,000 proposed to be raised by the Rangiora County Council.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Rangiora County Council, acting under and in pursuance of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, proposes to raise a loan of one thousand pounds for the purpose of providing its share of the cost of constructing a bridge across the Cam River at Kaiapoi:

And whereas the special order authorizing the raising of the loan is irregular, in so far as that the public notification of the time and place fixed for the confirmation of the said special order, although given four times, did not comply with the provisions of section ninety-nine of the Counties Act, 1920:

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

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

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto forms portion of a reserve duly set apart for police purposes, being a purpose within Class II of the Second Schedule to the said Act, and it is expedient to change, as hereinafter provided, the purpose of such portion:

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 14.2 perches, more or less, being Lot 1 of Section 43, Town of Woodville. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/7/116, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 14th day of March, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

Rangers under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 29th March, 1923.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the undermentioned persons have been appointed Rangers under and for the purposes of that Act for the Whangara Acclimatization District, viz.:-

William McBeath, of Poroti.
John Draper, of Maungatapere.
Frederick Oliver Barge, of Maunu.
Alfred Harold Parkin, of Maunu.

C. J. PARR, for Minister of Internal Affairs.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 2nd April, 1923.

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

Reginald Wallace Noake	Motueka.
John Francis Barrett	Rawene.
Robert James Gillies	Ngaruawahia.
Donald Semple	Pongaroa.
Wilfred Henry Gladstone Brown	Eltham.
John Alexander Halpin	Ngaruawahia (at Taupiri).*

* Births and deaths only.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Assistant Registrars appointed.

Office of Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 26th March, 1923.

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

WILLIAM GREER FLETCHER, Esq.,
GEORGE HUME SEDDON, Esq.,
JOHN MURRAY, Esq.,
JOHN MORRISON, Esq.,
ROY FELLOWES BAIRD, Esq.,
ERNEST CLAUDE ADAMS, Esq.,
JOHN ANDREW FRASER, Esq.,
WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Esq.,
JOHN CARADUS, Esq.,
ALAN LESLIE BARNARD ROSS, Esq., and
WALTER HAROLD FLETCHER, Esq.,

to be Assistant Registrars for the purposes of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908, and its amendments, as from the 1st day of April, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Special Order made by the Waikato County Council altering Riding Boundaries.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1923.

THE following special order, made by the Waikato 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 5th day of April, 1923, as the date from which the special order shall take effect.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

WAIKATO COUNTY COUNCIL.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Counties Act, 1920, the Waikato County Council hereby resolves by way of special order that, on and after the 1st day of April, 1923, the Waikato County shall be divided into seven ridings as follows:—

1. *The Tamahere Riding*.—Comprising the area now so named.
2. *The Cambridge Riding*.—Comprising the area now so named.
3. *The Whangamarino Riding*.—Comprising the area so named.
4. *The Huntly Riding*.—Comprising the area now so named.
5. *Taupiri Riding*.—Comprising all that area in the Auckland Land District, in the Waikato County, commencing at a point being the confluence of the Mangawara River with the Waikato River; thence by the said Mangawara River to the eastern corner of Allotment 439, Parish of Taupiri; thence by a right line to the southern corner of Allotment 435 of said parish, and the production of the said line to the western boundary of Piako County; thence in a south-eastern direction by said county boundary to the northern corner of Lot 10 shown on plan 5548A deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland; thence in a south-west direction generally by the northern boundary of the said Lot 10, the northern boundaries of Lots 5, 4, 3, and 2 on aforesaid plan, and the northern boundaries of Lots 5, 4, 3, 2, 6, and 1 on plan 6454A deposited as aforesaid, the southern boundary of part Lot 1 shown on plan 4829A deposited as aforesaid, and the southern boundary of Allotment 220, Parish of Komakorau, to and across a public road to the east boundary of Allotment 151 of aforesaid parish; thence by the north-eastern boundaries of last said allotment and part Allotment 230, aforesaid parish, shown on plan 2383A deposited as aforesaid, to the south-east corner of Lot 9 on plan 5383A; thence by southern boundary of last said lot to and across a public road to the east boundary of Lot 5 on plan 8883 deposited as aforesaid; thence by the eastern boundaries of said lot and Lot 6 on aforesaid plan; thence by northern boundaries of said Lot 6 and Lot 8 on aforesaid plan to and across a public road, and by northern boundaries of Lot 8 on plan 5005A deposited as aforesaid to a public road, and by that road to a point the production of the north boundary of Lot 3 on plan 7316 deposited as aforesaid; thence by a line across said road to and by northern boundary of said Lot 3 to and across a public road, the north-eastern boundary of Lot 19 on plan 5006A deposited as aforesaid,

said, and the east boundary of Lot 17 on last said plan to its junction with a public road; thence along the southern boundary of said road to and across a public road to the north-eastern boundary of Lot 18 on plan 5006A deposited as aforesaid; thence across a public road and by the north-eastern and north-western boundaries of aforesaid Lot 18, and the north-eastern boundary of Allotment 93, Parish of Komakorau, to and across a public road, and by the eastern and northern boundaries of Allotments 100 and 99, aforesaid parish, the southern boundary of Lot 2 on plan 9672 deposited as aforesaid, the eastern and northern boundaries of Allotment 103, aforesaid parish, to and across a public road to the eastern boundary of Allotment 109 of aforesaid parish; thence by said east boundary, and the east, north, and west boundaries of Allotment 108 of aforesaid parish, and the western boundary of Allotment 241 of aforesaid parish to the eastern corner of Section 208 of the Suburbs of Newcastle North; thence westerly along the north-east boundary of Section 208 aforesaid to and across a public road, the north-east boundary of Section 201 of said suburb to and across a public road to the north-east boundary of Borough of Ngaruawahia as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 18, of the 17th February, 1921, page 501, and by that said boundary to the Waikato River; and thence northerly generally by said river to the point of commencement.

6. *Rototuna Riding*.—Comprising all that area in the Auckland Land District, Waikato County, commencing at the intersection of the right bank of the Waikato River, by the boundary of the Borough of Ngaruawahia near Section 222, Suburban North, Town of Newcastle; thence north-easterly by the aforesaid borough boundary to its junction with the south boundary of the Taupiri Riding aforescribed; thence by the aforesaid Taupiri Riding boundary to the north-west corner of Lot 10 on plan 5548A deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland; thence by the western boundary of the said Lot 10, and the northern boundaries of Lots 9, 8, 7, 6, on plan 5548A deposited as aforesaid, the western boundary of last said Lot 6 to and across a public road, and by north and west boundaries of Lot 14 on plan 6644 deposited as aforesaid; thence by the northern boundary of Lot 3B on plan 7594 deposited as aforesaid, and part Lot 2B on plan 7126 deposited as aforesaid, to a public road; thence in a southerly direction by said road to and across a public road; thence again by aforesaid road to and across a public road, and by the road forming the northern boundaries of Lot 4 on plan 8589 deposited as aforesaid, Lots 3, 2, and 1 on plan 6491A deposited as aforesaid, Lot 23 on plan 4607A deposited as aforesaid, and Lots 8, 9, and 10 on plan 4334A deposited as aforesaid, to a public road; thence in a southerly direction by the said road which forms the western boundary of Lot 10 aforesaid to and across a public road, and again by said road to and across a public road to the north-west corner of Allotment 202, Parish of Kirikiriroa; thence by a closed road to a point of production of the north-west boundary of Allotment 185, Parish of Kirikiriroa; thence by a line across a public road to and by the north-western boundaries of Allotments 185 and 186 of aforesaid parish to a public road, by said public road to a point the production of the road forming the northern boundary of east portion of Allotment 180 of aforesaid parish, across a public road, and by the road forming the northern boundary of said east portion of 180, and the northern boundary of Allotment 179 across a public road, and again by continuation of said road and the northern boundary of Allotment 177 of said parish and that boundary produced to the Waikato River; thence by the right bank of the said Waikato River to the point of commencement.

7. *Ruakura Riding*.—Comprising all that area in the Auckland Land District, Waikato County, commencing at a point the intersection of the right bank of the Waikato River and the southernmost corner of Rototuna Riding; thence in a north-easterly direction generally by the Rototuna and Taupiri Ridings aforescribed to the western boundary of the Piako County; thence south-easterly by said county boundary to the boundary of the Tamahere Riding; thence by the northern boundary of said Tamahere Riding and by the Cambridge Riding as published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 22, of 30th March, 1922, page 783, to the right bank of the Waikato River; thence by the right bank of the said river to and by the east boundary of the Borough of Hamilton as published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 11, of the 25th January, 1917, page 246, and again by the right bank of the Waikato River to the place of commencement.

This description is sufficient to render the new boundaries capable of identification.—J. THOMPSON, for Chief Surveyor.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order has been made in accordance with law, and that all the provisions of the Counties Act, 1920, have been complied with.

T. B. INSOLL, Clerk.

Special Order made by the Waipawa County Council altering Riding Boundaries.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1923.

THE following special order, made by the Waipawa 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 5th day of April, 1923, as the date from which the special order shall take effect.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

WAIPAWA COUNTY COUNCIL.

Alteration of Riding Boundaries.—Merging of Wakarara Riding into Hampden and Ongaonga Ridings.—Notice of Special Order.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a special meeting of the Waipawa County Council holden upon Tuesday, the 29th day of August, 1922, in the County Office, Ruataniwha Street, Waipawa, the following resolution was passed, namely:—

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 23 of the Counties Act, 1920, and of all other powers (if any) enabling it in that behalf, the Waipawa County Council doth hereby resolve by way of special order as follows,—

1. That the boundaries of the Hampden and Ongaonga Ridings respectively of the Waipawa County be altered so as to be hereafter defined according to the description contained in the Schedule hereto, and operating to effect the merger of that part of the Wakarara Riding east of the Makororo River in the Hampden Riding, and that of the Wakarara Riding west of the Makororo River in the Ongaonga Riding.

2. That such proposed alteration of boundaries and merging shall take effect, with the approval of the Minister of Internal Affairs, on a date to be fixed by him and notified in the *Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

Hampden Riding.

All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, situated in the Waipawa County, commencing at a point where the Makororo River meets the Hawke's Bay County boundary. Bounded towards the north by the Hawke's Bay County boundary and the Mangamauka Stream; thence towards the north-west by the said Hawke's Bay County boundary and the Poporangi Stream; again towards the north by the Hawke's Bay County boundary aforesaid to the Manga-o-nuku River; thence towards the north-east and east generally by the said Manga-o-nuku River to its confluence with the Waipawa River; thence towards the south generally by the said Waipawa River to its confluence with the Makororo River; thence towards the west by the said Makororo River to point of commencement.

Ongaonga Riding.

All that area in the Hawke's Bay Land District, situated in the Waipawa County, commencing at a point on the summit of the Ruahine Range, being the south-western corner of the Hawke's Bay County. Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Hawke's Bay County boundary to the Makororo River; thence by that river to its confluence with the Waipawa River; thence by the Waipawa River to the road forming the south-western boundary of Section 13, Block IV, Ruataniwha Survey District; thence generally towards the east by a line across the Waipawa River to the Wakarara Road, intersecting Section 5, Block IV, Ruataniwha Survey District (Springhill Settlement); thence by the Wakarara Road to Plantation Road; thence by Plantation Road to the junction of roads in the southern part of Block 43; thence by the road running south-westerly to the Tukituki River; thence towards the south generally by the Tukituki River to the north-western corner of Section 2, Block VII, Makaretu Survey District; thence by a right line running due west to the summit of the Ruahine Range; thence towards the west by the summit of the Ruahine Range to point of commencement.

And notice is hereby given that it is proposed to confirm the said resolution at an ordinary meeting of the said Council to be holden at the County Office on the 9th day of October, 1922, at the hour of 11 a.m., to the intent that the same shall operate and take effect as a special order.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1922.

F. HOLT, County Clerk.

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

Dated at Waipawa this 30th day of October, 1922.

F. HOLT, County Clerk.

Notification of Issue of Certificate of Registration of Hawera Acclimatization Society.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 29th March, 1923.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 22 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I hereby notify that I have issued a certificate of registration to the Hawera Acclimatization Society, and that the said society has been duly registered under the said Act as from the 29th day of March, 1923.

R. H. D. BELL,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notification of Issue of Certificate of Registration of Mangonui and Whangaroa Acclimatization Society.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 29th March, 1923.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 22 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I hereby notify that I have issued a certificate of registration to the Mangonui and Whangaroa Acclimatization Society, and that the said society has been duly registered under the said Act as from the 29th day of March, 1923.

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

Appointing Days to be kept as Public Holidays by the Customs.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 3rd April, 1923.

IT is notified, for public information, that His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint each of the days specified below to be kept annually as a public holiday by the Customs at the particular port indicated hereunder, to commemorate the foundation of that portion of New Zealand in which each such port is situated:—

29th January at the port of Gisborne,
23rd March at the port of Oamaru.

Provided that when any such day falls on a Sunday, the following day is, in lieu thereof, to be deemed to be so appointed; and provided further that when any such day falls on a Saturday, the following Monday is, in lieu thereof, if the Comptroller of Customs so directs, to be deemed to be so appointed.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART, Minister of Customs.

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, prohibiting the Sale in the Borough of Newmarket of certain Goods comprised in the Trade of a Tobacconist.

WHEREAS a petition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the tobacconists' shops within the Borough of Newmarket, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the sale of certain goods comprised in the trade of a tobacconist—namely, smoking requisites—be prohibited during such times as the said shops are required to be closed in pursuance of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22:

And whereas, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the sale of the said goods is comprised in the trade of a tobacconist in the said district, and that the signatures to such petition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops in the said district:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 33 of the said Act, I do hereby direct that on and after the 16th day of April, 1923, the sale of the said goods in the Borough of Newmarket shall be and is hereby prohibited as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays after the hour of 6.30 p.m., on Thursdays after the hour of 8 p.m., and on Fridays and Saturdays after the hour of 9 p.m., with the following exceptions—(1) on the working-day immediately preceding Boxing Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Labour Day, the birthday of the reigning Sovereign, and any day which, pursuant to Proclamation by the Governor-General or declaration by the Government, or on the request of the Mayor or Chairman of the local authority, is generally observed as a public holiday, after the hour of 8 p.m.; (2) on the working-day immediately preceding Christmas Day and on the working-day immediately preceding New Year's Day after the hour of 10 p.m.

Dated at Wellington this 3rd day of March, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

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

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.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 19th March, 1923

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT.			
Malone, Walter Griffin	Cadet	Headquarters, Wellington	16th February, 1921.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Green, Mahora	3rd Assistant Teacher	Manutahi Native School	1st March, 1921.
McFarlane, Margaret	Assistant Teacher	Whareponga Native School	1st " "
Te Haara, Louisa	2nd Assistant Teacher	Ohaeawai Native School	1st " "
Williams, Mabel	Assistant Teacher	Rangiahua Native School	1st " "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Rigarlsford, William Orm	Messenger	Wellington	1st January, 1921.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.			
Tait, John	Warder	Paparua Prison, Templeton	1st February, 1921.

OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.					
McDonald, William	Locker	Christchurch	Locker	Manufacturing Warehouse, Christchurch	22 Jan., 1923.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.					
Chambers, Thomas Frederick	2nd Assistant Teacher	School for the Deaf, Sumner	1st Assistant Teacher	School for the Deaf, Sumner	1st Mar., 1923.
Churton, Emily Numia	"	Pipiriki Native School	Sole Teacher	Te Kopua Native School	12 Feb., "
Crawford, James Melville Balfour	1st Assistant Teacher	School for the Deaf, Sumner	Director	School for the Deaf, Sumner	1 Mar., "
Harvey, Patrick	3rd Assistant Teacher	"	2nd Assistant Teacher	"	1 " "
Rogers, Ethel Emmeline	2nd Assistant Teacher	Kaikohu Native School	1st Assistant Teacher	Kaikohu Native School	1 Feb., "
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.					
Phillips, Walter Horatio	Assitant Section Clerk (C, V)	Wellington	Section Clerk (C, IV)	Wellington	5 Feb., 1923.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.					
Taylor, Frederick George ..	Watchman	Lyttelton	Locker.. ..	Christchurch	22 Jan., 1923.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.					
Wise, Eleanor Kathleen ..	Typist	Wellington	Shorthand-typist	Wellington	1 Jan., 1923.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Pooley, James Henry ..	Sorter	Census and Statistice Office, Wellington	Messenger	Wellington	1 Mar., 1923.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.					
Knight, Fred Sydney Rocks ..	Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court and Deputy Sheriff	Dunedin	Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court and Deputy Sheriff	Auckland	17 Feb., 1923.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.					
Babbage, Thomas Frederick ..	Assistant Lightkeeper	Castlepoint	Assistant Lightkeeper	Manukau South Head	10 Jan., 1923.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.					
Piper, George Robert ..	Acting Principal Warder	H.M. Prison, Auckland	Acting Principal Warder	H.M. Prison, Waikune	16 Feb., 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Reid, John	Legal Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	Legal Clerk	Hamilton	2 Mar., 1923.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.					
Carter, Norman Robey ..	Engineering Cadet	District Office, Wellington	Engineering Cadet	Kapuni	24 Feb., 1923.
Carter, Walter Richard ..	Clerk	Mangaore	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	1 Mar., "
Hulse, Donald Frederic ..	Engineering Cadet	Waiotira	Engineering Cadet	District Office, Wellington	28 Feb., "
Preston, Harold Dineley ..	Clerk	District Office, Wellington	Clerk	Head Office, Wellington	22 " "
Rowe, Winifred Jeanette ..	"	Head Office, Wellington	"	District Office, Wellington	15 " "
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.					
Bentley, Miriam	Shorthand-typist	Auckland	Office Assistant	Auckland	1 Feb., 1923.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.					
Copeland, Winifred	Typist	State Advances Department, Wellington	Typist	D.O. Public Trust Department, Wellington	15 Feb., 1923.
Horwood, Doris Elizabeth ..	Shorthand-typist	Public Trust Department, Wellington	Shorthand-typist	Defence Department, Wellington	15 " "
Middleton, William Athol ..	Cadet	Audit Department, Wellington	Cadet	Public Works Department, Mangaou	27 " "
Murphy, Rewa Agnes	Office Assistant	Land and Deeds Department Wellington	Shorthand-Typist	Education Department, Wellington	5 " "
Tarlton, Eric Howard	Assistant Lightkeeper	Marine Department, Cape Brett	Messenger	Customs Department, Auckland	23 " "
Woodall, Ernest Alfred ..	Clerk	Head Office, Education Department, Wellington	Clerk	Lands and Survey Department, Auckland	1 " "

RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
AUDIT DEPARTMENT.			
Kearns, William Richard ..	Cadet.. .. .	Wellington .. .	28 Feb., 1923.
Whyte, Albert William ..	Audit Inspector .. .	Napier .. .	10 Mar., "
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Campbell, Catherine Annie ..	Clerk Attendant .. .	Receiving Home, Auckland	31 Jan., 1923.
Harding, Elizabeth Lorna ..	2nd Assistant Teacher .. .	Mangatuna Native School..	31 " "
GOVERNMENT INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Griffin, Murdock John ..	Cadet.. .. .	Head Office, Wellington ..	31 Jan., 1923.
Halliwell, Stanley Livingstone Revill	Clerk .. .	" .. .	28 Feb., "
Higgins, John William ..	Cadet.. .. .	" .. .	28 " "
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Grant, Lilian Hamilton ..	Staff Nurse .. .	St. Helens Hospital, Christchurch	28 Feb., 1923.
Law, Ada Euphemia ..	Assistant to District Nurse to Natives	Rawene .. .	17 " "
Peacock, Henry Maurice ..	School Dental Officer .. .	Wellington .. .	28 " "
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.			
Schramm, Frederick William ..	Deputy Registrar .. .	Supreme Court, Auckland..	25 Mar., 1923.
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.			
Gavin, James Fullerton ..	Cadet.. .. .	Wellington .. .	28 Feb., 1923.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Houghton, Cecil Lee ..	Attendant .. .	Auckland .. .	2 Feb., 1923.
Vaughan, Martin ..	Engine-driver .. .	Seacliff .. .	31 Jan., "
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.			
Jackson, Andrew Allan ..	Cadet.. .. .	Head Office, Wellington ..	28 Feb., 1923.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.			
Tait, John ..	Warder .. .	Waikeria Reformatory, Te Awamutu	31 Jan., 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Wiren, Edgar Charles ..	Cadet.. .. .	District Office, Wellington	24 Jan., 1923.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Philpott, Henry Edwin Redmond ..	Electrical Tester .. .	Addington .. .	31 Jan., 1923.
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.			
Knight, Elizabeth Jane ..	Shorthand-typist .. .	Wellington .. .	28 Feb., 1923.

RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.				
Davidson, John Henry ..	Farm Manager .. .	Horticultural Station, Tauranga	21 Mar., 1923	Services terminated.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.				
Robinson, Andrew Ernest	Cadet in Courts .. .	Waihi .. .	2 Feb., 1923	Appointment annulled.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.				
McMillan, Peter.. ..	Gaoler .. .	Lyttelton .. .	12 Feb., 1923	Deceased.
Watson, Edward Samuel..	Farm Manager .. .	Waikeria Reformatory, Te Awamutu	28 " "	Services terminated.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.				
Paull, Eric Desmond Francis	Cadet .. .	Head Office, Wellington	10 Mar., 1923	Appointment annulled.
TOURIST AND HEALTH DEPARTMENT.				
Graham, Peter ..	Chief Guide .. .	Hermitage, Mount Cook	26 Mar., 1923	Services terminated.
Rushton, Albert Edward..	Greens Attendant .. .	Rotorua .. .	22 " "	Retired medically unfit.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT.				
Lewis, Arthur Philip ..	Clerk .. .	Wellington .. .	23 Feb., 1923	Deceased.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 3rd March, 1923, and for the corresponding period, 1922:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.				NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.					
	1923.		1922.			1923.		1922.	
	No.		No.			No.		No.	
PASSENGERS,—					PASSENGERS,—				
1st Class	2,594		2,368		1st Class	92,386		88,982	
2nd Class	16,396		12,409		2nd Class	631,136		599,210	
Total	18,990		14,777		Total	723,522		688,192	
Season Tickets	347		390		Season Tickets	32,564		29,848	
GOODS,—	No.		No.		GOODS,—	No.		No.	
Cattle	52		59		Cattle	19,098		13,484	
Sheep and Pigs	7,245		11,167		Sheep and Pigs	599,016		739,530	
Total	7,297		11,226		Total	618,114		753,014	
Timber	Tons. 2,646		Tons. 3,674		Timber	Tons. 31,472		Tons. 28,446	
Other Goods	14,249		9,659		Other Goods	179,683		155,239	
Total	16,895		13,333		Total	211,155		188,685	
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	2,014 14 11		1,821 4 10		Passengers	128,501 4 1		126,210 3 2	
Parcels	297 3 9		274 13 2		Parcels	21,756 19 6		17,878 16 4	
Goods	4,604 12 5		4,008 15 9		Goods	187,543 19 0		183,813 8 4	
Miscellaneous	186 13 8		88 0 9		Miscellaneous	3,987 14 5		3,170 1 11	
Rents and Commissions	127 5 0		99 7 1		Rents and Commissions	4,883 15 0		4,971 2 3	
Total	£7,230 9 9		£6,292 1 7		Total	£346,673 12 0		£336,043 12 0	
KAIHU SECTION.				SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.					
	1923.		1922.			1923.		1922.	
	No.		No.			No.		No.	
PASSENGERS,—					PASSENGERS,—				
1st Class	135		248		1st Class	63,022		63,928	
2nd Class	4,205		4,020		2nd Class	363,225		383,620	
Total	4,340		4,268		Total	426,247		447,548	
Season Tickets .. ..	..		..		Season Tickets	13,338		12,770	
GOODS,—	No.		No.		GOODS,—	No.		No.	
Cattle	2		..		Cattle	6,813		4,120	
Sheep and Pigs	87		34		Sheep and Pigs	615,235		586,590	
Total	89		34		Total	622,048		590,710	
Timber	Tons. 927		Tons. 1,469		Timber	Tons. 15,033		Tons. 10,929	
Other Goods	220		362		Other Goods	191,053		173,613	
Total	1,147		1,831		Total	206,086		184,542	
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	258 5 9		283 13 2		Passengers	64,531 5 0		63,510 18 9	
Parcels	92 3 8		77 13 8		Parcels	13,412 19 6		10,811 9 4	
Goods	480 2 6		668 4 8		Goods	122,647 7 4		112,823 2 7	
Miscellaneous	5 0 2		44 17 0		Miscellaneous	4,320 16 8		3,136 5 3	
Rents and Commissions	13 11 10		11 2 0		Rents and Commissions	2,581 18 7		2,749 16 5	
Total	£849 8 11		£1,085 10 6		Total	£207,494 7 1		£193,031 12 4	
GISBORNE SECTION.				WESTLAND SECTION.					
	1923.		1922.			1923.		1922.	
	No.		No.			No.		No.	
PASSENGERS,—					PASSENGERS,—				
1st Class	883		934		1st Class	3,340		3,235	
2nd Class	7,872		7,666		2nd Class	29,315		29,030	
Total	8,755		8,600		Total	32,655		32,265	
Season Tickets	52		58		Season Tickets	1,327		1,303	
GOODS,—	No.		No.		GOODS,—	No.		No.	
Cattle	519		27		Cattle	243		250	
Sheep and Pigs	22,077		27,350		Sheep and Pigs	12,121		11,722	
Total	22,596		27,377		Total	12,364		11,972	
Timber	Tons. 873		Tons. 718		Timber	Tons. 10,881		Tons. 7,784	
Other Goods	4,215		1,993		Other Goods	23,506		29,014	
Total	5,088		2,711		Total	34,387		36,798	
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.		REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	
Passengers	957 4 11		956 10 2		Passengers	3,601 8 3		3,631 17 10	
Parcels	227 15 9		230 7 11		Parcels	659 14 9		591 2 5	
Goods	2,102 12 1		1,809 6 0		Goods	10,051 2 5		9,510 0 7	
Miscellaneous	52 19 6		37 13 9		Miscellaneous	864 3 3		703 5 10	
Rents and Commissions	94 2 4		99 14 2		Rents and Commissions	333 5 3		396 13 6	
Total	£3,434 14 7		£3,133 12 0		Total	£15,509 13 11		£14,833 0 2	

WESTPORT SECTION.			
	1923.		1922.
PASSENGERS,—	No.		No.
1st Class	56		98
2nd Class	8,058		6,708
Total	8,114		6,806
Season Tickets	322		354
Goods,—	No.		No.
Cattle	11		21
Sheep and Pigs	332		277
Total	343		298
	Tons.		Tons.
Timber	605		470
Other Goods	53,837		47,662
Total	54,442		48,132
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Passengers	784 7 5		728 16 4
Parcels	110 9 11		112 7 7
Goods	10,008 2 3		9,153 10 2
Miscellaneous	477 2 1		499 19 8
Rents and Commissions	149 19 3		110 4 4
Total	£11,530 0 11		£10,604 18 1

PICTON SECTION.			
	1923.		1922.
PASSENGERS,—	No.		No.
1st Class	1,107		1,426
2nd Class	4,239		5,533
Total	5,346		6,959
Season Tickets	133		131
Goods,—	No.		No.
Cattle	41		79
Sheep and Pigs	33,011		29,181
Total	33,052		29,260
	Tons.		Tons.
Timber	15		19
Other Goods	4,871		4,311
Total	4,886		4,330
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Passengers	613 0 9		730 13 9
Parcels	164 2 0		186 2 2
Goods	2,406 13 4		2,518 19 4
Miscellaneous	221 14 0		162 16 0
Rents and Commissions	70 17 6		34 17 0
Total	£3,476 7 7		£3,633 8 3

NELSON SECTION.			
	1923.		1922.
PASSENGERS,—	No.		No.
1st Class	721		602
2nd Class	9,664		9,101
Total	10,385		9,703
Season Tickets	107		264
Goods,—	No.		No.
Cattle	32		21
Sheep and Pigs	4,759		4,404
Total	4,791		4,425
	Tons.		Tons.
Timber	504		463
Other Goods	3,389		3,584
Total	3,893		4,047
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Passengers	769 11 6		900 16 0
Parcels	151 10 10		149 10 8
Goods	1,485 6 9		1,583 17 5
Miscellaneous	13 0 5		32 19 7
Rents and Commissions	54 17 4		59 0 7
Total	£2,474 6 10		£2,726 4 3

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.			
	1923.		1922.
PASSENGERS,—	No.		No.
1st Class	991		654
2nd Class	1,127		623
Total	2,118		1,277
Season Tickets	1		..
Goods,—	No.		No.
Cattle	11		9
Sheep and Pigs	224		1,682
Total	235		1,691
	Tons.		Tons.
Timber	36		59
Other Goods	478		499
Total	514		558
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Passengers	458 9 9		401 6 1
Parcels	103 7 10		106 8 1
Goods	282 10 9		312 7 7
Miscellaneous	0 19 5		Or. 2 3 1
Rents and Commissions	1 12 0		1 12 0
Total	£846 19 9		£819 10 8

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1922-23.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1922, to 3rd March, 1923.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1923	705,946	1,261,294	3,314,430	7,744,848	13,026,518	448,735
1922	746,914	1,307,128	3,399,588	7,821,854	13,275,484	437,783
Increase .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	10,952
Decrease	40,968	45,834	85,158	77,006	248,966	..

All Sections.	Cattle.	Sheep and Pigs.	Total.	Timber.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1923	270,664	6,152,844	6,423,508	605,728	5,063,999	5,669,727
1922	259,536	6,403,522	6,663,058	656,702	4,778,254	5,434,956
Increase	11,128	..	..	..	285,745	234,771
Decrease .. ..	..	250,678	239,550	50,974	..	..

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 3rd March, 1923.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period, Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Whangarei ..	80	£ 7,230 9 9	£ 66,927 4 7	£ 9,412 11 10	£ 82,148 19 4	122.74	£ 906 6 2	£ 1,112 8 8
Kaihu ..	20	849 3 11	7,953 17 8	648 18 2	7,993 4 11	100.49	430 16 9	432 19 4
Gisborne ..	49	3,434 14 7	34,867 15 7	2,481 2 9	31,565 4 5	90.53	770 17 9	697 17 5
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,141	346,673 12 0	3,530,050 8 4	227,120 12 10	2,725,050 1 3	77.20	3,354 11 7	2,589 11 11
Total ..	1,290	358,188 0 3	3,639,799 6 2	239,663 5 7	2,846,757 9 11	78.21		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,429	207,494 7 1	2,108,236 3 0	157,131 19 9	1,950,008 10 2	92.49	1,598 5 4	1,478 6 3
Westland ..	157	15,509 13 11	170,769 7 5	15,666 0 2	154,773 1 0	90.63	1,178 6 10	1,067 19 5
Westport ..	36	11,530 0 11	113,602 4 0	7,130 7 10	69,916 6 0	61.54	3,418 11 7	2,103 17 3
Nelson ..	61	2,474 6 10	21,892 5 3	2,251 11 4	28,399 6 0	129.72	388 15 11	504 7 2
Picton ..	56	3,476 7 7	36,450 12 3	3,020 13 2	35,325 16 8	96.91	705 2 11	683 7 9
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	846 19 9	8,251 12 5	929 16 7	13,140 19 10	159.25	..	..
Total ..	1,739	241,331 16 1	2,459,202 4 4	186,130 8 10	2,251,563 19 8	91.56		
Grand total	3,029	599,519 16 4	6,099,001 10 6	425,793 14 5	5,098,321 9 7	83.59		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

NORTH ISLAND,—								
Whangarei ..	80	£ 6,292 1 7	£ 63,626 16 4	£ 5,632 15 10	£ 70,689 12 4	111.10	£ 861 12 3	£ 957 5 1
Kaihu ..	20	1,085 10 6	9,021 12 10	695 3 2	9,787 3 5	108.49	488 13 5	530 2 9
Gisborne ..	49	3,133 12 0	40,754 13 7	2,633 4 7	36,099 16 4	88.58	901 0 9	798 2 6
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,133	336,043 12 0	3,608,879 9 7	250,162 1 11	3,125,633 7 7	86.61	3,450 13 7	2,988 12 4
Total ..	1,282	346,554 16 1	3,722,282 12 4	259,223 5 6	3,242,209 19 8	87.10		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,429	193,031 12 4	2,062,199 1 5	172,375 4 9	2,220,605 0 11	107.68	1,567 4 11	1,687 11 9
Westland ..	157	14,833 0 2	175,314 10 7	13,668 18 4	164,544 18 2	93.86	1,209 14 2	1,135 7 11
Westport ..	36	10,604 18 1	105,844 4 5	6,106 11 10	79,691 4 0	75.29	3,185 12 7	2,393 2 4
Nelson ..	61	2,726 4 3	26,031 9 8	2,967 12 8	33,733 2 7	129.78	462 6 2	599 19 6
Picton ..	56	3,633 8 3	39,452 2 3	3,557 14 10	41,655 10 4	105.59	763 4 2	805 16 9
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	819 10 8	7,289 8 9	1,102 0 7	11,941 8 7	163.82	..	..
Total ..	1,739	225,643 13 9	2,416,130 17 1	199,778 3 0	2,552,221 4 7	105.63		
Grand total	3,021	572,203 9 10	6,138,413 9 5	459,001 8 6	5,794,431 4 3	94.18		

ESTIMATED COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1922, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Whangarei ..	877,244	0 0	430,032	0 0
Kaihu ..	100,265	0 0	74,650	0 0
Tauranga ..	..	..	791,244	0 0
Gisborne ..	688,378	0 0	420,322	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	17,725,193	0 0	1,781,110	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	15,377,595	0 0	131,101	0 0
Westland ..	2,206,551	0 0	1,141,852	0 0
Westport ..	606,005	0 0	95,862	0 0
Nelson ..	444,781	0 0	62,027	0 0
Picton ..	684,686	0 0	19,283	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service..	43,708	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—				
Surveys, North Island	..	..	38,443	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island	..	..	5,169	0 0
Surveys, South Island	..	..	5,763	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island	..	..	5,168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way	..	..	261,306	0 0
W.B.D. Stock of A.O.L. and R.I.A. Stores	554,691	0 0	..	..
Balance of cost of raising loan of £1,000,000 for Railways Improvement Authorization Act, 1914, Account	..	..	67,319	0 0
Totals ..	£39,309,097	0 0	£5,380,651	0 0

List of Registering Authorities under the Motor Regulation Act, 1908, and the Distinguishing Letters and Numerals assigned to each.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 19th March, 1923.

THE following list of registering authorities under the Motor Regulation Act, 1908, and the distinguishing letters and numerals assigned to each is published for general information.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART, Minister of Internal Affairs.

Name of Registering Authority.	Distinguishing Letters and Numerals.	Name of Registering Authority.	Distinguishing Letters and Numerals.
Agriculture Department ..	A.G.D. 1 upwards.	Matamata County Council ..	M.M. 1 to 2,000.
Akaroa County Council ..	A.O. 1 to 500.	Mauriceville County Council ..	M.V. 1 to 250.
Akitio County Council ..	A.K.T. 1 to 500.	Mines Department ..	M.D. 1 upwards.
Ashburton County Council ..	A.S.H. 1 upwards.	Murchison County Council ..	M.R.N. 1 to 250.
Ashley County Council ..	N.C. 1 upwards.		
Auckland City Council ..	F. 1 to 12,000.	Napier Borough Council ..	N.A. 1 to 2,000.
Amuri County Council ..	A.M.R. 1 to 500.	Nelson City Council ..	N.N. 1 to 1,000.
Awakino County Council ..	A.W.K. 1 to 500.	New Plymouth Borough Council ..	N.P. 1 to 3,000.
Awatere County Council ..	A.C. 1 to 1,000.		
		Oamaru Borough Council ..	O.U. 1 upwards.
Bay of Islands County Council ..	B.I.C. 1 to 500.	Ohinemuri County Council ..	O.H.R. 1 to 250.
Bruce County Council ..	B.C. 1 to 1,000.	Ohura County Council ..	O.R. 1 to 500.
Buller County Council ..	B.U.L. 1 to 1,000.	Opotiki County Council ..	O.P. 1 to 500.
		Oroua County Council ..	O.W. 1 to 1,500.
Castlepoint County Council ..	C.P. 1 to 500.	Otamatea County Council ..	O.M.E. 1 to 500.
Cheviot County Council ..	C.T. 1 to 500.	Otorohanga County Council ..	O.T.O. 1 to 1,000.
Christchurch City Council ..	C.H. { 1 to 12,500. 1A to 5,000A.	Oxford County Council ..	O.X. 1 to 250.
Clifton County Council ..	C.F. 1 to 500.		
Clutha County Council ..	C.C. 1 to 2,000.	Pahiatua County Council ..	P.H.A. 1 to 1,500.
Collingwood County Council ..	C.W. 1 to 500.	Palmerston North Borough Council ..	P.N. 1 upwards.
Cook County Council ..	C.K. 1 to 500.		
Coromandel County Council ..	C.L. 1 to 500.	Paparoa County Council ..	P.A. 1 to 1,500.
		Patea County Council ..	P.C. 1 to 500.
Dannevirke County Council ..	D.V. 1 upwards.	Petone Borough Council ..	P. 500 to 2,000.
Dunedin City Council ..	D. 1 to 10,000.	Piako County Council ..	P.K. 1 to 250.
		Police Department ..	N.Z.P. 1 upwards.
Education Department ..	E.D. 1 upwards.	Prisons Department ..	P.D. 1 upwards.
Egmont County Council ..	E.G. 1 upwards.	Public Health Department ..	P.H. 1 upwards.
Eketahuna County Council ..	E.K.A. 1 to 1,000.	Public Trust Office ..	P.T. 1 upwards.
Ellesmere County Council ..	E.C. 1 to 750.	Public Works Department ..	P.W.D. 1 upwards.
Eltham County Council ..	E. 1 to 2,000.		
Eyre County Council ..	E.Y. 1 to 500.	Raglan County Council ..	R.A.G. 1 to 500.
		Rangiora County Council ..	R.G.A.C. 1 to 500.
Featherston County Council ..	F. 1 to 1,000.		
Forestry Department ..	F.S. 1 upwards.	Rangitikei County Council ..	W. 2,001 to 2,500.
Franklin County Council ..	F.N. 1 upwards.		
		Rodney County Council ..	R. 1 to 1,500.
		Rotorua County Council ..	R.C.C. 1 to 500.
Geraldine County Council ..	C. 2,001 to 2,200.	Selwyn County Council ..	S. 1 to 500.
" ..	C. 3,801 to 4,000.	Southland County Council ..	S.O. 1 to 800.
" ..	G.D. 1 to 1,000.	Spring Valley County Council ..	S.C. 1 to 1,000.
Gisborne Borough Council ..	G. 1 to 2,000.	State Fire Insurance ..	S.F.I. 1 upwards.
Government Printing Office ..	G.P. 1 upwards.	Stratford County Council ..	S.D. 1 to 2,000.
Greymouth Borough Council ..	G.M. 1 to 500.		
		Tawera County Council ..	T.W.C. 1 to 300.
Hamilton Borough Council ..	H.N. 1 to 5,000.	Taieri County Council ..	T.C. 1 to 500.
Hastings Borough Council ..	H.A. 1 to 3,000.	Takaka County Council ..	T.A.K. 1 upwards.
Hauraki Plains County Council ..	H.P. 1 to 500.	Taranaki County Council ..	T. 1 to 2,000.
Hawera County Council ..	H.W. 500 to 3,000.	Tauranga County Council ..	T.A. 401 to 1,000.
Hawke's Bay County Council ..	H. 151 to 500.	Thames Borough Council ..	T.H.B. 1 to 500.
" ..	H. 900 upwards.	Thames County Council ..	T.H.C. 1 to 500.
" ..	H.O. 151 to 500.	Timaru Borough Council ..	C. 2,201 to 2,700.
Heathcote County Council ..	H.C. 1 to 250.		
Hobson County Council ..	H.B. 1 to 500.	Tuapeka County Council ..	T.B.C. 1 upwards.
Hokianga County Council ..	H.K. 1 to 1,000.	Tuapeka County Council ..	T.U. 1 upwards.
Horowhenua County Council ..	H.O. 1 to 150.	Taumarunui County Council ..	T.A.U. 1 to 1,000.
" ..	H.O. 501 to 1,250.		
Hutt Borough Council ..	H.B.C. 1 to 500.	Uawa County Council ..	U.A. 1 to 500.
Hutt County Council ..	W. 1 to 500.		
" ..	H.C.C. 1 to 500.	Vincent County Council ..	V.O. 1 to 500.
Inangahua County Council ..	I.G. 1 to 500.	Waipara County Council ..	W.A.U. 1 to 250.
Inglewood County Council ..	I.N.G. 1 to 500.	Waihemo County Council ..	W.H.O. 1 to 250.
Internal Affairs Department ..	I.A. 1 upwards.	Waihi Borough Council ..	W.B.C. 1 to 250.
Invercargill Borough Council ..	I.N.S. 1 to 600.	Waikato County Council ..	W.O. 1 to 200.
" ..	I.N.S. 601 to 2,000.	Waikohu County Council ..	W.K. 1 to 500.
		Waimairi County Council ..	C. 6,001 to 6,200.
Kaikoura County Council ..	K.C. 1 upwards.	Waimarino County Council ..	W.I.B. 1 to 500.
Kairanga County Council ..	K. 1 to 2,000.	Waimate County Council ..	C. 3,301 to 3,800.
Kaitieke County Council ..	K.I.E. 1 to 250.		
Kawhia County Council ..	K.W.A. 1 to 500.	Waimate West County Council ..	W.W. 1 to 250.
Kiwhia County Council ..	K.W. 1 to 250.	Waimea County Council ..	W.M. 1 to 2,000.
Kowai County Council ..	K.C.B. 1 upwards.	Waipa County Council ..	W.P. 1 to 1,000.
		Waipara County Council ..	W.P.R. 1 to 500.
Labour Department ..	L.A.B. 1 upwards.	Waipawa County Council ..	H. 600 to 650.
Lake County Council ..	L.K. 1 to 300.		
Lands and Survey Department ..	L.S. 1 upwards.	Wairarapa S. County Council ..	W.S.C. 1 to 1,000.
Levels County Council ..	C. 2,701 to 3,200.	Waikare County Council ..	W.C.C. 1 to 500.
" ..	L.C. 1 to 1,000.	Waitemata County Council ..	W.A. 1 to 500.
		Wairoa County Council ..	W.A.I. 1 to 500.
Mackenzie County Council ..	C. 3,201 to 3,300.	Waitomo County Council ..	W.T.O. 1 to 1,000.
" ..	M.K. 1 to 500.	Wallace County Council ..	W.L. 1 to 1,000.
Makara County Council ..	M.K.R. 1 to 500.	Wanganui Borough Council ..	W.G. 1 to 3,500.
Malvern County Council ..	M.N. 1 to 500.	Wanganui County Council ..	W.C. 1 to 500.
Manawatu County Council ..	M.C. 1 upwards.	Weber County Council ..	W.E.B. 1 to 250.
Mangonui County Council ..	M.G.I. 1 to 500.	Wellington City Council ..	W. 1,001 to 2,000.
Maniototo County Council ..	M.O. 1 to 100.		
Manukau County Council ..	M.U. 1 to 1,000.	Westland County Council ..	W.N. 1 upwards.
Masterton Borough Council ..	W. 501 to 1,000.	Westland County Council ..	W.D. 1 to 500.
" ..	M.S. 1 to 2,000.	Whakatane County Council ..	W.H. 1 to 500.
Masterton County Council ..	M. 251 to 1,500.	Whangarei County Council ..	W.R. 1 to 1,000.
Matakoia County Council ..	M.A. 1 to 500.	Whangaroa County Council ..	W.A.C. 1 to 500.
		Woodville County Council ..	W.D.V. 1 to 500.

Resuming Land in Tiger Hill Survey District, Otago Land District, for Sites for Racemen's Cottages.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and forty-four of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor-General in Council may by Proclamation resume possession of any land leased under Part V of the said Act, or under any corresponding Part of the Land Act, 1892, which in his opinion is required for any public purpose:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land held under small grazing-run lease from His Majesty the King, issued under Part V of the Land Act, 1908, dated the eleventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twelve:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is required for a public purpose—that is to say, for sites for racemen's cottages:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and forty-four of the Land Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that I hereby resume possession of the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the public purpose hereinbefore mentioned, the same being part of the land held under small grazing-run lease as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 1 rood 13 perches, more or less, being part of Run 223c, Tiger Hill Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the southern corner of said Run 223c, thence by the Otago Central Railway Reserve 5° 34', 2132.8 links, and 85° 13', 405 links; thence by the other part of said Run 223c 65° 12', 833.1 links; thence by main Ophir-Alexandra Road 208° 36' 30", 2854.5 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked 8/9/103, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered 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 27th day of March, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

The Southern Side of Portion of Wellington Road in the City of Wellington exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 27th day of March, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Wellington City Council on the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, viz.:

"The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the southern side of Wellington Road, beginning at its junction with Kilbirnie Crescent and extending for a distance of 600 links, being the frontages of Lots 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, and 80, D.P. 65, being part of Section 4, Evans Bay District, Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District";

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the southern side of the portion of Wellington Road described in the Schedule hereto, within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Wellington Road, abutting on Lots 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, and 80, D.P. 65, being part Section 4, Evans Bay District. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56527, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

J. W. BLACK,
Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 28th March, 1923.

THE Kowhai Rebekah Lodge, No. 23, situated at Feilding, is registered as a branch of The Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 28th day of March, 1923.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

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	Barrowman, Fergus Ferguson	Greymouth ..	Retired Civil servant	23/2/23	27/3/23	Testate	Hokitika.
2	Gillyard, John ..	Legar Bay ..	Labourer ..	6/2/23	29/3/23	Intestate	Nelson.
3	Herbert, Helen Ferguson ..	Onehunga ..	Spinster ..	10/12/22	27/3/23	"	Auckland.
4	Kearney, Bernard ..	Ranfurly ..	Labourer ..	27/7/22	29/3/23	"	Dunedin.
5	Moeller, Elizabeth ..	Wellington ..	Widow ..	9/3/22	29/3/23	"	Wellington.
6	Moran, Patrick John ..	Orongo Orongo ..	Carpenter ..	10/1/23	29/3/23	Testate	"
7	Sedgwick, Wilfred ..	Pukeora ..	Farm assistant ..	12/9/22	27/3/23	Intestate	Napier.
8	Sluce, Clara ..	Whatatutu ..	Married woman ..	16/2/23	27/3/23	"	Gisborne.
9	Stewart, William Ogilvie ..	Wellington ..	Poultry-keeper ..	26/2/23	27/3/23	Testate	Wellington.
10	Walker, Alfred Edward ..	Linwood ..	Labourer ..	27/9/10	29/3/23	Intestate	Chri-tchurch.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 3rd April, 1923.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Trustees of the Mataitai-Orere Rabbit District elected.—Notice No. 2255.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 29th March, 1923.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that the following persons have been elected trustees of the Mataitai-Orere Rabbit District, constituted under Part III of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908:—

WILLIAM JOHN CLOW.
ANTHONY ROWLANDS.
HENRY JAMES DEERY.
WILLIAM CASHMORE.
EDWARD KARENA BROWN.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 13 of 1923.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—DREDGER AT WORK.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 3rd April, 1923.

THE Auckland Harbour Board notify that suction dredger No. 2 is now operating off the centre of the new Prince's Wharf.

The position of the dredger, which has moorings laid cardinally with pipe-line connecting the dredger with Prince's Wharf, will vary between Prince's Wharf and a distance of 400 ft. westward.

Mariners are cautioned to avoid the dredger and its moorings and the pipe-line when navigating in this vicinity.

Publications affected.—Admiralty Chart 1970; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 190, "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1923, pages 204, 208, and plan facing page 210.

A. D. PARK, Secretary.

Result of Land Surveyors Examination, March, 1923.

Office of the Surveyors' Board,
Government Buildings,
Wellington, 20th March, 1923.

AT the examination of candidates for a surveyor's license held in March, 1923, under the Surveyors' Institute and Board of Examiners Act, 1908, and conducted by the Federated Surveyors' Boards of Australia and New Zealand, eleven candidates in New Zealand succeeded in obtaining passes, as under:—

Bailey, Frederick William, of Napier.
Dibble, Samuel Trevor, D.C.M., of Auckland.
Harrison, Stuart Stanley, of Auckland.
Innis, Robert Leslie, of Pongakawa.
Nelson, Stanley, of Auckland.
Prangley, Reginald George, of Auckland.
Rayward, Geoffrey Poynings, of Wellington.
Richardson, John Douglas, of Wellington.
Smith, Cedric, of Thule.
Strawbridge, John Samuel, of Hokitika.
Thompson, Charles Herbert, of Timaru.

M. CROMPTON-SMITH,
Secretary, Surveyors' Board.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that BERTRAM WILFRED WAINSTALL, of Taumarunui, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Taumarunui, on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

27th March, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SAMUEL PERCY JULIAN, of Opunake, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

28th March, 1923.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PETER NEILSON, of Mangapapa, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Friday, the 6th day of April, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

23rd March, 1923.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILFRED FRANK McDONALD, of Foxton, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 6th day of April, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

27th March, 1923.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE ANCELL, of Tolaga Bay, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Friday, the 6th day of April, 1923, at 3.30 o'clock p.m.

26th March, 1923.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WORMALD ARUNDEL, of North New Brighton, Fruiterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 11th day of April, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

4th April, 1923.

A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY CURRIE, of Eltham, Brushmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 9th day of April, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

27th March, 1923.

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

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

NOTICE is hereby given that STANLEY PERRY, of North Beach, New Brighton, Dealer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 12th day of April, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

4th April, 1923.

A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 7th May, 1923.

6846. FREDERICK JOHN CAUSLEY and SAMUEL CAUSLEY.—Part of Te Auauanga Block, together with accretion thereto, containing 22 acres 0 roods 26 perches, situated in Block VII, Thames Survey District. Occupied by applicants. Plan 15591.

6921. THOMAS FISHER.—Lots 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, and 9 of Allotment 51, Parish of Taupiri, containing together 3 roods 6 perches, fronting Great South Road, Huntly. Occupied by Frank Littleproud, Albert Powell, Henry Sydney Coyle, George Edwards, George Knight, and applicant. Plan 15783.

6925. MARGARET JANE SHAW.—Lots 2 and 5 of Allotment 51, Parish of Taupiri, containing together 1 rood 14 perches, fronting Great South Road, Huntly. Occupied by William Mantach, Albert Edward Pascoe, George Anderson Shaw, and applicant. Plan 15783.

6995. JOHN WILLIAM VINCENT.—Part Lot 1 of Allotment 15, Section 12, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 2 roods 12.5 perches, fronting Great South Road, near Penrose. Unoccupied. Plan 16365.

7002. GEORGE COPPIN MARSHALL, JOHN ROLAND MARSHALL, and ELIZABETH MILDRED MARSHALL.—Part Allotment 1, Parish of Whangarei, containing 1 perch. Occupied by applicants. Plan 16403.

7024. CECILIA ISABELLE BRODIE.—Part Lots 2 and 3 of Allotment 5, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 6.1 perches, fronting Mount Eden Road and Esscx Street, Mount Eden. Occupied by applicant. Plan 16538.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

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

Application 1501 (plan No. 4295). WILLIAM HENRY BROOME.—10 acres 1 rood 30 perches, parts Sections 45A and 46, Fitzroy District. Occupied by applicant.

Application 1502 (plan, provisional, No. 2149). PERCY JOHN DOUGLASS.—1.02 perches, part of King Street (closed), Town of New Plymouth. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

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

Matthewsons (Limited). 1916/66.

The Meat Mart (Wanganui), Limited. 1921/31.

Given under my hand at Wellington this 3rd day of April, 1923.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME AND OF INTENTION TO CARRY ON BUSINESS.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of GUNNERSSEN NOSWORTHY PROPRIETARY (LIMITED), formerly Gunnensen Proprietary (Limited).

NOTICE is hereby given that the name of Gunnensen Proprietary (Limited), a duly registered foreign company within the meaning of the above-mentioned Act, has been changed to GUNNERSSEN NOSWORTHY PROPRIETARY

(LIMITED), and that in future the business of the company will be carried on under the name of GUNNERSSEN NOSWORTHY PROPRIETARY (LIMITED), and that legal proceedings of any kind may be served upon it and notices of any kind may be served or delivered at the office of the company situate at 43 Mackay Street, Greymouth.

Dated at Greymouth this 12th day of March, 1923.

H. O'NEILL,

Attorney and General Manager in New Zealand for
Gunnensen Nosworthy Proprietary (Limited).

A. H. Paterson, Greymouth, Solicitor to Attorney. 361

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of TROPICAL PLANTERS (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that TROPICAL PLANTERS (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated under the provisions of the Companies Ordinance, Fiji, and having its registered office at Suva, Fiji, intends to commence and carry on business at Auckland, in New Zealand, as Fruit-growers and Shippers and General Merchants and Commission Agents, and that the office or place of business in Auckland for the purposes of so carrying on business as aforesaid will be at my offices, First Floor, Gladstone Buildings, Quay Street, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland this 23rd day of March, 1923.

D. C. FRASER,

Attorney in New Zealand for Tropical
Planters (Limited).

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of THE JOHNSONVILLE LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 8th day of March, 1923, presented to the Right Honourable Sir Robert Stout, P.C., K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, by Hugo Henry Wolf, of No. 5 Mulgrave Street, Wellington, Carpenter, a creditor of the said company; and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court at the Supreme Court House, Wellington, on Tuesday, the 17th day of April, 1923, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

CHAS. W. NIELSEN,

157 Featherston Street, Wellington,
Solicitor for the Petitioner.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, WILLIAM HENRY WADHAM and ROY EDWARD CHAMPTALOUP, carrying on business at Auckland as Motor Engineers and Motor-cycle Dealers under the style of "Wadham and Champtaloup," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of March, 1923.

Dated at Auckland this first day of March, 1923.

R. E. CHAMPTALOUP.

W. WADHAM.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of "ZITA LIMITED."

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 24th day of January, 1923, presented to His Honour Sir Robert Stout, Chief Judge of the Supreme Court, by John Allen and David Allen, of Wanganui, Engineers; and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the Supreme Court on Tuesday, the 17th day of April, 1923, at the Supreme Court House, Wellington, at the hour of 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for same.

MCGRATH AND WILLIS,

Solicitors, Woodward Street, Wellington.

(As agents for ARMSTRONG AND BARTON,
Solicitors for Petitioners, Wanganui.)

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between ARTHUR HAROLD ANDERSON and HUBERT HENRY INIGHT, carrying on business as Motor and General Engineers at 31 Ridgway Street, Wanganui, under the style or firm of "Anderson and Inight," has been dissolved as from the 21st day of March, 1923.

Dated this 21st day of March, 1923.

A. H. ANDERSON.
H. H. INIGHT.

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RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Otautau Trotting Club at a meeting held on the 17th day of March, 1923, at Otautau, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. W. Fraser, 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. W. Fraser, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. M. O'Brien 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:—

OTAUTAU TROTTING 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 Otautau Trotting Club, a trotting 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 Otautau Racecourse situated in the district of Otautau, and known as the Otautau 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," "trotting 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 Trotting 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 Otautau Trotting Club were made and passed by such club on the 17th day of March, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

W. FRASER, Chairman.
E. MATHESON, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Otautau Trotting Club are hereby approved this 24th day of March, 1923.

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JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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PLEASE take notice that the Partnership heretofore carried on between ALBERT NEWCOMB, HUGH FRANCIS WRIGHT, and HOWE HENSON at Albert Street, Auckland, under the style of "Albert Newcomb and Coy.," has been dissolved as from the thirty-first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two; and that the said ALBERT NEWCOMB and HOWE HENSON have entered into a new Partnership as from that date. As from the said date the said ALBERT NEWCOMB and HOWE HENSON will carry on business at "Newcomb's Building," Albert Street, Auckland, under the style of "Albert Newcomb and Coy.,"; and the said HUGH FRANCIS WRIGHT will carry on business at "Newcomb's Building" aforesaid under the style of "H. F. Wright and Co."

All debts due to the late Partnership should be paid to the new firm of Albert Newcomb and Coy., and creditors of the late Partnership are requested to apply to the new firm of Albert Newcomb and Coy. for payment of their accounts.

Dated this 28th day of March, 1923.

ALBERT NEWCOMB.
H. F. WRIGHT.
H. HENSON.

Witness to the signatures of Albert Newcomb, Hugh Francis Wright, and Howe Henson—G. Lincoln Lee, Law Clerk, Auckland. 403

WHAKATANE HARBOUR BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Whakatane Harbour Act, 1921, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Whakatane Harbour Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whakatane Harbour Board No. 8 Harbour Improvements Loan of £3,500, authorized to be raised by the Whakatane Harbour Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of general harbour-improvement works, and payment of the first year's interest and sinking fund, and the cost of raising the loan, the said Whakatane Harbour Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-sixteenth of a penny (1/16d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Whakatane Harbour District as constituted and defined by the Whakatane Harbour Act, 1921; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan or debentures issued as security therefor, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan or debentures, being a period of fifteen (15) years, or until the said loan is fully paid off or all the debentures therefor are redeemed.

LEONARD BUDDLE, Chairman.
ROBT. A. ADAMS, Secretary.

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WHAKATANE HARBOUR BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Whakatane Harbour Act, 1921, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Whakatane Harbour Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whakatane Harbour Board No. 10 Antecedent Liability Loan of £5,200, authorized to be raised by the Whakatane Harbour Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of paying off part of the antecedent liability of the Whakatane Harbour Board within the meaning of the Local Bodies' Finance Act, 1921, the said Whakatane Harbour Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-tenth of a penny (1/10d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Whakatane Harbour District as constituted and defined by the Whakatane Harbour Act, 1921; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan or debentures issued as security therefor, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan or debentures, being a period of fifteen (15) years, or until the said loan is fully paid off or all the debentures therefor are redeemed.

LEONARD BUDDLE, Chairman.
ROBT. A. ADAMS, Secretary.

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WHAKATANE HARBOUR BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Whakatane Harbour Act, 1921, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Whakatane Harbour Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whakatane Harbour Board No. 9 Engineering and Survey Loan of £3,000, authorized to be raised by the Whakatane Harbour Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of engineering, surveys, and the payment of the first year's interest and sinking fund, and the cost of raising the loan, the said Whakatane Harbour Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-twentieth of a penny (1/20d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Whakatane Harbour District as constituted and defined by the Whakatane Harbour Act, 1921; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan or debentures issued as security therefor, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan or debentures, being a period of fifteen (15) years, or until the said loan is fully paid off or all the debentures therefor are redeemed.

LEONARD BUDDLE, Chairman.
ROBT. A. ADAMS, Secretary.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of BROWNE BROS. AND GEDDES (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

TAKE notice that at a meeting of Browne Bros. and Geddes (Limited) held at the company's offices, Manukau Road, Newmarket, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of Saturday, the twenty-fourth day of March, 1923, the following resolution intended to operate as a special resolution was passed:—

RESOLUTION.

"That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that WILLIAM ALLEN BROWNE, CHARLES MANGAN BROWNE, and ROBERT GEDDES, all of Auckland, Merchants, be and they are hereby appointed Liquidators.

WM. A. BROWNE.
CHAS. M. BROWNE.
ROBT. GEDDES.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between DANIEL JAMES WILLIAMS, WILLIAM ROBERT BURGESS, FRANK SQUIRE, JOSEPH HOPKIRK, GEORGE MILLER GALLOWAY, and HENRY ARTHUR LENNON, carrying on business as General Carriers at Hawera and elsewhere in Taranaki under the style or firm of "The A. E. Parkes Carrying Company," has been dissolved as from the 21st day of November, 1921, so far as concerns the said Frank Squire and Henry Arthur Lennon, who retire from the said firm. All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said DANIEL JAMES WILLIAMS, WILLIAM ROBERT BURGESS, JOSEPH HOPKIRK, and GEORGE MILLER GALLOWAY, who will continue to carry on the said business in Partnership under the style or firm of "The A. E. Parkes Carrying Company."

Dated at Hawera the 27th day of March, 1923.

FRANK SQUIRE.
H. A. LENNON.

RUTHERFURD, MACALISTER, AND COLEMAN,
Solicitors for Daniel James Williams,
William Robert Burgess,
Joseph Hopkirk, and George Miller Galloway.

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THE OHAI RAILWAY BOARD.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ohai Railway Board proposes, under the provisions of the Local Railways Act, 1914, and the Public Works Act, 1908, and all other Acts enabling it in that behalf, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of a further portion of the Wairoa-Birchwood Railway from a point in Section 212, Block IV, Wairoa District, and terminating at a point in Section 9, Block I, of the said district; and for the purposes

of such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken.

And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands to be so taken is deposited at the office of the Board, Standard Buildings, Otautau, and is there open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or the taking of such lands should, if they have well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty (40) days from the 3rd day of April, 1923, being the date of the first publication of this notice, to the Clerk of the Ohai Railway Board at Otautau.

SCHEDULE.

The several parcels of land mentioned in list hereunder:—

Approximate Area of each of the Parcels of Land required to be taken.	Being Portion of Section No.	Sheet No. of Plan.	Coloured on Plan	Situated in Block No.	Situated in Survey District of
A. R. P.					
4 2 7.5	211-212	5	Green	VI	Wairoa.
0 0 15	211	5	Yellow	VI	"
10 0 20	37A, 37B, 38A	6 & 7	Red	III	"
2 0 30.2	37A	7	Green	III	"
18 2 34.8	20 E.R.	7 & 8	Blue	III	"
0 1 4.6	20 E.R.	8	Yellow	III	"
0 1 8.7	20 E.R.	8	Pink	III	"
0 1 0.2	20 E.R.	8	Green	III	"
0 1 35.8	Lot 21, Birchwood Estate	9	Yellow	III	"
7 1 21	Lot 20 "	9 & 10	Green	II	"
12 2 21.8	Lot 18, "	10 & 11	Pink	II	"
9 3 10	Lot 17, "	11 & 12	Blue	II	"
0 3 10.7	Lot 1, "	12	Green	II	"
4 2 0	16 and C.R. 69	12 & 13	Pink	XXV	Wairaki.
5 2 14.6	Lot 1, Birchwood Estate	13	Green	I	Wairoa.

All in the Land District of Southland; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan deposited in the office of the Board as aforesaid.

As witness my hand at Otautau this 28th day of March, 1923.

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JOHN FISHER,
Clerk to the Ohai Railway Board.

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