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**E**RRATUM.—In the Schedule to the Proclamation dated the seventeenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 63, page 2267, of the twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, read "Paparua Parish" in lieu of "Mareretu Parish" in respect of Allotments 147 and 150.

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

*Kaitieke County.—Retaruke Survey District.*

	A.	R.	P.
SECTION 17, Block III .. .. .	217	0	0
„ 18 „ .. .. .	278	0	0

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of April, 1923:

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

SECTION 15, Block LXIV, Te Aroha Township: Area, 37 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 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

A PROCLAMATION.

**I**N pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section four of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the areas of settlement

lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby set apart and declared open for disposal by way of sale or lease to discharged soldiers, under special tenures, in the manner provided in the said Act.

## SCHEDULE.

## HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Part Parimui Settlement.				A.	R.	P.
LOT	1	3	5	Area,	3	1 37
..	..	..	..	..	9	3 8
..	..	..	..	..	2	3 10

As shown on Deeds plan 777 in the office of the District Land Registrar, Napier.

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 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

## SCHEDULE

## NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 28, Block XII, Tokatoka Survey District: 1st January, 1922.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Wharepapa Survey District, Auckland Land District.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 3 acres 1 rood 8·4 perches.

Portion of Section 1, situated in Block XI, Wharepapa Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 5/129, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2012, 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 18th day of April, 1923.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclaiming a Road-line laid out through Lot 197, Parish of Karamu, Block VII, Alexandra Survey District, Auckland Land District, to be a Public Road.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was, by an order of the Native Land Court made on the nineteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred twenty-two, duly laid off as a road-line, in pursuance of sections forty-nine and fifty of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913:

And whereas the said Court is of the opinion that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road, and a notification to that effect has been forwarded to the Minister of Lands, in terms of section fifty-one of the said Act:

And whereas one month's notice in writing of the intention to proclaim the said road-line as a public road has been given by the Surveyor-General to the local authority of the district concerned, in terms of section fifteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914:

And whereas it is now expedient that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by sections forty-nine and fifty of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and in so far as each of these sections is applicable, do hereby proclaim as a public road the road-line described in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 9 acres 3 roods.

Portion of Lot 197, Parish of Karamu, Block VII, Alexandra Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 5/171, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2013, and thereon coloured yellow.

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 20th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Allocating to the Purposes of a Road Land in Block XVII, Waikari Survey District, taken for a Railway.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land which is described in the Schedule hereto—and which was taken for a portion of the branch of the Hurunui-Waitaki Railway from Waipara to a point in the neighbourhood of the Township of Mackenzie (Waipara-Hurunui River Section), and which is no longer required for such purposes—shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that the said road shall be maintained by the Waipara County Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land dealt with: 30·7 perches.

Being portion of Section 7538 (railway reserve), Block XVII, Waikari Survey District (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 825/370.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56208, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Blocks VII and VIII, Thames Survey District, Thames County.*

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	1	22	Maramarabi No. 1, Block VIII; coloured red.
1	2	18	Maramarabi No. 3, Blocks VII and VIII; coloured yellow.
0	0	32	Native land, Blocks VII and VIII; coloured red.
0	1	1	Parehuia No. 2c 4, Block VII; coloured blue.

Situated in the Thames Survey District (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 22566.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56610, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Shingle-quarry in Block VII, Kawhia North Survey District, Kawhia County.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a shingle-quarry, and shall vest in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Kawhia as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 rood 25.7 perches.

Being portion of Pirongia West No. 3B Section 2c No. 3, situated in Block VII, Kawhia North Survey District. (S.O. 22234.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56087, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured sepia.

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 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public works.  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Block XVI, Patoka Survey District, Hawke's Bay County.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section eleven of the Land Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion

of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Patoka Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 11 acres 2 roods 31.5 perches.  
Portion of Section 3, Block XVI, Patoka Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 524, green.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56510, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VII, Alexandra Survey District, Raglan County.*

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2 roods 25.3 perches.  
Portion of Section 135; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
3	0	14.2	Sections 135 and 162N; coloured green.
1	1	29.4	" 134, 161N, and 162N; coloured green.
0	3	16.3	" 135 and 162N; coloured green.

All situated in Karamu Parish, Block VII, Alexandra Survey District. (S.O. 19779.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 49538, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VII, Hamilton Survey District, Cambridge Road District, Waikato County.*

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	
2	1	1	Portion of Allotment 7; coloured red.
0	1	8	
6	0	24	

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	0	18	Allotment 7; coloured green.
0	1	10	" "
4	0	11	" "
2	1	0	Lot 7 of Allotment 7, D.P. 9747; coloured green.

All situated in Tamahere Parish, Block VII, Hamilton Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 18172.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55755, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XVII, Waikari Survey District, Waipara County.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	1.6	Portion of Section 7538; coloured yellow.
0	1	4.4	" " violet.
0	1	18	" " yellow.
0	1	20.4	" " yellow.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	1	25.9	Section 7538; coloured green.
0	0	35.6	" "

All situated in Block XVII, Waikari Survey District (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 825/370.)

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56208, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XIII, Hapuakohe Survey District, Waikato County.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	
0	2	6	Portion of Section 165; coloured blue.
1	3	17	" 164 " pink.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	2	13	Sections 160 and 164; coloured green.
1	1	34	Section 164; coloured green.
0	0	28	" 161 "

All situated in Taupiri Parish, Block XIII, Hapuakohe Survey District. (S.O. 18402.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 41970, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VIII, Maraekakaho Survey District, Hawke's Bay County.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road:—

2 roods 18 perches.  
Portion of Raukawa East Block; coloured red.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

## ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	1	18	Lot 1, D.P. 368, part Lot 2, Mangaroa Block; coloured green.
3	1	31	Raukawa East Block; coloured green.

All situated in Block VIII, Maraekakaho Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 698, green.)

All in the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55934, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for the Purposes of a Shingle-quarry, and Road Access thereto, in Block VII, Kawhia North Survey District, Kawhia County.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount

Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke so much of the Proclamation dated the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 18, of the twenty-second day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, taking land for the purposes of a shingle-quarry, and road access thereto, in Block VII, Kawhia North Survey District, as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto, such Proclamation containing an error in substance.

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land affected: 1 rood 25·7 perches.

Being portion of Pirongia West No. 3B Section 2C No. 3, Block VII, Kawhia North Survey District. (S.O. 22234.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56087, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured sepia.

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 18th day of April, 1923.

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for Street Purposes in the City of Wellington.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke so much of the Proclamation dated the twentieth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 11, of the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, taking land for street purposes in the City of Wellington, as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto, such land being no longer required for the purpose for which it was taken.

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land not required: 2 roods 7 perches.

Being portion of Section 6, Harbour District, and closed road.

Situated in the City of Wellington, Block XI, Belmont Survey District (Harbour R.D.). (S.O. 1762.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56687, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, 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 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Stopping a Government Road in Wakefield Survey District.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road hereby stopped:—  
2 acres 3 roods 12 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 11, Block IV, and C.L., Block I, situated in Wakefield Survey District (Otago R.D.).

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56409, 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 21st day of April, 1923.

R. HEATON RHODES,  
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Stopping Government Roads in Block V, Awa-o-te-Atua Survey District.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the pieces of road hereby stopped: 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.

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 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Prohibiting the Exportation of Bran and Pollard.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 23rd day of April, 1923.

## Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-seven of the Customs Act, 1913, and by the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, 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 prohibit the exportation from New Zealand of bran and pollard, save with the consent of the Minister of Customs.

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

*Polling-places for the Oamaru Electoral District appointed.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## Oamaru Electoral District—

Ardgowan, the Public School.  
 Awamoko, the Public School.  
 Dunback, Mr. Grigor Macdonald's Residence.  
 Five Forks (Maruaoko Post-office), the Public School.  
 Glenpark, the Public School.  
 Goodwood, the Public School.  
 Goodwood Railway, the Goodwood Hall.  
 Hampden, the Courthouse.  
 Herbert, the Public Hall.  
 Hilderthorpe, Mr. A. Todd's House.  
 Hillgrove, the Public School.  
 Kakanui North, the Athenæum.  
 Kakanui South, the Public School.  
 Kauru Hill, the Public School.  
 Kia Ora, the Public School.  
 Maheno, the Public Hall.  
 Ngapara, the Public School.  
 Oamaru, the Courthouse (principal).  
 Oamaru North Road, Marquee, Old Cricket Ground.  
 Oamaru, Arun Street, the Public School (South).  
 Oamaru, Reed Street, the Public School (North).  
 Oamaru, Severn Street, the Public School (Middle).  
 Oamaru, Wharfe Street, St. Luke's Hall.  
 Palmerston, the Town Hall.  
 Papakaio, the Public School.  
 Peebles, Mr. Jas. Fraser's Store.  
 Port Moeraki, the Public School.  
 Pukeuri, the Public School.  
 Shag Point, the Public School.  
 Teaneraki (Enfield Post-office), the Public School.  
 Totara (Totaratahi Post-office), the Public School.  
 Waianakarua, the Public School.  
 Waitaki South (Waitaki Post-office), the Public School.  
 Weston, the Public School.  
 Windsor, the Public School.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER,

For Minister in Charge of Electoral Department.

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

## JELICOE, Governor-General.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

## TOWN LAND.

## Eden County.—Town of Onehunga.

Lot 1 of Allotment 2, Section 48: Area, 1 rood 38.6 perches; upset price, £150.

Lot 2 of Allotment 2, Section 48: Area, 1 rood 38.6 perches; upset price, £150.

The sections, which are very suitable for building-sites, are somewhat rocky and uneven, but could be levelled or terraced. Sufficient land for a garden for each section could be obtained. Situated in Grotto Street about ten minutes walk from the Te Papapa Railway-station by a good formed and metalled road.

## SUBURBAN LAND.

## Mangonui County.—Suburbs of Mangonui.

Lot 1: Area, 2 acres 0 roods 23 perches; upset price, £200.

The section fronts the main foreshore road, about sixty chains from the Mangonui Post-office and wharf, and is a good building-site. There is a permanent stream running through section.

NOTE.—A reasonable time will be allowed to remove the buildings in the event of the owner not being the successful bidder at the auction.

## RURAL LAND.

## Manukau County.—Pakuranga Parish.

Sections 40 and 140: Area, 12 acres 3 roods; upset price, £510.

These sections consist of stony terraces in grass, with blackberry and gorse spreading. Fenced on three sides by stone wall and post-and-wire fence, and a good hedge on the east boundary. Watered by a spring, probably dry in summer. Access is from East Tamaki, one mile and a half distant by good metalled road. The school is a quarter of a mile distant.

Sections 159 and N. 162: Area, 9 acres 0 roods 19 perches; upset price, £250.

Stony volcanic land, in grass. Fenced on two sides by stone wall. There is no water on these sections; suitable for grazing only. Access is from East Tamaki, one mile and a half distant by good metalled road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. FRASER, for Minister of Lands.

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

## JELICOE, Governor-General.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

## Bruce County.—Tokomairiro Survey District.

Section.	Lock.	Area.	Upset Price.
		A. R. P.	£ s. d.
114	XII	4 0 27	185 0 0
115	"	2 1 9	105 0 0
116	"	3 3 12	175 0 0
118	"	3 2 5	160 0 0
119*	"	3 2 7	160 0 0

\* Weighted with £51 10s., valuation for improvements consisting of stable £50, and yards £1 10s.

Level land of excellent quality; deep black loam, on a clay subsoil. Situated within a mile of Milton Railway-station, and quite close to Milton School.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,

For Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in Taranaki Land District for Sale or Selection.

## JELICOE, Governor-General.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—CROWN LAND.

## FIRST-CLASS LAND.

## Ohura County.—Rangi Survey District.

SECTION 15, Block I: Area, 349 acres 3 roods 13 perches. Capital value, £1,050. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £26 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £21.

Situated on the Okoroa Road. Access is from Okahukura Railway-station, which is about one mile distant. There is a school at Okahukura. The section comprises easy to fairly steep country, and includes a very good basin of about 100 acres. There are about 40 acres of fern and scrub land on the front of the section, while the balance of the vegetation consists of mixed forest comprising tawa, rimu, rata, hinau, tawhero, &c., with undergrowth of koromiko, tupari, pongas, supplejacks, karamu, &c. The open country consists of inferior soil on clay formation, while the bush land comprises good soil on papa formation. Well watered by running streams. Elevation ranges from 640 ft. to 1,650 ft. above sea-level.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Clifton County.—Waro Survey District.

Section 8, Block IX: Area, 632 acres. Capital value, £510. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £12 15s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £10 4s.

Weighted with £477 10s., valuation for improvements, about £230 approximately of which may be taken over by way of mortgage to the State Advances Superintendent, the balance must be paid for in cash.

Situated on the Tongaporutu—Mangaroa Road, about one mile from Kotare and fourteen miles from Tahora. Access is from Uruti, which is twenty-four miles distant. In dry weather cars can be taken right to the section. The road is metalled to within about twelve miles of section. The section comprises steep broken country, with small area of flats along the road, 150 acres felled and in grass, but a good portion has now gone back in scrub. The soil is of medium quality, on papa and sandstone formation. The forest is heavy, comprising tawa, rata, hinau, rimu, and a few odd totaras, with a medium undergrowth of supplejacks, &c. Well watered by streams. Elevation ranges from 700 ft. to 1,000 ft. above sea-level.

Ohura County.—Aria Survey District.

Section 7, Block X: Area, 550 acres. Capital value, £690. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £17 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £13 16s.

Situated on the Waitewhena Road, about a mile from the Waitewhena Post and Telephone Office. Access is from Ohura, which is about twelve miles distant by dray-road; or Te Kuiti, which is about forty miles distant by dray-road. The section comprises rough to broken country, with steep faces covered with heavy bush. The soil is of good quality in the gullies and valleys, but poor on the ridges, resting on papa and sandstone formation. The forest is heavy, comprising tawa, hinau, pukatea, rata, rimu, totara, &c., in the valleys, birch, tawhero, and rewarewa on the ridges, with a mixed undergrowth of karamu, kotukutuku, raurekau, wharangi, ponga, &c. The section is well watered by small streams. The elevation ranges from 600 ft. to 1,400 ft. above sea-level.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 21st day of April, 1923.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands

Opening Settlement Land in Southland Land District for Selection.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Southland County.—Tuturau Survey District.—Knowsley Park Settlement.

SECTION 11, Block VII: Area, 912 acres 0 roods 5 perches. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £67 5s. 6d.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

Notice of Change of the Purpose of Reserves in the Town of Cobden, Westland 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 lands described in the Schedule hereto are reserves duly set apart for sites for public buildings or other purposes of the General Government, being a purpose within Class II in the Second Schedule to the said Act, and it is expedient to change, as hereinafter provided, the purpose of such reserves so set apart:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section six of the said Act as aforesaid, declare that the reserves described in the Schedule hereto are hereby changed from sites for public buildings or other purposes of the General Government to reserves for municipal 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.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, Town Block I, Town of Cobden: Area, 1 acre 2 roods 32 perches.

Also Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, Town Block II, Town of Cobden: Area, 1 acre 2 roods 18 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

Lands set apart for a Municipal Endowment in the Cobden Town District.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section seventeen of the Land Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is provided that the reserves to be made by the Governor-General for any existing borough or town district under that section shall be made only in cases where reserves for the same purpose do not exist therein, or, if existing, do not equal or exceed the amount of reserves authorized to be made under section fifteen of the said Act:

And whereas the existing municipal reserves in the Town of Cobden do not equal the amount of such reserves authorized by the said section fifteen, and it is deemed expedient to make the reserves hereinafter mentioned:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands enumerated in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same are hereby reserved as an endowment or for the use of the Town Board of the Cobden Town District, as constituted by Proclamation dated the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 64, of the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Block IV, Cobden Survey District.

RESERVE	Area.	A.	R.	P.
1417, Cobden Town District ..	0	3	8.1	
" 1418, ..	0	0	32.8	
" 1419, ..	0	1	15.5	
" 1420, ..	0	1	4.6	
" 1429, ..	0	3	36	
" 41, Block I, Cobden Suburbs ..	2	3	11	

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.



*Waiiau River, Southland Land District, notified under the Timber-floating Act, 1908.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

THE Waiiau River situated within the Wallace County.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 7, Block VII, Rangaunu Survey District: Area, 81 acres 3 rods.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 49, Block V, Opoe Survey District: Area, 39 acres 2 rods 21 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 18, Block II, Rangaunu Survey District: Area, 75 acres.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 13, 16, and 17, Parish of Mata: Area, 191 acres.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Vesting the Control of Scenic Reserves in the Hae Hae Te Moana Scenic Board.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

JOHN STUDHOLME BARKER,  
ROBIN PAUL HARPER,  
IAN MACDONALD,  
HAMILTON SINCLAIR THOMSON, and  
ALLAN MARSHALL,

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

1. The first meeting of the Board shall be held on Saturday, the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, at eight o'clock p.m., at the Schoolhouse, Four Peaks, and thereafter the Board shall meet for the transaction of business on the first Saturday in each quarter at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time or place as may from time to time be fixed by the Board.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



SCHEDULE.

HAE HAE TE MOANA SCENIC RESERVES.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 86 acres, more or less, being Reserve 3883 (in red), (Four Peaks Settlement), situated in Block XV, Four Peaks Survey District. Commencing at the south-eastern corner of Reserve 3884; thence bounded towards the east by Sections 4 and 6, by lines aggregating 4216.7 links; towards the south-west and south generally by the Hae Hae Te Moana River; towards the south-west and north-west by Section 1A, 1337.7 links and 1817.2 links respectively; and again towards the north-west by Reserve 3884, 2662.3 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 388/30A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Also all that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 41 acres 0 roods 5 perches, more or less, being Reserve 3884 (in red), (Four Peaks Settlement), situated in Block XV, Four Peaks Survey District. Commencing at the north-western corner of Section 4, bounded thence towards the north-east and south-east by that section, 754.3 links and 938.1 links respectively; again towards the south-east by Reserve 3883, 2662.3 links; towards the north-west by part of Section 1, 3081.3 links; again towards the north-east generally by the road-line, 1218.7 links and 232.9 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 388/30B, 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 17th day of April, 1923.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

*Exempting Crown Land in the Nelson Land District from Mining.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section eighteen of the Mining Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is exempted from mining.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of Crown land containing an area of 199 acres 1 rood 13 perches, more or less, and being Section 34, Block IV, Kawatiri Survey District, situated in the Land District of Nelson.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of April, 1923.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Mines.

(Mines N. 6/27.)

*Crown Solicitor appointed.*

Crown Law Office,  
Wellington, 19th April, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

FRANK HERBERT COOKE, Esq.,

to be Crown Solicitor at Palmerston North, *vice* Charles Albert Loughnan, resigned.

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

*Appointment of Acting Consular Agent for Italy at Auckland recognized provisionally.*

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

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs that he has recognized provisionally the appointment by the Consular Agent for Italy at Auckland of

Mr. ALFRED SEYMOUR BANKART

as Acting Consular Agent for Italy at Auckland during the temporary absence of the Consular Agent, Mr. John H. Pagni.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 20th April, 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 person has been appointed a Ranger under and for the purposes of that Act for the South Canterbury Acclimatization District, *viz.* :—

Ivor Bristol, of Peel Forest.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 23rd April, 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 person has been appointed Ranger under and for the purposes of that Act for the Rotorua Acclimatization District, *viz.* :—

William Henry Peakman, of Wairoa.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Clerk of Magistrate's Court, &c., appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable REGINALD DUDDING SQUIRE

to be Clerk and Bailiff of the Magistrate's Court at Martinborough, on and from the 9th day of April, 1923, *vice* Constable D. J. M. Hewitt, transferred.

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

*Inspector of Sea Fishing appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 21st April, 1923.

IT is hereby notified that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of the Fisheries Act, 1908, and of the Official Appointments and Documents Act, 1919, appointed

ALBERT JOSEPH O'BRIEN,

of Campbell Islands, to be an Inspector of Sea Fishing for the purposes of Part I of the first-mentioned Act.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

*Appointment of Members of the Board of Agriculture.—Notice No. 2262.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 20th April, 1923.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in terms of the Board of Agriculture Act, 1913,—

- Sir J. G. WILSON, Kt.,
- E. HALL, Esq.,
- G. L. MARSHALL, Esq.,
- W. PERRY, Esq.,
- E. D. MCLENNAN, Esq.,
- E. AVERILL, Esq.,
- W. B. GRANT, Esq.,
- J. H. PERRETT, Esq.,
- J. A. HAYCOCK, Esq.,
- D. W. WESTENRA, Esq.,
- J. BEGG, Esq., and
- D. MARSHALL

to be members of the Board of Agriculture established by the above-mentioned Act, such appointments to date from 30th April, 1923.

Sir J. G. WILSON, Kt., has been named as President in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

*Deputy Commissioner of Stamp Duties, &c., appointed.*

Office of Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 19th April, 1923.

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

LEONARD GRAY TUCK, Esq.,

to be Deputy Commissioner of Stamp Duties for the purposes of the Stamp Duties Act, 1908, Assistant Registrar of Companies for the purposes of the Companies Act, 1908, Registrar of Building Societies for the purposes of the Building Societies Act, 1908, Registrar of Industrial and Provident Societies for the purposes of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1908, and Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies for the purposes of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908, and its amendments, at Dunedin, as from the 17th day of April, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Registrars of Births, &c., appointed.*

Office of Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 19th April, 1923.

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

JAMES BARRON, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district of Blueskin, as from the 9th April, 1923.

BRUCE McFARLANE, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district of Kawakawa, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Kawakawa, as from the 13th April, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

HAROLD WILLIAM RIGGALL, Esquire, of 120 William Street, Melbourne, in the State of Victoria, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of Victoria, has this day been appointed by the Right Honourable Sir Robert Stout, P.C., K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in the State of Victoria, under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington this 10th day of April, 1923.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Registrar, Supreme Court.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

JOSEPH McWHINNEY, Esquire, of 117 Pitt Street, Sydney, New South Wales, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, has this day been appointed by the Right Honourable Sir Robert Stout, P.C., K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of New Zealand, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in New South Wales, under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington this 19th day of April, 1923.

W. A. HAWKINS,  
Registrar, Supreme Court.

*Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the N.Z. Staff Corps and Territorial Force.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 25th April, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the N.Z. Staff Corps and Territorial Force.

*N.Z. STAFF CORPS.*

Major R. N. J. Fraser is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class II (a). Dated 14th February, 1923.

*3RD N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (AUCKLAND).*

Donald Edward Stacey to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*). Dated 9th March, 1923.

Captain O. Henry is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 4. Dated 28th March, 1923.

*4TH N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (WAIKATO).*

Hans Rudolph Haeusler to be 2nd Lieutenant. Dated 1st March, 1923.

Leslie Moncrieff Nutt to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*). Dated 3rd April, 1923.

*THE N.Z. INFANTRY.**The Auckland Regiment.*

Lieutenant W. G. Marks (1st Battalion) is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class II (b), R.D. 1. Dated 17th April, 1923.

2nd Lieutenant J. H. Rose (1st Battalion) is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 1. Dated 17th April, 1923.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) H. C. Eaves (7th C. Battalion) lapses. Dated 17th April, 1923.

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 27, of 29th March, 1923, relating to the transfer of Lieutenant S. E. Senior, M.C., should read 19th February, 1922, and not as therein stated.

*The Wellington Regiment.*

2nd Lieutenant P. de la M. Barcham to be Lieutenant (9th C. Battalion). Dated 6th April, 1923.

Lieutenant H. Alp, Reserve of Officers, Royal Engineers, is temporarily attached to the 2nd Battalion. Dated 22nd March, 1923.

*The Canterbury Regiment.*

Lieutenant H. V. Searle to be Captain (9th C. Battalion). Dated 7th April, 1923.

2nd Lieutenant A. C. Rowe, from the Otago Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant (1st Battalion), with seniority as from 27th October, 1921.

2nd Lieutenant J. Stewart (9th C. Battalion) is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class II (b), R.D. 9. Dated 16th April, 1923.

*The Otago Regiment.*

Gordon Lindsay Taylor to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*), (3rd C. Battalion). Dated 29th March, 1923.

John Angus Dunning to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*), (3rd C. Battalion). Dated 7th April, 1923.

Keith William Rutherford Glasgow to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*), (3rd C. Battalion). Dated 13th April, 1923.

2nd Lieutenant A. C. Rowe (2nd Battalion) is transferred to the Canterbury Regiment. Dated 11th April, 1923.

Lieutenant A. E. W. McDonald is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 12. Dated 6th April, 1923.

*N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.*

Major E. L. Marchant, O.B.E., M.B., retires under the provision of General Order 184/21, and is granted permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 10th April, 1923.

*N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.*

The Reverend G. E. Weeks, Chaplain, 4th Class, Reserve List, Class II, resigns his commission. Dated 12th April, 1923.

*MEMORANDA.*

2nd Lieutenant L. Lewin [*late Unattached List (General List)*] is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class II (b), R.D. 10, with the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 13th April, 1923.

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 65, of 31st August, 1922, relating to the posting of Lieutenant L. Lewin to the Retired List is hereby cancelled.

*ERRATUM.*

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 34, of 19th April, 1923, relating to the transfer of the Reverend R. H. K. Knowles should read "The Reverend R. H. K. Kempton," and not as therein stated.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Defence Rifle Club disbanded.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the disbandment, under section 43, Defence Act, 1909, of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club:—

Eltham Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Eltham.

Date of disbandment, 2nd April, 1923.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Services of Defence Rifle Club accepted.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 17th April, 1923.

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

Tui Defence Rifle Club, with headquarters at Tui, Nelson.

Date of acceptance, 12th March, 1923.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th April, 1923.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to Major P. J. R. Fordham, M.B.E., Retired List.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Defence.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 16th April, 1923.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

## WAITOMO COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Mahoenui No. 3 Special Rating Area in the County of Waitomo, taken on the 23rd day of March, 1923, on the proposal of the Waitomo County Council to borrow the sum of £1,000 for the purpose of widening and completing the metalling of portion of the Piopio-Mahoenui Road north of the Mangaotaki Bridge, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 28, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 14.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Te Kuiti this 27th day of March, 1923.

ROBT. WERE, Chairman.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 16th April, 1923.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

## BOROUGH OF RAETIHI.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Raetihi was taken on the 4th day of April, 1923, on the proposal of the Council to borrow £3,000 for the following purposes:—

- (a.) Installation of complete feeder-panel with recording and integrating wattmeter, to comply with the Public Works Department regulations.
- (b.) Construction of new forebay screens and forebay with pipes and raising of surge tower.
- (c.) Reinstalling main transformers, increasing lines, street lighting, &c.
- (d.) Purchase of meters and construction of house service connections.
- (e.) Extension of payable distribution-lines.

The number of votes recorded for the above-named proposal was 13, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was duly carried.

S. A. HARRIS, Mayor.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 23rd April, 1923.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

## EKETAHUNA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll on Proposal of Bridge Rate in the East, West, and Alfredton Ridings.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the County of Eketahuna was taken on the 12th day of April, 1923, on the proposal of the Eketahuna County Council to make a bridge rate in terms of sections 23 and 24 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and amendments thereto, in each of the several ridings of the Eketahuna County.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal in the East Riding was 40, and the number recorded against the proposal was 10.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal in the West Riding was 126, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 48.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal in the Alfredton Riding was 59, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 11.

I therefore declare that all proposals were carried.

Dated this 14th day of April, 1923.

J. P. PETERSEN, Acting-Chairman.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 24th April, 1923.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

## OTAMATEA COUNTY.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the Komiti Fruitlands Special Rating District of the County of Otamatea was taken on the 31st day of March, 1923, on the proposal of the Otamatea County Council to borrow the sum of £2,750 for the purpose of metalling and general improvement of roads in the Komiti Fruitlands Special Rating District.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 18, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Paparoa this 16th day of April, 1923.

RODNEY COATES, Chairman.

*Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.*

Wellington, 24th April, 1923.

THE following notices, received from the Mayor of the Council of the Borough of Morrinsville, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

## BOROUGH OF MORRINSVILLE.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Inner Area of the Borough of Morrinsville taken on the 28th day of March, 1923, on a proposal that the Morrinsville Borough Council should borrow the sum of £16,000 to install a sewerage scheme in the said Inner Area of the borough, including the provision of a dump for the disposal of nightsoil, the acquisition of land, purchase of material, labour, and all incidental and contingent expenses in connection therewith, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 102, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 22.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Inner Area of the Borough of Morrinsville taken on the 28th day of March, 1923, on a proposal that the Morrinsville Borough Council should borrow the sum of £1,000 for the purpose of making advances to owners of property in the said Inner Area of the borough of a proportion of the cost of connections with the sewerage system to be installed in the said Inner Area, or to install such connections at the discretion of the Council, in pursuance of the provisions in that behalf contained in section 228 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 100, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 23.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Outer Area of the Borough of Morrinsville taken on the 28th day of March, 1923, on a proposal that the Morrinsville Borough Council should borrow the sum of £1,000 for the purpose of providing in connection with the sewerage system proposed to be installed in the Inner Area of the Borough of Morrinsville a dump for the disposal of nightsoil, including the acquisition of land required as a site for such dump, and of paying the increased cost of such sewerage system occasioned through provision being made therein for ultimate

extensions of the system to the said Outer Area, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 141, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 26.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Morrinsville this 29th day of March, 1923.

FRANK J. MARSHALL, Mayor.

*Empire Day to be observed as a Holiday on King's Birthday.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 24th April, 1923.

**EMPIRE DAY** will be celebrated on Monday, the 4th June, 1923, in conjunction with the anniversary of the birthday of His Majesty the King, and that day will be observed as a public holiday in the Government Offices throughout the Dominion.

W. FRASER,  
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Redefining Boundaries of the Borough of Masterton.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 21st April, 1923.

**PURSUANT** to the provisions of section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the Borough of Masterton are hereby defined as set out in the Schedule hereto, the boundaries of the said borough having been altered by Order in Council dated the 3rd day of November, 1922, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1926, and published in *Gazette* No. 79, of the same date.

**SCHEDULE.**

**BOUNDARIES OF THE BOROUGH OF MASTERTON.**

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at the intersection of the railway reserve with the northern boundary of Section 65, Block I, Otahoua Survey District, and proceeding thence easterly along said northern boundary of Section 65 to the main Masterton-Eketahuna Road; thence northerly along the western side of that road to a point in line with the northern side of Fifth Street; thence easterly to and along that roadside and its production to the eastern side of Manuka Street, and southerly along that roadside to the northern boundary of Section 72, Block I, Otahoua Survey District, along the said boundary and the northern boundary of Section 73 to Gordon Street; thence southerly along the western side of Gordon Street and westerly along the northern side of the Masterton-Waimate Road to a point in line with the eastern side of Blair Street; thence to and along that side of Blair Street to a point in line with the western boundary of Lot 1 on plan 1626 deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence to and along said boundary to the south-western corner of said Lot 1; thence westerly along a right line, the production of the southern boundary of said Lot 1, to the right bank of the Waipoua River; thence down that bank and the right bank of the Ruamahanga River to the middle of the Nursery Road; thence south-westerly along the middle-line of that road and its production to the middle of the Kuripuni Creek, and up the middle of that creek to the north-western boundary of Section 30, Manaia Block; thence by that boundary, the north-eastern and north-western boundaries of Section 29, the north-eastern boundary of Section 3 and its production to the middle of the South Road; thence south-easterly along the middle of that road to a point in line with the northern side of Junction Road; thence along said northern side of Junction Road and its production to the middle of High Street; thence north-easterly along the middle of High Street to its intersection with Solway Street; thence north-westerly along a right line through Section 43 to the intersection of the middle-lines of Railway Road and a road forming the southern boundary of Section 34, Masterton Small-farm Block; thence north-easterly along the middle of the said Railway Road to its intersection with the middle of Upper Plain Road; thence along the middle of that road to a point in line with the north-western boundary of Lot 1, deposited plan 5504; thence to and along that boundary and along the north-eastern boundary of the land shown on said plan 5504 and the production to the middle of Railway Road, and again north-easterly along that road to its intersection with the middle of Ngaumutawa Road; and thence along a right line to a point on the right bank of the Waipoua River in line with the north-western boundary of Section 31, Masterton Small-farm Block, and down the said right bank of the Waipoua River to the eastern side of the railway reserve, and north-easterly along that side of the said reserve to the point of commencement.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Certificate and Declaration of Execution of Criminal.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 21st April, 1923.

**T**HE following certificate and declaration are published in conformity with the provisions of the Crimes Act, 1908.

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

**CERTIFICATE.**

I, HAMILTON A. H. GILMER, the Medical Officer in attendance at the execution of John Tuhi at the public prison at Wellington known as the Wellington Prison, do hereby certify and declare that I have this day witnessed the execution of the said John Tuhi at the said prison; and I do further certify and declare that the said John Tuhi was, in pursuance of the sentence of the Supreme Court, hanged by the neck until his body was dead.

Given under my hand this 19th day of April, 1923, at the public prison at Wellington.

HAMILTON A. H. GILMER.

**DECLARATION.**

WE do hereby testify and declare that we have this day been present when the extreme penalty of the law was carried into execution on the body of John Tuhi, convicted at the criminal sittings of the Supreme Court held at Wellington on the 6th day of February, 1923, and sentenced to death, and that the said John Tuhi was, in pursuance of the said sentence, hanged by the neck until his body was dead.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1923, at the public prison at Wellington known as the Wellington Prison.

W. A. HAWKINS, Sheriff.  
M. HAWKINS, Inspector of Prisons.  
J. C. SCANLON, Gaoler.  
W. G. BROWN, Warder.  
EDWIN ARNOLD, Justice of the Peace and  
Visiting Justice.

W. E. BUDD.  
CASHMORE ROBIESON.  
E. O. RAMSDEN.

*Native Lands to cease to be excepted from the Term "Rateable Property" as defined by the Rating Act, 1908.*

In the matter of the Urewera Lands Act, 1921-22, and of section 43 of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1922.

**NOTICE** is hereby given that the lands known as Ruatoki Nos. 1, 2, and 3 Blocks respectively shall cease to be excepted from the term "rateable property" as defined by the Rating Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of April, 1923.

Dated the 31st day of March, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

*Waimakariri River Trust.*

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three of the Waimakariri River Improvement Act, 1922, I, Joseph Gordon Coates, Minister of Public Works, do hereby appoint

JOHN WOOD, Esq.,

of Wellington, Civil Engineer, to be a Commissioner of the Waimakariri River Trust; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said section, I do hereby appoint the said JOHN WOOD to be Chairman of the Trust.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 18th day of April, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

*Waimakariri River Trust.*

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Waimakariri River Improvement Act, 1922, I, Joseph Gordon Coates, Minister of Public Works, do hereby appoint

JOSEPH HENRY BLACKWELL, Esq.,

of Kaiapoi, Merchant, to be a Commissioner of the Waimakariri River Trust.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 18th day of April, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, fixing the Closing-hours of (1) Drapers', (2) Clothiers' and Mercers', and (3) House-furnishers' Shops in the Borough of Thames.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) draper, (2) clothier and mercer, and (3) house-furnisher in the Borough of Thames, has been forwarded to me, desiring that all such shops in the borough be closed in the evening of working-days as follows: On Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 5.30 p.m., and on Fridays at 9 p.m.:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the shops in each of the trades of (1) draper, (2) clothier and mercer, and (3) house-furnisher in the Borough of Thames:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I do hereby direct that on and after the 7th day of May, 1923, all the shops in each of the trades of (1) draper, (2) clothier and mercer, and (3) house-furnisher in the Borough of Thames shall be closed accordingly.

Dated at Wellington this 24th day of April, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

Fees for Measurements, Inspections, and Surveys under the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, I, George James Anderson, the Minister of Marine, do hereby fix, direct, and determine that in lieu of the fees heretofore prescribed in respect of the same matters the fees set forth in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, be paid in respect of the several matters set forth in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

(a.) MEASUREMENT OF TONNAGE.

FEES for this duty are chargeable in accordance with the following scale and regulations:—

	£	s.	d.
Under 50 tons (register tonnage) ..	2	0	0
50 to 100 tons (register tonnage) ..	2	10	0
100 to 200 " " ..	3	0	0
200 to 500 " " ..	4	0	0
500 to 800 " " ..	5	0	0
800 to 1,200 " " ..	6	0	0
1,200 to 2,000 " " ..	7	0	0
2,000 to 3,000 " " ..	8	0	0
3,000 to 4,000 " " ..	9	0	0
4,000 to 5,000 " " ..	10	0	0
5,000 to 6,000 " " ..	12	0	0
And so on for ships of larger tonnage, adding for every 1,000 tons above 6,000	2	0	0

1. The fees are to be charged on the gross register tonnage of the vessels measured.

2. In the case of vessels measured under Rule II of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894 (Imperial), the fee to be charged will be one-fourth of the fee applicable to the case in the above scale; but not less than £1 is to be charged in any case. When a vessel previously measured under Rule II is remeasured under Rule I the fee to be charged is to be such as will make up, with the sum previously paid for measurement under Rule II, the full fee applicable to the case in the above scale.

3. In the case of alterations in a space or spaces on the upper deck or engine-room, the fee to be charged will be one-fifth of the fee in the above scale, according to the tonnage of the vessel; but not less than £1 is to be charged in any case.

A fee of £1 is to be charged in all cases of minor inspections (e.g., alteration of rig, port of registry, description of engines, &c.).

4. The fee paid in accordance with the above scale will cover any number of visits that the Surveyor may find it necessary to make before he is able to fill up the formula of tonnage and grant his certificate to enable a vessel to obtain registry. It will also cover the inspection of crew-spaces and lights and fog-signals if the Surveyor is able to make these inspections on the occasion on which the measurement is performed, but not otherwise. For any further visits necessary for inspection or completion of inspection of crew-spaces and lights and fog-signals, further fees in accordance with the scale below (b) and (c) will be charged.

(b.) INSPECTION OF THE BERTHING OR SLEEPING ACCOMMODATION OF THE CREW.

For each visit of a Surveyor to the ship: £1.

The aggregate amount of fees chargeable under this heading for any such inspection is not to exceed £3, whatever be the number of separate visits.

When the accommodation is inspected at the same time with the measurement of the tonnage, the fee for the inspection of the accommodation shall be £1.

When lights and fog-signals are inspected on the same occasion as crew-spaces the above fee covers the inspection of the lights and fog-signals. If, however, when the Surveyor is able to certify to the crew-spaces, further visits for the inspection or completion of inspection of lights and fog-signals are found to be necessary, fees in accordance with the scale below [Div. (c)] will be charged.

(c.) INSPECTION OF LIGHTS AND FOG-SIGNALS.

For each visit by a Surveyor, either where application for inspection is made by the owner of a vessel, or when the lights or fittings are found to be defective (viz., not in accordance with Regulations for preventing Collisions at Sea): £1.

The first fee of £1 should be charged when the vessel is placed under detention, or when notice of intended detention for defective lights and fog-signals is given.

As witness my hand this 18th day of April, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

Fees for Survey Certificates granted for Steamships and Sailing-ships.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by section 177 of the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Marine, do hereby direct that the fees specified in the Schedule hereto shall be charged in respect of survey certificates granted for steamships and sailing-ships respectively.

SCHEDULE.

Register Tonnage of Ships.	Fee payable for					
	Six Months' Certificate.		Twelve Months' Certificate.			
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Vessels propelled by mechanical power other than steam, and not exceeding 20 tons register	1	10	0	1	10	0
Steamships—						
Not exceeding 20 tons register ..	2	0	0	4	0	0
Exceeding 20 but not exceeding 60 tons register	4	0	0	7	0	0
Exceeding 60 but not exceeding 100 tons register	5	0	0	9	0	0
Exceeding 100 but not exceeding 300 tons register	7	0	0	13	0	0
Exceeding 300 but not exceeding 600 tons register	9	0	0	16	0	0
For every additional 300 tons register, an addition of Maximum fee in any case ..	20	0	0	40	0	0
Sailing-ships—						
Not exceeding 20 tons register ..	2	0	0	3	0	0
Exceeding 20 but not exceeding 60 tons register	3	0	0	4	0	0
Exceeding 60 but not exceeding 100 tons register	4	0	0	6	0	0
Exceeding 100 but not exceeding 200 tons register	5	0	0	7	10	0
Exceeding 200 but not exceeding 300 tons register	6	0	0	9	0	0
Exceeding 300 but not exceeding 400 tons register	7	0	0	10	0	0
Exceeding 400 but not exceeding 500 tons register	8	0	0	12	0	0
Exceeding 500 but not exceeding 600 tons register	9	0	0	13	10	0
For every additional 300 tons register, an addition of Maximum fee in any case ..	12	0	0	20	0	0

As witness my hand this 18th day of April, 1923.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

RETURN of REVENUE collected at the GENERAL POST OFFICE and in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND for the Quarter ended 31st MARCH, 1923.

	POSTAL REVENUE.							TELEGRAPH REVENUE.				Total Post and Telegraph Revenue.
	Rural Delivery Fees.	Private Box and Bag Rents.	Money-order Commission.	Postages.	Postal-note Commission.	Miscellaneous Receipts (Postal).	Total Postal.	Telegrams.	Telephone Exchanges.	Miscellaneous Telegraph.	Total Telegraph.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
General Post Office ..	..	422 15 10	1,667 10 4	433 8 3	..	951 11 10½	3,475 6 3½	..	16,954 7 9	5,327 1 0	22,281 8 9	25,756 15 0½
Auckland ..	503 9 2	1,570 19 11	1,332 9 7	74,167 13 1½	803 8 0	24 8 10	78,402 8 7½	28,168 4 0	2,359 15 8½	393 19 9	30,921 19 5½	109,324 8 1
Blenheim ..	9 0 0	551 4 0	83 8 5	3,050 16 6½	57 13 9	2 0 10	3,754 3 6½	3,119 3 4	4,144 5 1	57 0 6	7,320 8 11	11,074 12 5½
Christchurch ..	310 4 8	1,856 15 6	675 16 9	47,691 11 0	335 16 3	38 9 6	50,908 13 8	19,553 12 10½	2,907 13 11	485 19 11	22,947 6 8½	73,856 0 4½
Dunedin ..	85 9 11	764 8 10	516 15 4	25,853 6 6½	368 11 8	12 15 6	27,601 7 9½	14,143 16 8½	9,981 6 10	162 7 7	24,287 11 1½	51,888 18 11
Gisborne ..	11 10 0	757 3 2	149 0 7	5,515 0 2½	88 8 6	5 4 0	6,526 6 5½	5,709 13 2	1,837 12 5	23 9 6	7,570 15 1	14,097 1 6½
Greymouth ..	..	436 12 11	173 1 5	4,047 6 10	71 9 6	2 14 8	4,731 5 4	3,552 9 6½	1,755 2 1	45 9 10	5,353 1 5½	10,084 6 9½
Hamilton ..	1,605 16 11	1,541 9 9	630 15 3	21,215 15 7½	475 15 4	5 6 8	25,474 19 6½	13,284 4 10½	619 12 3	52 8 3	13,956 5 4½	39,431 4 11
Invercargill ..	93 9 11	1,196 15 9	258 18 3	12,044 15 9	207 19 7	10 3 6	13,812 2 9	8,473 13 11½	3,941 5 3	226 16 1	12,641 15 3½	26,453 18 0½
Napier ..	167 16 2	1,749 10 7	335 19 2	15,034 4 8½	229 13 0	10 9 8	17,527 13 3½	12,438 13 9½	3,868 16 7	98 6 4	16,405 16 8½	33,933 10 0
Nelson ..	66 3 6	402 13 3	160 17 2	5,348 10 4½	91 13 6	4 6 2	6,074 3 11½	3,661 1 2	5,936 13 7	58 9 0	9,656 3 9	15,730 7 8½
New Plymouth ..	493 16 4	916 12 0	260 13 7	12,733 15 1½	181 10 4	3 11 2	14,594 18 5½	7,505 16 0½	2,240 5 6	50 7 0	9,796 8 6½	24,391 7 1
Oamaru ..	136 10 0	175 4 4	77 1 3	3,475 9 3½	56 11 0	3 8 0	3,924 3 10½	2,620 13 4½	50 19 3	32 12 1	2,704 4 8½	6,628 8 7
Thames..	126 5 0	698 1 3	267 15 3	8,096 0 10	186 18 11	1 14 8	9,376 15 11	5,743 0 2½	1,508 16 9	64 0 0	7,315 16 11½	16,692 12 10½
Timaru ..	687 13 9	560 8 5	163 0 3	8,052 16 0½	92 7 0	3 0 0	9,564 5 5½	5,899 8 0½	384 13 9	126 7 7	6,410 9 4½	15,974 14 10
Wanganui ..	460 16 6	1,023 7 11	328 4 8	13,444 5 11	229 16 10	3 10 0	15,490 1 10	9,105 6 5	15,945 9 4½	87 10 6	25,138 6 3½	40,628 8 1½
Wellington ..	1,667 7 6	2,555 18 6	1,197 14 3	74,785 18 10½	610 10 1	49 12 2	80,867 1 4½	37,144 15 11	2,725 4 2½	415 13 5	40,285 13 6½	121,152 14 11
Westport ..	2 10 0	108 9 7	120 5 1	1,704 11 11	43 16 8	1 15 0	1,981 8 3	1,404 2 9	785 0 8	136 10 11	2,325 14 4	4,307 2 7
Western Samoa ..	..	..	19 3 3	616 9 5½	1 19 8	..	637 12 4½	..	..	..	..	637 12 4½
Totals, 1st quarter in 1923	6,432 19 4	17,288 11 6	8,423 9 10	337,311 16 5	4,133 19 7	1,134 2 2½	374,724 18 10½	181,527 16 2	77,947 0 11½	7,844 9 3	267,319 6 4½	642,044 5 3
Totals, 1st quarter in 1922	5,471 17 1	19,122 13 8	8,131 4 2	367,842 17 10½	3,997 8 8	1,534 19 6	406,101 0 11½	176,679 18 9	138,421 5 11	5,768 12 9	320,869 17 5	726,970 18 4½

General Post Office, Wellington, 23rd April, 1923.

R. B. MORRIS, Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of MONEY-ORDER AND SAVINGS-BANK TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 31st MARCH, 1923.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Money-order Offices open at End of Quarter.	MONEY-ORDERS.				Savings-bank Offices open at End of Quarter.	SAVINGS-BANKS.							
		Issued.		Paid.			Accounts.		Number of Deposits.	Number of Withdrawals.	Amount of Deposits.	Amount of Withdrawals.	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals.	Excess of Withdrawals over Deposits.
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.		Opened.	Closed.						
			£ s. d.		£ s. d.					£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Auckland .. ..	182	30,308	188,465 16 4	37,798	262,470 19 7	178	4,127	3,185	52,981	52,471	1,277,954 6 5	1,317,784 12 2	..	39,830 5 9
Blenheim .. ..	16	2,235	12,634 13 9	1,298	10,877 14 0	16	227	164	3,325	2,728	76,948 4 9	59,754 9 5	17,193 15 4	..
Christchurch .. ..	71	14,791	102,847 12 7	16,016	151,734 8 9	71	2,653	1,868	45,919	42,904	1,087,705 17 7	1,140,107 5 0	..	52,401 7 5
Dunedin .. ..	76	13,184	79,839 0 4	13,892	104,026 12 4	72	1,552	1,365	25,517	22,434	561,152 18 9	609,993 10 6	..	48,840 11 9
Gisborne .. ..	25	3,521	23,594 1 5	1,815	12,099 11 0	25	498	434	6,634	5,729	128,225 2 11	136,871 19 5	..	8,646 16 6
Greymouth .. ..	25	4,490	26,301 10 0	2,508	15,650 11 9	25	312	427	3,447	3,216	81,231 14 6	97,514 4 8	..	16,282 10 2
Hamilton .. ..	84	17,560	110,083 16 1	9,083	55,773 8 5	84	1,874	1,125	17,005	12,516	354,588 4 0	298,732 0 3	55,851 3 9	..
Invercargill .. ..	36	7,076	44,181 18 0	5,017	34,803 19 2	36	674	548	8,412	7,469	194,604 4 9	186,365 18 3	8,238 6 6	..
Napier .. ..	49	8,771	63,260 17 4	6,112	54,056 18 2	45	1,090	906	14,702	11,650	328,725 11 6	334,850 13 9	..	6,125 2 3
Nelson .. ..	30	3,983	24,962 18 11	3,335	22,647 8 7	30	339	300	4,836	4,719	112,905 8 7	121,877 0 5	..	8,971 11 10
New Plymouth .. ..	35	6,876	46,903 4 4	4,720	43,336 19 2	34	921	696	11,809	7,932	271,177 16 6	235,965 5 11	35,212 10 7	..
Oamaru .. ..	11	2,380	33,917 9 2	1,004	7,091 0 7	11	254	167	3,178	2,589	82,595 6 6	77,871 1 10	4,724 4 8	..
Thames .. ..	38	7,185	47,299 17 4	3,296	22,156 2 4	38	775	555	6,823	4,626	133,812 4 4	136,901 16 10	..	3,089 12 6
Timaru .. ..	18	4,566	71,226 9 2	2,415	17,902 6 2	18	643	451	7,820	6,572	210,727 15 5	217,581 8 2	..	6,853 12 9
Wanganui .. ..	43	9,687	66,399 10 10	4,956	33,867 14 11	43	1,076	876	13,503	11,350	299,088 4 0	275,139 10 5	23,948 13 7	..
Wellington .. ..	94	28,192	198,365 19 5	32,463	225,193 2 11	95	4,424	3,591	69,926	59,958	1,438,658 8 11	1,511,789 1 6	..	73,130 12 7
Western Samoa .. ..	1	305	1,804 18 5	37	241 9 7	1	31	14	204	111	8,282 16 2	2,018 9 8	6,264 6 6	..
Westport .. ..	18	3,047	17,101 17 5	1,135	7,637 7 11	18	284	143	1,979	1,375	46,057 12 4	38,123 9 9	7,934 2 7	..
Totals, 1st quarter in 1923	852	168,157	1,159,191 10 10	146,900	1,081,567 15 4	840	21,754	16,815	297,970	260,349	6,694,436 17 11	6,799,241 17 11	..	104,805 0 0
Totals, 1st quarter in 1922	842	163,869	1,147,062 0 9	145,285	1,093,831 17 2	831	22,411	18,796	292,953	262,272	6,376,243 19 8	6,767,307 9 7	..	391,063 9 11

General Post Office, Wellington, 23rd April, 1923.

R. B. MORRIS, Secretary.



## STATEMENT of TELEGRAPH BUSINESS within the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 31st MARCH, 1923

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	Number of Offices open at End of Quarter.	Ordinary Telegrams, including Paid Govern- ment Telegrams.		Urgent Ordinary Telegrams.		Night Letter Telegrams.		Press Telegrams.		Toll Communications.		Total.	
		Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number. *	Amount. †	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.
Auckland .. .. .	395	270,628	£ 14,387 8 2	15,019	£ 1,521 11 2	3,173	£ 190 5 0	10,852	£ 1,547 15 11½	291,161	£ 10,521 3 8½	590,833	£ 28,168 4 0
Blenheim .. .. .	95	22,207	£ 1,185 1 2	888	£ 98 7 11	246	£ 12 10 10½	541	£ 392 17 9	44,993	£ 1,430 5 7½	68,870	£ 3,119 3 4
Christchurch .. .. .	210	158,509	£ 8,687 7 5½	7,938	£ 1,003 16 0	1,232	£ 73 11 11	8,602	£ 2,012 0 4	182,769	£ 7,776 17 2	359,050	£ 19,553 12 10½
Dunedin .. .. .	241	126,980	£ 6,558 5 0	3,859	£ 422 13 3	1,610	£ 97 19 11	5,733	£ 871 3 1	132,971	£ 6,193 15 5½	271,153	£ 14,143 16 8½
Gisborne .. .. .	41	28,797	£ 1,662 18 4½	1,332	£ 143 8 9	604	£ 38 3 7	1,027	£ 535 2 7	61,874	£ 3,329 19 10½	93,634	£ 5,709 13 2
Greymouth .. .. .	82	31,860	£ 1,711 15 8	937	£ 111 5 10	360	£ 19 19 7	1,233	£ 630 19 6	28,894	£ 1,078 8 11½	63,284	£ 3,552 9 6½
Hamilton .. .. .	200	103,926	£ 5,291 10 10½	3,919	£ 420 4 7	311	£ 16 18 6½	1,315	£ 393 19 6	194,138	£ 7,161 11 4½	303,609	£ 13,284 4 10½
Invercargill .. .. .	195	55,263	£ 2,790 5 9	1,301	£ 162 8 1	392	£ 24 3 3	1,528	£ 762 0 0	124,901	£ 4,734 16 10½	183,385	£ 8,473 13 11½
Napier .. .. .	89	71,365	£ 3,824 12 1½	3,481	£ 374 16 11	715	£ 40 18 4	1,861	£ 957 4 0	190,282	£ 7,241 2 5	267,704	£ 12,498 13 9½
Nelson .. .. .	108	30,730	£ 1,646 17 2	1,283	£ 138 2 2	218	£ 15 11 3	971	£ 337 8 7	45,155	£ 1,523 2 0	78,357	£ 3,661 1 2
New Plymouth .. .. .	108	54,862	£ 3,002 16 11	2,651	£ 229 11 9	599	£ 34 1 1	1,515	£ 856 17 9	107,272	£ 3,382 8 6½	166,899	£ 7,505 16 0½
Oamaru .. .. .	54	17,145	£ 838 19 10	304	£ 38 14 11	144	£ 7 16 2	201	£ 450 4 1	24,757	£ 1,284 18 4½	42,551	£ 2,620 13 4½
Thames .. .. .	83	49,002	£ 2,452 1 11½	2,148	£ 221 7 2	219	£ 11 6 4½	1,935	£ 440 15 11	73,029	£ 2,617 8 9½	126,333	£ 5,743 0 2½
Timaru .. .. .	66	35,053	£ 1,686 12 0	888	£ 100 3 11	152	£ 8 11 10½	953	£ 593 12 4	76,693	£ 3,510 7 11	113,739	£ 5,899 8 0½
Wanganui .. .. .	101	67,074	£ 3,485 4 11	3,442	£ 289 9 0	451	£ 23 16 1	2,222	£ 740 11 5	106,470	£ 4,566 5 0	179,659	£ 9,105 6 5
Wellington .. .. .	181	302,008	£ 20,425 3 2	14,710	£ 1,720 3 0	2,603	£ 149 11 4	64,131	£ 1,867 5 2	310,710	£ 12,982 13 3	694,162	£ 37,144 15 11
Westport .. .. .	58	14,060	£ 637 9 2	373	£ 38 12 1	148	£ 7 17 7	424	£ 281 19 0	14,000	£ 438 4 11	29,005	£ 1,404 2 9
Totals, 1st quarter in 1923 .. .. .	2,307	1,439,469	£ 80,274 9 8½	64,468	£ 7,034 16 6	13,177	£ 773 2 9	105,044	£ 13,671 16 11½	2,010,069	£ 79,773 10 3	3,632,227	£ 181,527 16 2
Totals, 1st quarter in 1922 .. .. .	2,327	1,346,156	£ 85,630 8 1	57,735	£ 7,545 4 10	5,370	£ 489 11 6½	94,048	£ 11,834 3 7½	1,781,511	£ 71,130 10 8	3,234,820	£ 176,679 18 9

\* Forwarded Press telegrams the bulk of which are "collect" upon delivery.

† Amount received from prepaid and "collect" Press telegrams.

General Post Office, Wellington, 23rd April, 1923.

R. B. MORRIS, Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, AMOUNT, &c., of POSTAL-NOTE TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the Quarter ended 31st MARCH, 1923.

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	No. of Postal-note Offices open at the End of the Quarter.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES SOLD.										Total Amount of Postal Notes sold, including Commission.	Commission on Postal Notes sold.				
		At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 15/0	At 20/0	Total.						
Auckland ..	239	14,679	6,865	15,452	16,975	12,269	25,149	11,973	5,612	9,613	118,587	£ 33,655	s. 8	d. 0	£ 808	s. 8	d. 0
Blenheim ..	21	844	450	1,162	1,154	750	1,584	983	551	833	8,311	2,640	6	9	57	13	9
Christchurch ..	82	4,455	2,459	6,619	7,753	4,362	9,151	5,564	2,968	5,073	48,404	15,397	1	3	335	16	3
Dunedin ..	99	5,466	2,818	7,232	7,680	5,314	10,575	6,223	3,350	4,780	52,438	16,381	5	8	368	11	8
Gisborne ..	26	1,722	846	1,681	1,651	1,159	2,633	1,333	679	1,238	12,942	3,858	6	0	88	8	6
Greymouth ..	30	1,028	544	1,324	1,414	1,002	1,923	1,258	574	1,110	10,177	3,273	7	6	71	9	6
Hamilton ..	107	7,344	4,376	9,587	10,431	7,133	13,144	7,849	4,010	6,058	69,932	20,779	13	10	475	15	4
Invercargill ..	51	3,203	1,646	4,063	3,890	2,660	6,028	3,560	1,942	2,951	29,943	9,478	2	7	207	19	7
Napier ..	64	3,382	1,771	4,740	4,781	3,349	6,162	3,887	1,867	3,304	33,243	10,293	16	0	229	13	0
Nelson ..	38	1,408	780	2,090	2,011	1,279	2,520	1,562	763	1,155	13,568	4,011	1	0	91	13	6
New Plymouth	52	2,712	1,459	3,503	3,776	2,533	4,944	3,154	1,698	2,452	26,281	8,174	15	10	181	10	4
Oamaru ..	15	815	333	1,139	1,130	677	1,494	988	507	941	8,024	2,667	14	6	56	11	0
Thames ..	47	2,957	1,562	3,719	3,863	2,696	5,155	3,000	1,620	2,608	27,180	8,322	17	5	186	18	11
Timaru ..	21	1,282	649	1,637	1,856	1,396	2,476	1,637	773	1,392	13,098	4,219	9	6	92	7	0
Wanganui ..	48	3,441	1,760	4,378	4,802	3,032	6,388	3,967	2,259	3,163	33,190	10,464	9	10	229	16	10
Wellington ..	119	9,906	4,232	11,393	12,947	8,504	18,314	9,319	4,986	8,559	88,160	26,992	9	7	610	10	1
Westport ..	23	701	332	824	785	613	1,163	751	383	686	6,238	2,015	15	2	43	16	8
Western Samoa	1	19	8	22	36	50	27	44	13	41	260	97	4	8	1	19	8
Totals, 1st qr. in 1923	1,083	65,364	32,890	80,565	86,935	53,828	118,830	67,052	34,555	55,957	600,976	182,723	5	1	4,133	19	7
Totals, 1st qr. in 1922	1,069	59,438	29,237	75,582	84,961	62,529	109,926	64,116	32,514	57,332	575,635	177,976	15	8	3,997	8	8

POSTAL DISTRICTS.	NUMBER OF POSTAL NOTES PAID.											Total Amount of Postal Notes paid.		
	At 1/0	At 1/6	At 2/0	At 2/6	At 3/0	At 5/0	At 10/0	At 12/6	At 15/0	At 20/0	Total.			
Auckland ..	11,858	7,800	20,815	21,718	13,707	26,355	16,205	..	8,928	13,196	140,582	£ 42,613	s. 9	d. 0
Blenheim ..	262	147	430	427	255	543	420	..	183	349	3,016	990	15	0
Christchurch ..	4,312	2,635	7,210	9,520	4,626	10,005	6,102	..	3,255	5,685	53,350	16,696	12	6
Dunedin ..	4,926	3,022	8,538	8,606	5,449	10,902	7,551	..	4,037	5,993	59,074	18,746	12	0
Gisborne ..	486	270	720	724	477	943	550	..	311	526	5,007	1,548	12	0
Greymouth ..	417	237	676	641	483	885	666	..	327	574	4,906	1,632	6	0
Hamilton ..	2,214	1,457	3,827	3,758	2,272	4,642	2,970	..	1,691	2,956	25,787	8,282	19	6
Invercargill ..	1,415	1,015	2,494	2,325	1,622	3,047	2,209	..	1,154	1,852	17,133	5,513	19	0
Napier ..	1,729	1,041	2,910	2,989	1,857	3,750	2,432	..	1,215	2,110	20,033	6,282	9	0
Nelson ..	839	533	1,481	1,417	946	1,798	1,045	..	539	839	9,437	2,764	6	0
New Plymouth	1,316	732	2,194	2,195	1,435	2,771	2,009	..	990	1,624	15,266	4,893	9	6
Oamaru ..	320	175	568	563	360	690	542	..	268	386	3,872	1,240	16	0
Thames ..	878	424	1,316	1,366	829	1,679	1,112	..	598	1,010	9,212	2,936	13	0
Timaru ..	607	313	1,067	1,030	637	1,373	814	..	505	936	7,387	2,464	16	6
Wanganui ..	1,930	756	2,343	2,640	1,404	3,258	2,091	..	1,279	1,934	17,635	5,681	7	0
Wellington ..	27,675	11,833	21,079	24,884	19,887	42,513	18,788	..	8,394	15,543	190,596	52,333	8	6
Westport ..	171	107	319	301	169	377	286	..	142	325	2,199	780	4	0
Western Samoa	..	1	4	2	2	2	1	..	..	1	13	3	0	6
Totals, 1st qr. in 1923	61,355	32,498	78,041	85,156	56,467	115,538	65,793	..	33,816	55,839	584,503	175,405	15	0
Totals, 1st qr. in 1922	53,658	27,293	73,062	82,254	58,129	104,345	62,457	..	31,851	56,527	549,576	168,767	3	6

STATEMENT showing DISCOUNT-STAMP TRANSACTIONS in the several POSTAL DISTRICTS of the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1923.

Postal District.	Discount-stamps sold.	Discount-stamps redeemed.	Unsold Discount-stamps on Hand on 31st March, 1923.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland .. .. .	0 10 0	0 8 0	7 15 0
Blenheim .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Christchurch .. .. .	0 6 8	5 2 0	10 0 0
Dunedin .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Gisborne .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Greymouth .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Hamilton .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Invercargill .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Napier .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Nelson .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
New Plymouth .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Oamaru .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Thames .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Timaru .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Wanganui .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Wellington .. .. .	.. .. .	63 18 0	66 15 0
Westport .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Totals, 1st quarter, 1923 .. .. .	0 16 8	69 8 0	84 10 0
Totals, 1st quarter, 1922 .. .. .	102 17 2	108 18 0	86 2 10

General Post Office, Wellington, 23rd April, 1923.

R. B. MORRIS, Secretary.

*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	Ainsworth, William ..	Runanga ..	Coal-mine employee ..	10/3/23	17/4/23	Testate	Hokitika.
2	Fox, Daniel Lawrence ..	Napier ..	Storeman ..	3/12/22	17/4/23	Intestate	Napier.
3	Nicol, James ..	Upper Aramohe ..	Farm labourer ..	11/3/23	17/4/23	"	Wellington.
4	Palmer, John Copplestone	Budleigh, Devon, England	Builder ..	10/4/22	17/4/23	Testate	"
5	Reid, James ..	Christchurch ..	Labourer ..	5/1/23	17/4/23	"	Christchurch.
6	Reid, Solomon ..	Auckland ..	Carpenter ..	22/1/23	17/4/23	Intestate	Auckland.
7	Shepherd, William ..	" ..	Pensioner ..	14/3/23	17/4/23	"	"
8	Tracey, Joseph John ..	Nelson ..	Labourer ..	3/3/23	17/4/23	Testate	Nelson.
9	Tregonning, Tabitha ..	Caroline ..	Housewife ..	6/6/17	17/4/23	Intestate	Invercargill.
10	Watts, James ..	Riverton ..	Labourer ..	23/12/22	17/4/23	"	"
11	Wicks, Harry Alexander ..	Hastings ..	Clerk ..	12/3/23	17/4/23	"	Napier.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 23rd April, 1923.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

*Mining Privileges to be struck off Register.—Mining Amendment Act, 1914, Section 30.*

Warden's Office, Greymouth, 20th April, 1923.

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

J. McINDOE, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
AHAURA REGISTRY.				
2501	27/10/04	Water-race ..	Gow's Creek ..	P. and P. Donnellan.
6611	18/10/10	" ..	German Gully ..	"
6457	26/3/15	" ..	Moonlight Creek ..	Aynsley Bros.
3548	25/11/05	" ..	Nelson Creek ..	P. and P. Donnellan.
GREYMOUTH REGISTRY.				
24/18	29/4/18	Water-race ..	Langdon's Creek ..	M. Moore.
36/20	9/3/20	Sawmill ..	Block 9, Te Kinga Survey District	Jesse Donaldson.

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

Office of the Public Service Commissioner, Wellington, 31st March, 1923.

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

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

FIRST APPOINTMENTS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Hosking, Francis Edwin .. .. .	Cadet .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	16 March, 1921.
Jesson, Vallance Holmwood .. .. .	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	7 " "
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Carr, Eleanor Rose .. .. .	Shorthand-typist .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	15 March, 1921.
Pierard, Jack Edward Robert .. .. .	Bacteriological Assistant .. .. .	" .. .. .	25 February, 1921.
Wilson, Malcolm William .. .. .	Cadet .. .. .	Head Office, Wellington .. .. .	15 March, 1921.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Dare, Edward Charles .. .. .	Chauffeur .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	14 March, 1921.
Watkins, Edna Grace .. .. .	Shorthand-typist .. .. .	Relieving Staff, Wellington .. .. .	4 " "
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.			
Clarke, Gordon .. .. .	Cadet .. .. .	Wellington .. .. .	8 March, 1921.
Shelton, Raymond Arthur .. .. .	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	15 " "
Shewan, John .. .. .	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	15 " "
NATIVE DEPARTMENT.			
Cannan, William Henry .. .. .	Clerk .. .. .	Native Land Court, Wanganui .. .. .	1 March, 1921.
PENSIONS DEPARTMENT.			
Johnstone, William Pyott .. .. .	Clerk .. .. .	Head Office, Wellington .. .. .	1 March, 1921.
McClellan, William Henry Hosmar .. .. .	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	1 " "
Urquhart, James Polson .. .. .	" .. .. .	" .. .. .	1 " "
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
Jervis, Vincent .. .. .	Clerk .. .. .	Head Office, Wellington .. .. .	9 March, 1921.
Phillips, Lilian Maud .. .. .	Shorthand-typist .. .. .	District Office, Wellington .. .. .	8 " "
Rudd, Maxwell Billens .. .. .	Cadet .. .. .	Auckland .. .. .	14 " "
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.			
Roy, Henry Wilson .. .. .	Shift Operator .. .. .	Horahora .. .. .	14 February, 1921.

## OFFICERS PROMOTED.

Name.	Promoted from		Promoted to		Date.		
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.			
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.							
Grimmett, Robert Edmund Richard	Cadet (P.F.) .. ..	.. ..	Chemical Laboratory, Wellington	Analyst (P.E.) .. ..	.. ..	Chemical Laboratory, Wellington	1 Feb., 1923.
AUDIT DEPARTMENT.							
Hamilton, John McCausland	Audit Inspector (C, III) ..	.. ..	Auckland .. ..	Audit Inspector (C, II) ..	.. ..	Wellington .. ..	5 Mar., 1923.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.							
Guest, Evelyn Maud	3rd Assistant Teacher ..	.. ..	Te Teko Native School ..	2nd Assistant Teacher ..	.. ..	Te Teko Native School ..	5 Feb., 1923.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.							
Bicknell, Jessie	Deputy Director .. ..	.. ..	Division of Nursing, Wellington	Director .. ..	.. ..	Division of Nursing, Wellington	10 Mar., 1923.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.							
Tansley, Samuel William Loring Ru	Clerk (Acting Official Assignee)	.. ..	Wellington .. ..	Official Assignee .. ..	.. ..	Wellington .. ..	8 Aug., 1922.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.							
McGlynn, Elizabeth	Nurse .. ..	.. ..	Auckland .. ..	Laundress .. ..	.. ..	Auckland .. ..	1 Oct., 1922.
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.							
Hutchings, Walter	Staff and Pay Clerk (C, V)	.. ..	Wellington .. ..	Senior Clerk (C, IV) ..	.. ..	Wellington .. ..	12 Feb., 1923.
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.							
Parkes, William James	Warder .. ..	.. ..	Wi Tako Prison, Trentham ..	Acting Principal Warder	.. ..	Wi Tako Prison, Trentham ..	1 April, 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.							
Purdie, Archibald	Reviewing Inspector (C, I)	.. ..	Wellington and Nelson ..	Chief Inspector (C, Sp.) ..	.. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	8 Feb., 1923.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.							
Clark, Arnold Edwin	Clerk (C, VII) .. ..	.. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	Engineering Cadet (P.F.)	.. ..	Whangarei .. ..	22 Feb., 1923.
Park, Archibald Gavin	" .. ..	.. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..	.. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	26 " "
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.							
Meek, Joseph Henry	Clerk (C, VII) .. ..	.. ..	Christchurch .. ..	First Clerk (C, VI) ..	.. ..	Napier .. ..	11 Dec., 1922.

OFFICERS TRANSFERRED.

Name.	Transferred from		Transferred to		Date.
	Position.	Place.	Position.	Place.	
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.					
Ramsay, Arthur Elliot .. ..	Meat Inspector .. ..	Marton .. ..	Meat Inspector .. ..	Feilding .. ..	8 Mar., 1923.
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.					
Hamblyn, Emma .. ..	District Nurse to Natives .. ..	Auckland .. ..	District Nurse to Natives .. ..	Te Kaha .. ..	30 Jan., 1923.
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.					
Urquhart, Mina Ann McKenzie .. ..	Cutter .. ..	Advertising Office, Wellington .. ..	Office Assistant .. ..	Head Office, Wellington .. ..	15 Jan., 1923
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.					
McDonald, Alexander William .. ..	Clerk .. ..	Magistrates Court, Wellington .. ..	Clerk in Courts .. ..	Blenheim .. ..	8 Mar., 1923.
LABOUR DEPARTMENT.					
Georgeson, John .. ..	Inspector of Factories, &c. .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	Inspector of Factories, &c. .. ..	Wellington .. ..	8 Mar., 1923.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.					
Rigby, Lillian Elizabeth .. ..	Clerk .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Clerk .. ..	Napier .. ..	7 Mar., 1923.
MARINE DEPARTMENT.					
Macindoe, Alfred Everard .. ..	Inspector of Machinery .. ..	Wellington .. ..	Inspector of Machinery .. ..	Napier .. ..	26 Feb., 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.					
Sythes, John James .. ..	Cadet .. ..	District Office, Wellington .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Gore .. ..	12 Mar., 1923.
VALUATION DEPARTMENT.					
Carmichael, Malcolm .. ..	District Valuer .. ..	Southland .. ..	District Valuer .. ..	Nelson .. ..	10 Mar., 1923.
INTERDEPARTMENTAL TRANSFERS.					
Bowden, Andrew Ward .. ..	Cadet .. ..	District Office, Public Trust Department, Wellington .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Head Office, Government Insurance Department, Wellington .. ..	9 Mar., 1923.
Hoskins, Doris .. ..	Shorthand-typist .. ..	Public Trust Department, Wellington .. ..	Shorthand-typist .. ..	State Advances Department, Wellington .. ..	15 Feb., ..

## RESIGNATIONS.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.			
Udy, Ward Howard .. ..	Analyst .. ..	Chemical Laboratory, Wellington	31 Mar., 1923.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.			
Benjamin, Julia .. ..	Sole Teacher .. ..	Waitahanui Native School	2 Feb., 1923.
Dane, Mrs. Hilda Ellen Isabel .. ..	Head Teacher .. ..	Paparore Native School ..	28 " "
Dane, William Maurice .. ..	1st Assistant .. ..	" .. ..	28 " "
Foley, Anstice Josephine .. ..	Assistant Teacher .. ..	Waiomio Native School ..	31 Mar., "
Foley, Hugh Mahon .. ..	Head Teacher .. ..	" .. ..	31 " "
Peterson, Margaret Jane .. ..	Clerk Attendant .. ..	Receiving Home, Wellington	26 Feb., "
Young, Mrs. Alice Gertrude Annie .. ..	1st Assistant Teacher .. ..	Ohaeawai Native School ..	31 Mar., "
Young, James .. ..	Head Teacher .. ..	" .. ..	31 " "
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.			
Bradey, Frederick Roy .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Wellington .. ..	28 Feb., 1923.
Dodds, William Lillico .. ..	" .. ..	Auckland .. ..	12 Mar., "
Naera, Ngapori .. ..	District Nurse to Natives .. ..	Tolaga Bay .. ..	31 Jan., "
INTERNAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT.			
Mitchell, Henry Alexander McDonald	Clerk .. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	8 Mar., "
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.			
Nicholls, Erskine .. ..	Clerk .. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	31 Mar., 1923.
Price, Llewellyn John .. ..	" .. ..	Magistrate's Court, Wellington	31 " "
LAND AND DEEDS DEPARTMENT.			
Prichard, Ivor George .. ..	Clerk .. ..	Wellington .. ..	13 Mar., 1923.
LAND AND INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT.			
McMahon, Donald McGilvray .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Wellington .. ..	17 Mar., 1923.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.			
Hungerford, Tudor Willoughby .. ..	Crown Lands Ranger .. ..	Balclutha .. ..	28 Feb., 1923.
Maingay, Marcus Lawrence Tenison .. ..	Draughtsman .. ..	North Auckland Office, Auckland	12 Mar., "
Martin, Leonard James .. ..	Clerk .. ..	Auckland .. ..	31 " "
Nye, Victoria Winifred .. ..	Tracer .. ..	District Office, Wellington	31 " "
MARINE DEPARTMENT.			
Eaddy, Thomas St. Heliers .. ..	Assistant Inspector of Fisheries and Launch Assistant	Auckland .. ..	17 Mar., 1923.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.			
Brown, Patrick .. ..	Attendant .. ..	Hokitika .. ..	18 Feb., 1923.
Legal, Julien Henri .. ..	Gardener .. ..	Seacliff .. ..	28 " "
Sweeney, Margaret Reta .. ..	Nurse .. ..	Porirua .. ..	28 " "
Wallace, Irene .. ..	Deputy Charge Nurse .. ..	Seacliff .. ..	16 " "
Woolley, Geoffrey Gould .. ..	Attendant .. ..	Porirua .. ..	28 " "
MINES DEPARTMENT.			
Marris, James Arthur Sydney .. ..	Ledger-keeper .. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	31 Mar., 1923.
NATIVE DEPARTMENT.			
Bremner, Randolph Morrison .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Native Land Court, Rotorua	21 Feb., 1923.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.			
*Appleton, George .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Head Office, Wellington ..	9 Feb., 1923.
Bigwood, George Valentine .. ..	" .. ..	Gore .. ..	17 Mar., "
Watson, Madge Mary Betsy .. ..	Shorthand-typist .. ..	Hamilton .. ..	31 " "
STATE FIRE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT.			
Rawle, Frank Charles .. ..	Cadet .. ..	Auckland .. ..	28 Feb., 1923.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.			
Birch, Ernest Hampton .. ..	Carpenter .. ..	Rotorua .. ..	28 Feb., 1923.

\* Amending entry on page 744 of the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 24 of the 15th March, 1923.

## RETIREMENTS, ETC.

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.				
Watson, Thomas Fleming	Inspector of Stock ..	Pembroke ..	11 May, 1923	Services terminated.
CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.				
Walker, Frederick Joseph	Collector .. ..	Wanganui ..	31 Mar., 1923.	Retired on superannuation.



RETIREMENTS, ETC.—*continued.*

Name.	Position.	Place.	Date left Service.	Reason left Service.
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.				
Hall, Annie Elizabeth ..	Sole Teacher .. ..	Mataora Bay Native School	31 Mar., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
Hennessy, Eileen Mary ..	Assistant Teacher ..	Papamoa Native School	31 .. ..	Ditto.
Lee, Elizabeth Ellen ..	1st Assistant Teacher ..	Hiruharama Native School	31 .. ..	"
Lee John Bateman ..	Head Teacher .. ..	" .. ..	31 .. ..	"
Lloyd, Kate Bruce ..	" .. ..	Pawarenga Native School	31 .. ..	"
HEALTH DEPARTMENT.				
Maclean, Hester ..	Director .. ..	Division of Nursing, Wellington	9 Mar., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
JUSTICE DEPARTMENT.				
Stanaway, John ..	Clerk in Courts .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	12 Sept., 1922	Forfeited office under section 57 of P.S. Act, 1912.
LANDS AND SURVEY DEPARTMENT.				
Greenfield, Francis Edmund	Chief Draughtsman ..	Christchurch .. ..	31 Mar., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
Howard, Alfred Gould ..	Clerk .. ..	Auckland .. ..	31 .. ..	Retired medically unfit.
Mountfort, Charles Adnam	District Surveyor ..	Feilding .. ..	31 .. ..	Retired on superannuation.
MENTAL HOSPITALS DEPARTMENT.				
Sweeney, Marjorie ..	Nurse .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	28 Feb., 1923	Absent without leave.
PRINTING AND STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.				
Dodds, John ..	Machinist .. ..	Wellington .. ..	31 Mar., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
Flynn, Thomas Allen ..	Foreman Lithographer ..	" .. ..	31 .. ..	Ditto.
White, George ..	2nd Overseer .. ..	Binding Branch, Wellington	31 .. ..	"
PRISONS DEPARTMENT.				
Foreman, Henry ..	Chief Warder .. ..	H.M. Prison, Wellington	31 Mar., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
PUBLIC TRUST DEPARTMENT.				
Matheson, Norman McLeod	Clerk .. ..	Palmerston North ..	31 Mar., 1923	Services terminated.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.				
Edgar, Robert ..	Overseer .. ..	Te Kuiti .. ..	12 Mar., 1923	Deceased.
Greig, William ..	" .. ..	Gisborne .. ..	31 .. ..	Services terminated.
STAMP DUTIES DEPARTMENT.				
Withers, Percy Gideon ..	Deputy Commissioner of Stamp Duties ..	Head Office, Wellington	31 Mar., 1923	Retired on superannuation.
TOURIST AND HEALTH RESORTS DEPARTMENT.				
Rennell, Edith ..	Matron .. ..	Rotorua .. ..	31 Mar., 1923	Retired on superannuation.

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

I, ROY FELLOWES BAIRD, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The Gisborne Returned Soldiers' Association (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on its operations, the aforesaid association is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of April, 1923.

R. F. BAIRD,  
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

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

I, ROY FELLOWES BAIRD, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The Poverty Bay Caledonian Society (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on

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

Dated at Gisborne this 18th day of April, 1923.

R. F. BAIRD,  
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

*Election of Member of Wellington Land Board.*

I, THOMAS BROOK, Returning Officer for the election of a member of the Wellington Land Board, do hereby notify, in accordance with the provisions of section 41 of the Land Act, 1908, and the regulations made thereunder, that the only person nominated to fill the vacancy occurring on the said Board was Henry Thomas Ellingham, Esq., of Horoeka.

I do therefore hereby declare the said HENRY THOMAS ELLINGHAM to be duly elected a member of the Wellington Land Board for a term of two years from the 6th day of June, 1923.

Dated at Wellington this 23rd day of April, 1923.

THOS. BROOK, Returning Officer.

Government Meteorological Observatory.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations, Wellington, for the month of March, 1923. Observations taken 9 a.m.

Altitude of Observatory, 10 ft.

Date.	Barometer reduced and corrected in inches to lat. 45°.	From Self-registering Instruments, for Twenty-four Hours previously.					Solar Radiation.	Terrestrial Radiation.	Veloc. Wind, in Miles.	Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.	Direction of Wind.	Rainfall in Points (100 to 1 Inch).
		Max. Temp. in Shade.	Min. Temp. in Shade.	Mean Temp. in Shade.	Fah.	Fah.						
1	30-110	62.8	51.5	57.1	130.0	47.5	472	3	S.	..	..	
2	30-134	62.1	46.1	54.1	128.0	34.5	197	7	N.E.	..	..	
3	30-115	69.6	54.2	61.9	136.0	44.7	123	8	N.E.	Trace	..	
4	30-276	69.3	56.0	62.6	143.0	51.2	191	9	S.	..	..	
5	30-372	64.8	53.5	59.1	117.0	47.5	262	1	S.	..	..	
6	30-190	65.0	42.3	53.6	129.0	29.5	165	6	N.	1	..	
7	30-152	65.4	55.6	60.5	134.0	46.1	232	10	S.	..	..	
8	30-267	63.8	53.5	58.6	124.0	51.3	377	6	S.S.E.	..	..	
9	30-269	60.3	51.0	55.6	119.0	49.2	332	9	S.	..	..	
10	30-140	65.5	43.3	54.4	132.0	31.8	116	6	N.W.	20	..	
11	30-115	67.0	57.4	62.2	131.0	54.5	335	4	N.W.	..	..	
12	30-098	67.0	58.3	62.6	133.0	52.0	222	8	N.W.	..	..	
13	29-891	65.9	60.3	63.1	132.0	58.7	399	9	N.W.	..	..	
14	29-667	68.8	63.0	65.9	127.0	60.2	522	7	N.W.	112	..	
15	29-665	69.5	47.5	58.5	126.0	46.1	350	10	S.	Trace	..	
16	29-615	64.1	49.8	56.9	125.0	46.1	365	0	WSW	..	..	
17	29-409	65.1	56.6	60.8	123.0	53.5	460	6	N.W.	..	..	
18	29-589	66.1	54.7	60.4	124.0	47.9	371	0	WNW	..	..	
19	29-800	65.8	45.3	55.5	120.0	34.1	219	3	N.E.	..	..	
20	29-972	64.0	48.6	56.3	124.0	37.0	95	9	S.S.W.	..	..	
21	30-040	63.7	51.2	57.4	119.0	39.7	115	5	N.E.	..	..	
22	29-894	65.4	56.8	61.1	133.0	51.8	217	9	N.	23	..	
23	29-779	67.3	58.2	62.7	126.0	54.5	190	10	N.	7	..	
24	29-858	65.0	57.6	61.3	123.0	53.0	359	7	N.N.W.	..	..	
25	30-064	67.8	55.0	61.4	124.0	44.0	251	7	S.	..	..	
26	29-963	67.0	50.4	58.7	130.0	39.0	141	4	N.	12	..	
27	29-809	65.3	57.7	61.5	134.0	52.2	385	1	N.N.W.	..	..	
28	29-967	66.7	49.1	57.9	134.0	36.7	133	2	N.N.E.	..	..	
29	29-939	65.8	57.4	61.6	132.0	52.8	306	5	N.N.W.	..	..	
30	30-005	69.3	56.4	62.8	120.0	50.0	192	10	S.E.	5	..	
31	29-680	68.8	56.8	62.8	127.0	39.0	290	10	N.N.E.	20	..	
*	29-963	65.9	53.4	59.6	127.7	46.3	270.4	6.2	..	..	200	
†	30-029	66.9	54.2	60.5	117.4	47.5	242	5.3	..	..	323	

\* Means, &c. † Means previous years.

DIRECTION OF WIND.

N.	N.E.	E.	S.E.	S.	S.W.	W.	N.W.	Calm.
9	4	..	1	9	..	2	6	..

NOTE.—A cloudy month, with moderate to strong Northerly and Southerly winds prevailing. Precipitation was 62 per cent. below the mean of previous years. Total bright sunshine 174 hours 44 minutes, 45 per cent. of the possible, and one sunless day. Mean earth temperature at 1 ft. was 62.1°, and 62.5° at 3 ft. Frost occurred on two mornings. Mean dew-point, 49.5°; mean elastic force of vapour, 0.355 in.; mean relative humidity, 70 per cent. of saturation.

CLIMATOLOGICAL TABLE.

MEANS AND TOTALS FROM THE CHIEF STATIONS.

March, 1923.

Altitude above Sea-level.	Name of Station and Observer.	Absolute Mean Temp. Air in Shade.	Extremes.		Total Rainfall (100 Points to the Inch).	Days with Rain (½ Point or more).
			Mean Max. Temp.	Mean Min. Temp.		
Ft. 125	NORTH ISLAND. AUCKLAND ..	Deg. 62.3	Deg. 68.5	Deg. 56.1	Points. 176	Dys. 8
181	RUAKURA FARM, HAMILTON EAST W. B. Monro	59.2	71.4	47.0	253	9
46	TE AROHA .. W. O'Connell	60.9	69.5	52.4	266	5
340	WAIHI .. C. F. Sims.	60.7	71.2	50.2	205	10
100	TAURANGA .. C. J. Butcher	60.7	70.2	51.3	282	9
925	ROTORUA .. W. E. Penno	58.7	69.4	48.1	259	10
60	NEW PLYMOUTH .. G. H. Dolby	58.6	65.5	51.7	429	13
250	MOUMAHAKI .. J. G. McFarlane	58.4	69.1	47.6	181	7
2080	TAHAEPE .. A. R. Fannin	53.7	61.9	45.6	152	12
100	PALMERSTON NORTH .. J. A. Colquhoun	57.7	67.2	48.3	203	11
5	OROUA DOWNS .. H. D. Stride	57.8	66.4	49.2	252	10
119	CENTRAL DEVELOPMENT FARM, WERAROA J. E. Sharp	57.3	65.1	49.5	168	10
377	MASTERTON .. R. Brown	57.9	68.5	47.3	64	10
186	GREYTOWN .. W. Allan	57.8	67.8	47.8	222	6
10	WELLINGTON ..	59.6	65.9	53.4	200	8
	SOUTH ISLAND.					
87	BRIGHTWATER .. Ven. Archdeacon Kempthorne	57.5	65.9	49.1	355	10
34	NELSON .. Wm. C. Davies	57.9	66.4	49.5	324	9
1220	HANMER SPRINGS .. W. G. Morrison	53.8	65.4	42.2	351	8
25	CHRISTCHURCH .. H. F. Skey	56.2	64.7	47.6	41	6
42	LINCOLN .. M. J. Scott	56.1	67.0	45.2	45	10
1220	KIBSELTON .. F. Freeman	55.1	67.2	43.1	114	4
349	RAKAI .. Miss A. Hardy	57.5	67.7	47.3	62	4
130	TIMARU .. Caretaker of Domain	56.3	66.1	46.5	98	7
200	WAIMATE .. F. Akhurst	54.7	64.1	45.4	69	7
300	DUNEDIN .. D. Tennock	55.0	62.8	47.3	346	16
245	GORE .. A. T. Newman	..	..	..	..	..
12	HOKITIKA .. J. A. Chesney	54.5	61.9	47.1	919	22
12	INVERCARGILL .. L. Lennie	..	..	..	..	..

SUMMARY FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH, 1923.

The early part of March was anticyclonic in character, fair weather prevailing generally until the 13th. The remainder of the month, except for short fair-weather intervals, was unsettled under the influence of various depressions passing in the South. Of the latter the most notable, an intense and extensive one ruling between the 14th and 19th, was responsible for strong west to south-west winds and rain in many parts. On the 16th the barometer fell as low as 28.95 inches at the Bluff.

The total rainfall was above the average in the northern and southern portions of the South Island and also at scattered stations on the West Coast; elsewhere it was mostly below, the largest deficiencies occurring in the East Coast districts.

D. C. BATES, Director.

NEW ZEALAND RAINFALL FOR MARCH, 1923.

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

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>NORTH ISLAND.</b>		
(A.) NORTH-EAST ASPECT—NORTH CAPE TO EAST CAPE.		
Cape Maria van Diemen (the light-house-keeper)	..	..
Mangonui .. .. .	93	2
Kaero .. .. .	112	1
Kaikohe .. .. .	306	4
Russell .. .. .	268	4
Kawakawa .. .. .	262	4
Puhipuhi Plantation, Whakapara, Whangarei	302	5
Ruatangata .. .. .	220	11
Wairua Falls, Power-station	..	..
Hikurangi .. .. .	226	4
Kamo .. .. .	138	6
Whangarei .. .. .	173	8
Puwestia, Whangarei .. .. .	195	7
Paparoa .. .. .	..	..
Mangawai .. .. .	..	..
Leigh .. .. .	169	7
Warkworth .. .. .	154	10
Epsom, Auckland .. .. .	204	10
Kaukapakapa, Auckland .. .. .	228	12
Cuvier Island .. .. .	..	..
Rocky Bay, Waiheke .. .. .	165	7
Tairua .. .. .	308	5
Turua, Thames .. .. .	199	9
Matamata .. .. .	218	6
The Domain, Paeroa .. .. .	..	..
Belle Vue Farm, Mangaiti .. .. .	224	7
Karaka .. .. .	138	12
Morrinsville .. .. .	147	6
Springdale, Waitoa .. .. .	176	7
Kaimai, Tauranga .. .. .	417	10
Omanawa Falls, Tauranga .. .. .	313	13
Tirau .. .. .	212	7
Arapuni Dam, Puketurua .. .. .	167	4
Whakarewarewa, Rotorua .. .. .	270	10
Waioapu .. .. .	..	..
Taneatua .. .. .	413	6
Maraehako, Opotiki .. .. .	243	4
Waiawa, Opotiki .. .. .	..	..
Mautotara, Te Araroa .. .. .	453	7
Raukokore, Thames .. .. .	296	3
Pohueroro Station, Raukokore .. .. .	357	6
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT.		
Rangitahi .. .. .	..	..
Kaitahi .. .. .	474	4
Herekino .. .. .	272	4
Umawera, Hokianga .. .. .	362	10
Wekaweka .. .. .	444	10
Rangiahua, Hokianga Harbour .. .. .	353	12
Kohukohu .. .. .	322	7
Waimatenui .. .. .	..	..
Donnelly's Crossing, Oranora .. .. .	..	..
Keretoki Station, Waimatenui .. .. .	..	..
Terawhiti, Pakotai .. .. .	..	..
Dargaville .. .. .	221	11
Helensville .. .. .	162	9
Onehunga .. .. .	185	9
Waiuku, Auckland .. .. .	..	..
Onewhero .. .. .	316	11
Oparau .. .. .	438	21
Kawhia .. .. .	312	14
Turangaomoana, Matamata .. .. .	..	..
Taupo .. .. .	197	6
Waitomo Caves .. .. .	407	5
Cambridge .. .. .	207	9
Roto-o-Rangi School, Cambridge .. .. .	205	12
Te Kuiti .. .. .	268	10
Puketiti, Piopio .. .. .	589	15
Hamilton, Waikato .. .. .	238	14
State Farm, Waerenga .. .. .	..	..
Horahora Rapids, Churchill .. .. .	316	11
Ngaruawahia .. .. .	221	5
Waikeria Reformatory, Te Awamutu .. .. .	182	11
Waitere te Awamutu .. .. .	..	..
Kaitieke, Raurimu .. .. .	555	10
Mangaotaki (550ft.) .. .. .	..	..
Paekaka, Paemako .. .. .	451	11

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1923—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>NORTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
(B.) NORTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE MARIA VAN DIEMEN TO CAPE EGMONT—continued.		
“Te Matai,” Aria .. .. .	493	15
Ohura .. .. .	427	8
Mangatoai, Mokau River .. .. .	485	13
Uruti, Taranaki .. .. .	681	13
Okoke .. .. .	603	14
Purangi .. .. .	506	10
Riversdale, Inglewood (817 ft.) .. .. .	676	14
Inglewood .. .. .	683	12
Pilot Station, Waitara .. .. .	306	10
Upper Mangorei .. .. .	623	12
Waterworks, Mangorei .. .. .	538	14
(C.) SOUTH-WEST ASPECT—CAPE EGMONT TO CAPE PALLISER.		
Opunake .. .. .	531	13
Manaia .. .. .	238	9
Rawhitiroa, Mata, Eltham .. .. .	..	..
Stratford (1,020 ft.) .. .. .	665	10
Stratford Post-office .. .. .	..	..
Ohawe, Hawera .. .. .	260	11
Hawera .. .. .	342	13
Hawera Post-office .. .. .	300	11
Patea Borough Council Hydro., Kakaramea	350	10
Patea .. .. .	325	12
Mataimoana .. .. .	561	9
Whangamomona .. .. .	550	14
Mangapurua Landing, Wanganui River .. .. .	409	8
Tamurunui .. .. .	253	10
Okahukura .. .. .	344	12
Ohakune .. .. .	..	..
Raetihi .. .. .	373	9
Horopito .. .. .	410	13
Waiouru .. .. .	169	6
Marybank, Wanganui .. .. .	..	..
Belmont, Tayforth, Wanganui .. .. .	263	11
Waitahinga, Kai Iwi .. .. .	307	11
Wanganui .. .. .	249	7
Fordell .. .. .	293	6
Dalvey, Turakina .. .. .	247	12
Mangaohia Station, Taihape .. .. .	104	5
Hunterville .. .. .	288	13
Waituna West, Feilding .. .. .	235	12
Thoresby, Marton .. .. .	272	14
Waitatapia, Bull's .. .. .	..	..
Glen Oroua .. .. .	235	7
Foxton .. .. .	207	8
Feilding .. .. .	220	12
Komako .. .. .	226	9
Kairanga .. .. .	179	6
“Woodhey,” Palmerston North .. .. .	206	11
Arapeti, Mangaore .. .. .	..	..
Arapeti, Mangahao .. .. .	479	13
Mangahao, No. 1 .. .. .	445	11
Mangahao, No. 2 .. .. .	No reading.	..
Shannon .. .. .	..	..
Otaki .. .. .	320	15
Kapiti Island .. .. .	281	12
Reservoir, Brooklyn .. .. .	249	10
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER.		
East Cape .. .. .	421	7
Kahukura .. .. .	456	7
Waiorongomai Station, Tapawaeroa .. .. .	562	5
Pakihoroa .. .. .	442	4
Maungatarata Station, Tokomaru Bay .. .. .	175	7
Owhena, Tokomaru Bay .. .. .	..	..
Waihau, Tolaga Bay .. .. .	105	8
Kaharoa, Waimata Valley .. .. .	108	8
Marumoko, Motu .. .. .	618	10
Moanui, Motu .. .. .	..	..
Motuhora .. .. .	..	..
Koranga Valley .. .. .	424	9
Eastwood Hill, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Otoko .. .. .	231	7
Whatatutu .. .. .	67	2
Te Karaka .. .. .	128	7
Puha, Poverty Bay .. .. .	125	5
Glenroy Station, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Waihuka, Gisborne .. .. .	125	7
Ormond .. .. .	..	..
Patutahi, Gisborne .. .. .	..	..
Whakapunake .. .. .	225	10

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1923—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>NORTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
(D.) SOUTH-EAST ASPECT—EAST CAPE TO CAPE PALLISER—continued.		
Strathblane, Hangaroa .. .. .	..	..
Tahora, Gisborne .. .. .	350	10
Gisborne .. .. .	110	5
Puninga Station, Whararata .. .. .	226	9
Moreere .. .. .	..	..
"Pihanga," Ruakituri Valley, Napier .. .. .	261	7
Mangaone Valley, Tangitere .. .. .	342	12
Portland Island .. .. .	190	5
Waikaremoana .. .. .	..	..
Maungaharuru, Wairoa .. .. .	139	8
Tarawera .. .. .	263	12
Te Waka, Te Pohue .. .. .	140	7
Tutira Lake .. .. .	130	8
Eskdale, Hedgely .. .. .	89	6
Riverbank, Rissington, Napier .. .. .	69	4
Park Island .. .. .	..	..
Napier .. .. .	..	..
Wahine, Sherenden, Hastings .. .. .	..	..
Mokopeka, Hastings .. .. .	135	8
Frimley, Hastings .. .. .	68	7
"Te Houka Hill," Hastings .. .. .	56	2
Whanawhana, Hastings .. .. .	61	8
Maraekakaho, Hastings .. .. .	59	5
Te Mata, Havelock North .. .. .	126	7
"Matane," Havelock North .. .. .	93	6
Te Roto, Poukawa .. .. .	96	6
Pukehou, Te Aute .. .. .	77	5
Gwavas, Tikokino .. .. .	76	5
Blackburn, Hawke's Bay .. .. .	64	4
Aramoana, Waipawa .. .. .	110	6
Rangitapu, Waipawa .. .. .	169	7
Mount Vernon, Waipawa .. .. .	89	10
Waimarama, Hawke's Bay .. .. .	164	7
Waipukurau .. .. .	78	4
Motuotaraia, Wanstead .. .. .	81	6
Oruawharo, Takapau .. .. .	66	5
Ormondville .. .. .	97	13
Woodbank, Wimbledon .. .. .	66	7
Pine Grove, Dannevirke .. .. .	116	8
Mangatainoka .. .. .	244	14
Eastry, Tane, Eketahuna .. .. .	..	..
Tawataia, Eketahuna .. .. .	182	9
Putara .. .. .	527	10
Eketahuna .. .. .	268	12
Castlepoint .. .. .	65	5
Annedale, Tinui .. .. .	138	5
Whareama, Masterton .. .. .	112	6
Ditton, Masterton .. .. .	117	7
Bush Grove, Masterton .. .. .	121	8
Marangai .. .. .	115	10
Eringa, Masterton .. .. .	117	12
"Tyneside," Masterton .. .. .	..	..
Waihakeke, Carterton .. .. .	116	8
Glenburn, Martinborough .. .. .	113	7
Martinborough .. .. .	101	5
Featherston .. .. .	292	8
Summit .. .. .	914	16
Waiwetū .. .. .	215	8
Wainuiomata Reservoir .. .. .	324	15
Lower Hutt .. .. .	235	8
Karori Reservoir .. .. .	267	11
Seatoun .. .. .	181	8

SOUTH ISLAND.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA.		
Collingwood .. .. .	683	13
Bainham .. .. .	1070	10
Onakaka .. .. .	594	11
Takaka .. .. .	475	7
"Harakeke," Central Moutere .. .. .	324	11
Motuoka .. .. .	418	11
Upper Moutere .. .. .	433	9
Mapua, Nelson .. .. .	268	9
Stanley Brook, Nelson .. .. .	628	12
Upper Sherry River .. .. .	678	12
Twynham Station Creek, Glenhope .. .. .	831	17
Gowan, via Glenhope .. .. .	1243	15
Tophouse .. .. .	804	12
Port Hardy, French Pass .. .. .	157	5
Stephen Island .. .. .	82	5
The Brothers .. .. .	..	..

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1923—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>SOUTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
(E.) NORTH ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO KAIKOURA—continued.		
Cape Campbell .. .. .	158	4
Pictou .. .. .	442	9
Endeavour Inlet .. .. .	510	8
Manaroa, Pelorus Sound .. .. .	399	8
Yncyca, Pelorus Sound .. .. .	637	8
Waitata Bay, Pelorus Sound .. .. .	437	6
Opouri Valley, Flat Creek .. .. .	859	10
Hartley Hills, Hillersden .. .. .	521	7
Seddon .. .. .	260	7
Ward .. .. .	345	5
"Sevenoaks," Renwicktown .. .. .	395	5
Spring Creek, Blenheim .. .. .	331	6
Erina, Blenheim .. .. .	505	7
Avondale Station, Blenheim .. .. .	356	5
Marshlands, Blenheim .. .. .	255	6
Hapuku .. .. .	482	8
Ellerton, Kekerangu .. .. .	331	6
(F.) WEST ASPECT—CAPE FAREWELL TO PUYSEGUR POINT		
Farewell Spit .. .. .	289	12
Karamea, Westport .. .. .	839	15
Ariki .. .. .	1227	13
Westport .. .. .	882	16
Reefton (643 ft.) .. .. .	838	15
Greymouth .. .. .	718	18
Otira (1,255 ft.) .. .. .	2937	20
Lake Kanieri .. .. .	1082	21
Ross, Westland .. .. .	1191	17
Okuru .. .. .	..	..
Puysegur Point .. .. .	..	..
(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS.		
Culverden .. .. .	121	4
Riverside Farm, Amuri .. .. .	124	4
Highfield, Amuri .. .. .	159	5
Weka Pass, Canterbury .. .. .	171	3
Keinton Combe, Waiau, Amuri .. .. .	219	6
Waiau .. .. .	147	4
"Emscote," Stag and Spey .. .. .	276	7
"Glenallen," Waikari .. .. .	157	7
Gore Bay, Cheviot .. .. .	75	5
Waipara .. .. .	125	4
Oxford .. .. .	133	5
Amberley .. .. .	81	4
Alford Forest .. .. .	240	4
Mount Somers .. .. .	407	10
Arthur's Pass .. .. .	..	..
Mt. White Station, Cass .. .. .	159	11
Craigieburn .. .. .	175	13
Flock Hill .. .. .	284	11
Rhodes Convalescent Home, Cashmere Hills .. .. .	32	3
Islington .. .. .	88	4
Governor's Bay .. .. .	51	5
Otahuna, Tai Tapu .. .. .	71	5
Little River .. .. .	63	4
Puaha .. .. .	65	5
Magnet Bay, Little River .. .. .	20	2
Pigeon Bay .. .. .	45	4
Coalgate .. .. .	142	4
Hororata .. .. .	126	5
Darfield .. .. .	38	1
Akaroa .. .. .	40	2
Southbridge .. .. .	47	5
Mount Torlesse, Springfield .. .. .	173	7
Methven .. .. .	389	7
Rudstone, Methven .. .. .	685	10
Lake Coleridge Homestead .. .. .	177	2
Double Hill .. .. .	397	6
Winchmore, Ashburton .. .. .	228	6
Ashburton .. .. .	..	..
Roxburgh, Springburn .. .. .	417	7
Staveley .. .. .	..	..
Evandale, Mount Somers .. .. .	333	6
Lynnford, Hinds .. .. .	97	5
Peel Forest .. .. .	368	8
Kapunatiki, Rangitata .. .. .	61	4
Cefn Orchard, Geraldine .. .. .	235	6
Waitui, Geraldine .. .. .	262	6
Orari Gorge .. .. .	345	11
Orari Estate, Orari .. .. .	224	8

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1923—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>SOUTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
<b>(G.) EAST ASPECT—KAIKOURA TO CAPE SAUNDERS—continued.</b>		
Balmoral Plantation .. ..	78	4
Braemar .. ..	273	5
Bedyshurst, Fairlie .. ..	300	6
Horwell Downs, Fairlie .. ..	334	12
Lambrook, Fairlie .. ..	208	5
Mona Vale, Albury .. ..	..	..
Godley Peaks, Te Kapo, Mackenzie Country .. ..	..	..
Waratah, Albury .. ..	169	3
Kakahu Bush, Geraldine .. ..	235	7
"Te Wharua," Cave .. ..	230	7
Pleasant Point .. ..	178	6
Te Pah Farm, Seadown .. ..	87	7
Smithfield .. ..	81	5
Timaru Reservoir .. ..	120	5
Benmore Station, Omarama .. ..	168	7
Otiake .. ..	55	5
Totara .. ..	188	10
Duntroon .. ..	184	7
Pukeuri, Oamaru .. ..	151	12
Oamaru .. ..	87	7
Steward Settlement, Oamaru .. ..	24	3
Te Awa, Hillgrove .. ..	172	12
Kauroo Hill, Maheno .. ..	214	10
Bushey Park, Palmerston South .. ..	186	10
Roslyn .. ..	..	..
Burnside, Dunedin .. ..	367	16
Fish-hatchery, Portobello .. ..	290	10
Whare Flat .. ..	..	..
Mosgiel .. ..	..	..
Sawyer's Bay .. ..	..	..
<b>(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT.</b>		
Paerau .. ..	353	9
Great Moss Swamp, via Patearoa .. ..	127	10
Naseby Plantation .. ..	176	9
Waipiata .. ..	131	6
Naseby .. ..	221	6
Robertislea, Middlemarch .. ..	512	12
Cloudy Peak, Lindis Valley .. ..	..	..
Mount Pisa Station, Cromwell .. ..	180	2
Hawea Flat .. ..	200	7
Maungawera, Otago .. ..	208	3
Luggate, Cromwell .. ..	201	8
Manorburn Dam .. ..	153	12
Frankton .. ..	204	10
Queenstown .. ..	254	10
Moa Creek .. ..	77	11
St. Bathans .. ..	165	9
Blackstone Hill .. ..	158	5
Clyde .. ..	..	..
Alexandra .. ..	87	9
Galloway .. ..	70	7
Earnsclough .. ..	107	8

New Zealand Rainfall for March, 1923—continued.

Station.	Total Fall, Points (100 to Inch).	Days with Rain.
<b>SOUTH ISLAND—continued.</b>		
<b>(H.) SOUTH ASPECT—CAPE SAUNDERS TO PUYSEGUR POINT—continued.</b>		
Roxburgh .. ..	112	6
Balclutha .. ..	302	14
Garston .. ..	..	..
Glenfalloch Station, Nokomai .. ..	..	..
Wendon .. ..	374	13
Lawrence .. ..	255	12
Owaka .. ..	..	..
Tapanui Nursery .. ..	425	21
Edievale .. ..	..	..
Waikawa Valley .. ..	723	19
Tahakopa, Wharuarimu .. ..	796	21
Mimihaui, Wyndham .. ..	733	23
Uplands, Waimahaka .. ..	808	20
Roslin Estate, Woodlands .. ..	624	18
Dipton .. ..	..	..
Radio-Awarua .. ..	698	19
Nightcaps .. ..	489	17
Otautau .. ..	691	19
Manapouri .. ..	500	14
Monowai (Sunnyside) .. ..	660	14
<b>(I.) ISLANDS.</b>		
Centre Island .. ..	552	19
Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island .. ..	675	19
Niue Island .. ..	..	..
Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands .. ..	..	..
Aitutaki Island, Cook Islands .. ..	..	..
Mangaia, Cook Islands .. ..	..	..
Chatham Islands .. ..	..	..
Vava'u .. ..	..	..
<b>LATE RETURNS.</b>		
Pohueroro, February, 1923 .. ..	543	5
Pakihiroa, January, 1923 .. ..	1,522	13
" February, 1923 .. ..	285	1
Twynham Station, December, 1922 .. ..	586	17
Hartley Hills, January, 1923 .. ..	811	18
" February, 1923 .. ..	150	8
Waratah, Albury, February, 1923 .. ..	156	11
Double Hill, December, 1922 .. ..	428	5
Earnsclough, February, 1923 .. ..	76	8
Mount Pisa, January, 1923 .. ..	290	10
" February, 1923 .. ..	65	3
Ditton, January, 1923 .. ..	803	22
" February, 1923 .. ..	428	11
Bainham, January, 1923 .. ..	1,275	12
" February, 1923 .. ..	470	7
Lake Coleridge, January, 1923 .. ..	395	19
" February, 1923 .. ..	211	10
Paeroa, December, 1922 .. ..	623	14
" January, 1923 .. ..	629	16
" February, 1923 .. ..	228	9

Election of Member of Otago Land Board.—Result of Poll.

I, ROBERT THOMAS SADD, Returning Officer for the election of a member to the Otago Land Board, do hereby notify, in accordance with section 41 of the Land Act, 1908, and the regulations thereunder, the result of the poll taken by me on the 18th day of April, 1923, for the election of a member of the Otago Land Board, to be as follows:—

	Valid Votes recorded.
Livingstone, George .. ..	995
Atkinson, Ernest Edward .. ..	611
Total .. ..	1,606
Rejected as informal .. ..	148

And I hereby declare that GEORGE LIVINGSTONE, having received the greatest number of valid votes, is duly elected a member of the Otago Land Board.

Dated at Dunedin this 19th day of April, 1923.

ROBT. T. SADD, Returning Officer.

Notice to Mariners.—No. 21 of 1923.

AUCKLAND HARBOUR.—DREDGE AT WORK.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 24th April, 1923.

THE Auckland Harbour Board notify that the dredger "Hapai" is now moored at a position six hundred feet (approximately) north-west of the north-western corner of Prince's Wharf.

The dredger, which is moored cardinally, is intended to work in an easterly and south-easterly direction.

Between sunset and sunrise the dredger will exhibit regulation anchor lights, and in addition will exhibit from amidships on the channel side one all-round red light.

Mariners are cautioned to avoid the dredger and its moorings 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 page facing page 210.

A. D. PARK, Secretary.

## Notice to Mariners.—No. 22 of 1923.

## BAY OF ISLANDS.—OPUA WHARF.—EXTENSION IN PROGRESS.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 24th April, 1923.

THE Bay of Islands Harbour Board notify that widening operations at the Opuia Railway Wharf are in progress, and the eastern berth of the wharf will be closed to shipping until further notice.

During progress of the widening operations any vessels using the eastern berth will do so at their own risk.

Between the hours of sunset and sunrise the closed portion of the wharf will be defined by three fixed white lights, horizontally disposed, six feet apart, outside of which floating pile-driving gear will be moored, which latter will be defined by riding lights.

Vessels are warned that mooring and anchor lines are laid out in several directions, and care should be exercised when navigating in the vicinity of the widening operations.

*Publications affected.*—Admiralty Chart 2525, and plan 1090; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, page 152.

A. D. PARK, Secretary.

## Notice to Mariners.—No. 23 of 1923.

## COOK STRAIT.—ENTRANCE TO PORT NICHOLSON.—OCCASIONAL LIGHTS FOR FISHERMEN.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 24th April, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that two occasional green electric lights, five feet apart vertically and seventy feet apart horizontally, have been placed on the western shore of Island Bay situated two and a half miles to the westward of the entrance to Port Nicholson, for the use of fishermen employed in this locality.

These lights, which are of low power and which will not be lighted on moonlight nights, may, when in use, be visible seaward through the small channel between the island and the westward foreshore of Island Bay.

Mariners are warned that these lights are placed solely for the use of fishermen, and are not intended to be used for general purposes of navigation.

A. D. PARK, Secretary.

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

Warden's Court,  
Collingwood, 5th April, 1923.

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

C. JOSS, Mining Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

No. of Privilege.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Registered Holder.
20/01	28/2/01	Water-race	William Nicholas.
31/01	15/5/01	"	Harold S. Lash.
52/01	14/8/01	"	Francis George Mace.
16/02	11/6/02	"	James Day.
35/02	13/9/02	"	Peter McKay.
43/02	10/12/02	"	John Edward Barham.
20/03	18/3/03	"	Hugh Cottier.
25/03	13/5/03	"	Ernest J. Salisbury.
41/03	16/8/03	"	Richard McKay.
45/03	14/10/03	"	George Anderson.
2/04	10/2/04	"	R. A. G. Filluel.
30/04	8/12/04	"	Benjamin Millen.
23/05	15/8/05	"	Joseph Benson.
24/05	15/8/05	"	"
16/10	19/10/10	"	Benjamin Millen.
1/11	25/1/11	"	"
6/11	25/1/11	"	"
4/07	4/2/07	"	H. F. Logan.
25/07	19/11/07	"	Benjamin Kemp.
16/13	22/9/13	"	Kenneth Atkinson.
2/14	19/2/14	"	"
1/15	17/2/15	"	Thomas Croucher.
2/15	17/2/15	"	"
31/04	8/12/04	"	Benjamin Millen.
73/00	14/9/00	"	William Baird and John Patrick Harper.
3/01	5/1/01	"	A. Chee Kain.
19/03	18/3/03	Sawmill license	The Seaford Coal Company, in Liquidation.

## CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

## Pastoral Run in the Marlborough Land District liable for Forfeiture.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Blenheim, 23rd April, 1923.

PURSUANT to section 251 of the Land Act, 1908, notice is hereby given to the occupier of the undermentioned pastoral run that the pastoral license thereof is liable to forfeiture, and that if the rent overdue thereon, together with the full amount of the penalty, be not paid within three months after the date of the insertion of this notice in the Gazette the license will be declared forfeited.

## SCHEDULE.

## MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

LICENSE No. 225; Pastoral Run 128, (Snowflake) Mount Fyffe Survey District; area, 9,530 acres; Roderick Alexander Kennedy, licensee.

JOHN COOK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## Land in Nelson Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Nelson, 23rd April, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned reserve will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 29th May, 1923, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

## SCHEDULE.

## NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 4, Block II, Rotorua Survey District: Area, 185 acres; upset rental, £10 per annum.

## LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION OF RESERVE.

The reserve is situated close to the northern shore of Lake Rotorua, about fourteen miles from Glenhope Railway-station, eight miles by main road, and six miles by Gowan Valley Road. Consists of undulating land, partly open, and partly bushclad with inferior birch bush and the usual undergrowth.

## ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, twenty-one years from 1st July, 1923, without right of renewal.
2. A half-year's rent at the rate offered and the lease fee (£1 ls.) is to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
3. The rent is to be paid half-yearly in advance on the 1st July and 1st January in each year, free from all deductions whatsoever.
4. The lessee will have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease except with the prior consent in writing of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
5. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbrier, or other noxious weeds or plants on the land comprised in the lease, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, sweetbrier, broom, or other noxious weeds or plants as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
6. The lessee shall within one year from the date of the lease erect on the land an accommodation-house of at least twenty rooms with necessary outbuildings, at a cost of not less than £3,000, and maintain them in good order and condition during the term of the lease. The plans and specifications and the site of the buildings are to be approved by the Commissioner of Crown Lands before building operations are commenced.
7. The lessee shall pay all rates, taxes, and other assessments that may become due or payable.
8. After the expiration of six years from the date of the lease the lessee shall have the right to purchase the freehold of the land comprised therein for the sum of £250, provided that he has fulfilled the conditions of the lease to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
9. Should the lessee not exercise the right of purchase before the termination of the lease, the improvements effected by him will become the property of the Crown without entitling the lessee to any compensation therefor.
10. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee shall fail to fulfil any of the conditions of the lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

H. D. McKELLAR,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Education Reserves in North Auckland Land District for Lease by Tender.*

North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 23rd April, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the leases of the undermentioned education reserves for terms of twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further similar terms, will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 29th May, 1923, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, and amendments.

Envelopes should be marked on the outside "Tender for Lease of Education Reserves."

## SCHEDULE.

## NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDUCATION RESERVES.

*Otamatea County.—Parish of Omaru.*

SECTION 30: Area, 109 acres 1 rood 33 perches; minimum annual rental, £11.

Weighted with £22, valuation for improvements comprising sixty-five chains poor fencing.

The elevation ranges from 200 ft. to 400 ft. above sea-level. The section comprises level to easy undulating land in manuka and tea-tree scrub. The soil is good on the flats, balance pipeclay and clay resting on clay formation. The forest is light, comprising one small dry and two small green kauri-trees, two kahikatea, a few small green puriri-trees, and about 18 acres manuka bush. The section is fairly well watered by spring and good creek. Situated on the main Raupo-Parahi Road. Access is from Ruawai, which is about seven miles distant by cart-road metalled to within one mile.

Section 31: Area, 70 acres; minimum annual rental, £3 10s.

Weighted with £12 10s., valuation for improvements consisting of fencing.

The elevation ranges from 200 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. The section comprises all poor gum-land, mostly undulating, small area broken land, about 5 acres manuka, balance tea-tree scrub. There are a few small kahikatea-trees on section. The soil is of poor clay, resting on clay formation. The section is well watered by swampy spring. Situated on the old Tokatoka Road. The access is from Matakahe, which is about eleven miles and a half distant—by cart-road ten miles, thence by surveyed road not formed one mile and a half, accessible for horse traffic.

*Rodney County.—Komokoriki Parish.*

Section 91: Area, 66 acres; minimum annual rental, £8 10s.

Weighted with £236 5s., valuation for improvements comprising felling £60, grassing £120, and fencing £56 5s.

The elevation ranges from 150 ft. to 500 ft. above sea-level. The section comprises half level to undulating land, balance steep to broken. About half ploughable. Approximately 4 acres manuka and light bush, balance in grass. The soil is of clay of fair quality resting on clay and sandstone formation. Well watered by running streams. Situated on the west slope of the range between the railway and the West Coast, and is about half a mile off the Ahuroa-Glorit Road. The access is from Ahuroa Railway-station, which is about five miles distant, four miles and a half of which is formed cart-road, balance unformed. About one mile and a half of the road is metalled.

*Whangarei County.—Tauraroa Parish.*

Section 99: Area, 72 acres; minimum annual rental, £7 5s.

Weighted with £100, valuation for improvements comprising felling and grassing £90, fencing £10.

The elevation ranges from about 400 ft. to 600 ft. above sea-level. The section comprises hilly to broken land; about half the section has been cleared and grassed, balance in heavy bush. The soil is of good strong clay resting on sandstone formation. The forest is fairly heavy, comprising rata, tawa, nikau, pungas, taraire, and about twenty-five green rimu and kahikatea trees, with a light undergrowth of kiekie, &c. Poorly watered by creek, which dries up in a dry summer. Situated on the Waikiekie-Omana Road. The access is from Waioitira Railway-station, which is about three miles distant by good cart-road not metalled.

*Rodney County.—Oruawharo Parish.*

Section 36: Area, 116 acres; minimum annual rental, £8 15s.

Weighted with £180, valuation for improvements comprising fencing, grassing, and felling.

The elevation ranges from 200 ft. to 450 ft. above sea-level. The section comprises steep broken country, 40 acres in grass, 15 acres rough feed, balance in scrub and fern.

Approximately 20 acres ploughable. The soil is of clay, resting on clay formation. The section has no permanent water. Situated on the Te Hana-Mangawai Road. Access is from Te Hana Railway-station, which is about six miles distant by a formed cart-road, about four miles of which is metalled.

## ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Six months' rent at the rate offered, valuation for improvements, and £2 2s. lease fee and cost of registration must be deposited with tender.

2. Terms of lease, twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for further similar terms at rentals based on fresh valuations under the provisions of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

3. Rent payable half-yearly in advance.

4. Lessee to maintain in good substantial repair all buildings, drains, and fences, to keep clear all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses; to trim all live hedges; and yield up all improvements in good order and condition at the expiration of his lease.

5. Lessee not to transfer, sublet, or subdivide without the consent of the Land Board.

6. Lessee to keep the land free from noxious weeds, rabbits, and vermin.

7. Lessee not to use or remove any gravel without the consent of the Land Board.

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

9. Lessee not to make improvements without the consent of the Land Board.

10. Lessee not entitled to any compensation for improvements; but if the lease is not renewed upon expiration, the new lease offered for disposal by public competition will be subject to payment by the incoming tenant of valuation for buildings and improvements effected by the original lessee with the consent of the Board; failing disposal, the land and buildings to revert to the Crown without compensation.

11. Lease liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

12. Lessee to keep buildings insured.

13. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent in arrear.

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

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

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

R. P. GREVILLE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Southland Land District open for Selection on Renewable Lease.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 23rd April, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease under the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, the Land Act, 1908, and amendments; and applications will be received at this office up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 19th June, 1923.

Applicants should appear personally before the Land Board for examination at this office at 10 o'clock a.m. on Thursday, 21st June, 1923.

The ballot will be held on Thursday, the 21st June, 1923, at the conclusion of examination of applicants.

Preference at the ballot will be given to landless applicants who have one or more children dependent on them; to landless applicants who within two years immediately preceding date of ballot have applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully; to applicants who have served beyond New Zealand as members of the Expeditionary Force; and to persons engaged on military service beyond New Zealand in connection with the late war, if such persons immediately prior to the war were *bona fide* residents of New Zealand.

## SCHEDULE.

## SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

*Southland County.—Tuturau Survey District.—Knowsley Park Settlement.*

SECTION 11, Block VII: Area, 912 acres 0 roods 5 perches; capital value, £2,990; half-yearly rent, £67 5s. 6d.



Situated about seven miles from Mataura by formed road, unmetalled for last three miles. Undulating land lying well to the sun. Fair pastoral country.

The improvements included in the capital value consist of 288 chains of boundary fencing, valued at £59 13s.

#### ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, thirty-three years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years and a right to acquire the freehold.

2. Rent,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable in advance on 1st January and 1st July in each year.

3. Applicants to be twenty-one years of age and upwards.

4. Applicants to furnish with applications statutory declaration, and, on being declared successful, deposit £1 ls. (lease fee) and a half-year's rent. Rent for the broken period between date of lease and 1st January or 1st July following is also payable.

5. Applications made on the same day are deemed to be simultaneous.

6. Preference at the ballot will be given to landless applicants who have one or more children dependent on them; to landless applicants who within two years immediately preceding date of ballot have applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully; to applicants who have served beyond New Zealand as members of the Expeditionary Force; and to persons engaged on military service beyond New Zealand in connection with the late war, if such persons immediately prior to the war were *bona fide* residents in New Zealand.

7. No person may hold more than one allotment.

8. Successful applicants to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.

9. Lessee to reside continuously on the land, and pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.

10. Improvements. — Lessee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the price; within two years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land, 10s. for every acre of second-class land, and 2s. 6d. for every acre of third-class land.

11. Transfer not allowed until expiration of fifth year of lease, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.

12. Roads may be taken through the lands at any time within seven years; twice the original value to be allowed for area taken for such roads.

13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

R. S. GALBRAITH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

#### Settlement Lands in North Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 23rd April, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash or on deferred payments, at the North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, on Tuesday, the 12th June, 1923, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

#### SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.  
*Eden County.—Prescott Settlement.*

Section.	Area.	Upset Price.	Section.	Area.	Upset Price.
	A. R. P.	£		A. R. P.	£
168	0 0 27-73	150	189	0 0 27-21	150
169	0 0 37-31	235	190	0 0 26-86	150
170	0 0 38-35	235	191	0 0 26-50	150
171	0 0 27-82	150	192	0 0 26-15	150
173	0 0 26-21	140	193	0 0 25-80	150
174	0 0 26-21	140	194	0 0 25-43	150
175	0 0 26-21	140	195	0 0 25-08	150
176	0 0 26-13	130	196	0 0 18-72	155
188	0 0 29-04	130	197	0 0 28-73	210

These sections front the main road opposite Penrose Railway-station. All sections are covered with volcanic rock and lava, and would make excellent building-sites when levelled.

Plans and full particulars may be obtained at this office.

R. P. GREVILLE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

#### BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DOUGLAS LEES, of 52 Valley Road, Mount Eden, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 7th day of May, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

17th April, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN ALDERS KEAN, trading as "J. A. Kean and Co.," of 221 Great North Road, Motor Engineer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 2nd day of May, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

18th April, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that R. FEWELL, care of Farmers' Trading Company (Saddlery Department), Hobson Street, Auckland, Salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 9th day of May, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

20th April, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT THEODORE MERRYFULL, of Henry Street, Avondale, Auckland, Grocer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 4th day of May, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

21st April, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE GRAHAM, of Hinuera, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1923, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

14th April, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN BOYD, of Pukemiro, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Rotorua, on Friday, the 27th day of April, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

17th April, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR WADDY COSS-LETT, of Hinuera, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

17th April, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all accepted proved claims; promissory notes (if any) to be produced for endorsement prior to receiving dividends:—

Hart and Pickett, of Gisborne, Furniture Dealers:  
First dividend of 3s. in the pound.

Harper, Charles Frederick, of Gisborne, Mariner:  
First and final dividend of 1s. 1½d. in the pound.

18th April, 1923

C. BLACKBURN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER ERNEST O'NEILL, of Eltham, Car-painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

17th April, 1923.

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

*In Bankruptcy.*

Estate of OLIVER CROSS, of Opunake, Farmer.

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

20th April, 1923.

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

*In Bankruptcy.*

Estate of GEORGE LEWIS REES, of Hastings, Motor Trimmer, bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 8½d. in the pound is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, Dickens Street, Napier.

19th April, 1923.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends are now payable in the undermentioned estates on all proved claims; promissory notes (if any) are to be produced for endorsement prior to the receiving of dividends:—

First and final dividends as follows,—

McRae, William John, of Rangiora, Mercer and Tailor:  
2s. 9d. in the pound.

Shaw, William George, of Bankside, Farmer: 1s. 1½d. in the pound.

Scott, Mary, of Christchurch, Boardinghouse-keeper:  
2s. 4d. in the pound.

First dividend as follows,—

Daniell, John Spencer, of Christchurch, Medical Practitioner: 2s. in the pound.

A. W. WATTERS, Official Assignee.  
Christchurch, 19th April, 1923.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOSEPH HILL and JOHN PERRY, carrying on business in partnership as "Hill and Perry," of Milton, Miners, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Milton, on Monday, the 30th day of April, 1923, at 2 o'clock p.m.

19th April, 1923.

W. W. SAMSON,  
Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 63, folio 96, for part Section 4, Block 2, of the Waoku Survey District, in favour of GEORGE WHITEFIELD, of Hokianga, Farmer, having been lodged with me, together with an application for a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title accordingly on the expiration of fourteen days from the 26th April, 1923.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1923, at the Land Registry Office at 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 on or before 28th May, 1923.

6990. ERNEST HERBERT WILMOT.—Allotment 33, Section 16, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 6 acres 0 roods 38 perches, fronting Portland Road, Remuera. Occupied by Flora Susannah Russell and the applicant.

7007. WINSTONE (LIMITED).—Part Mataitai No. 3 Block, containing 304 acres 2 roods, situated in Block V, Wairoa Survey District, near Clevedon. Unoccupied. Plan 16450.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of April, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 54, folio 31, for 1 rood 4.11 perches, being Lots 1 and 2 on deposited plan 1946, part of Kaiti 228 Block, situated in the Borough of Gisborne, whereof WILLIAM HENRY SMITH, of Makauri, Wool-scourer, is the registered proprietor, and of the loss of the outstanding duplicate of Mortgage 17215 affecting the said land, whereof JAMES BLAIR is the registered mortgagee, notice is hereby given that at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice a provisional certificate of title for the said land will be issued and a partial discharge of the said mortgage will be registered, without production of the outstanding duplicate of the said mortgage.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Gisborne the 17th day of April, 1923.

R. F. BAIRD, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, in the name of LOUISA ELIZABETH COMPTON, of Wellington, Spinster, for 3 roods, more or less, being Lots 75, 76, and 77 on deposited plan No. 17, part of Section 4, Evans Bay District, and all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 8, folio 59, and evidence having been lodged of the loss or destruction of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title, as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 24th day of April, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

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

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

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

The Wellington Boot Company (Limited). 1916/34.

Dated at Wellington this 19th day of April, 1923.

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266, subsection (3), of the above Act, that the undermentioned companies will, at the expiration of three months

from the date hereof, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies will be dissolved:—

1921/26. H. Simons and Co. (Limited).  
1921/23. A. M. Byrne (Limited).  
1899/43. Denton Hat Mills (Limited).

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Dunedin this 17th day of April, 1923.

L. G. TUCK,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN EDMONDSON AND CO. PROPRIETARY (LIMITED), a company incorporated in Victoria, proposes to carry on business throughout New Zealand, and that the office or place of business of the company is situated in New Zealand Express Company Central Sample Rooms, No. 6 Courthouse Lane, Auckland.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1923.

431 T. O. TYZACK, Attorney for Company.

In the matter of Part IX of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of DUNLOP RUBBER COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED), an incorporated company having its registered office at No. 108 Flinders Street, Melbourne, Victoria, in the Commonwealth of Australia.

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business of Dunlop Rubber Company of Australasia (Limited) in the City of Wellington has been changed from Number 95 Courtenay Place in the said city to the new premises of the said company Numbers 65 and 67 Taranaki Street in the said city.

Dated this 13th day of April, 1923.

DUNLOP RUBBER COMPANY OF  
AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED).

By its Attorney, J. B. BRINDEN.

Witness—H. Jowett, Solicitor, Wellington. 438

#### WAITARA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

ELECTRIC CURRENT LOAN, £5,000, 1923.—RESOLUTION  
MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and their respective amendments, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Waitara Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorized to be raised by the Waitara Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of effecting the necessary reorganization of the electric plant and reticulation of the Borough of Waitara to receive electric current in bulk from the Borough of New Plymouth, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of eleven twenty-fifths of a penny (11/25d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on a basis of capital value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Waitara, comprising the whole of the said borough; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of April in each year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty (20) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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R. MORGAN, Mayor.

#### RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Oamaru Jockey Club at a meeting held on the 27th day of March, 1923, at Oamaru, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. William Gardiner, 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. William Gardiner, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. Charles Augustus La Roche 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:—

#### OAMARU JOCKEY CLUB.

##### REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Oamaru Jockey Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulation dated the 12th day of February, 1919, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the Oamaru Racecourse Reserve situated in the district of Oamaru, and known as the Oamaru Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

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

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

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

- (a.) Bookmakers.
- (b.) Bookmakers' clerks, bookmakers' assistants, and bookmakers' agents.
- (c.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing or trotting club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Association.
- (d.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or persons who have no lawful visible means of support.
- (e.) Professional tipsters, persons convicted of house-breaking or pocket-picking, forgery, uttering or possessing counterfeit coin, theft, false pretences, receiving stolen goods, mischief, assault, or any offence or crime of any kind under the Crimes Act, 1908, and also idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues convicted under the Police Offences Act, 1908, and persons convicted of an offence under the Gaming Act, 1908.

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

The foregoing regulations of the Oamaru Jockey Club were made and passed by such club on the 27th day of March, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

WM. GARDINER, Chairman.  
J. W. MACKISACK, Secretary.

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

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JELLCOE, Governor-General.

#### TAUMARUNUI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Taumarunui Borough Council Land Purchase Loan of £2,200, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Taumarunui Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of purchasing Lot 18, Section 1, Block XIVA (1 acre), as site for future municipal buildings, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of eleven-fiftieths of a penny (11/50d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Taumarunui; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every

year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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CHAS. C. MARSACK, Mayor.  
A. LEESE, Town Clerk.

#### TAUMARUNUI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

##### RESOLUTION INCREASING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Taumarunui Borough Council Land Purchase Loan of £2,200, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Taumarunui Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of purchasing Lot 18, Section 1, Block XIVA (1 acre), as site for future municipal buildings, the said Council, pursuant to section 22 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, hereby increases to twenty-three one-hundredths of a penny (23/100d.) in the pound sterling the special rate of eleven-fiftieths of a penny (11/50d.) in the pound sterling made and levied by resolution passed by the said Council on the 17th day of April, 1923, on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Taumarunui, such rate of eleven-fiftieths (11/50d.) in the pound sterling being insufficient to provide for payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on such loan; and that such special rate as increased shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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CHAS. C. MARSACK, Mayor.  
A. LEESE, Town Clerk.

#### TARARUA ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD.

##### RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, and the amendments thereto, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Tararua Electric-power Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Tararua Electric-power Board Hydro-electric Loan of £200,000, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Tararua Electric-power Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of distributing electrical energy throughout the Tararua Electric-power District by the erection of transmission-lines and services, the construction of generating station or stations, the purchase of all necessary material, goods, equipment, and plant, acquiring land and erecting buildings, advances to consumers for instalment, all engineering, legal, and clerical charges and contingencies, and generally carrying out such works or undertakings as are authorized by the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, and its amendments, the said Tararua Electric-power Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny one farthing (1¼d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property of the Tararua Electric-power Board District, comprising all the rateable property in Pahiatua County, Eketahuna County, Mauriceville County, and the boroughs of Pahiatua and Eketahuna; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-three (33) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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J. B. CARRUTHERS, Chairman.

THE Partnership heretofore subsisting between RALPH BENJAMIN JACKSON, FRANCIS JOHN McCABE, and ERIC BEAUMONT JACKSON is dissolved as from the date hereof by mutual consent.

Dated at Nelson this 14th day of April, 1923.

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R. B. JACKSON.  
F. J. McCABE.  
E. B. JACKSON.

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#### MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, CHARLES SKINNER WILLIAMS, Bachelor of Medicine and of Surgery, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 15th May next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

C. S. WILLIAMS, Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin 16th April, 1923.

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#### MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, ARNOLD PERRY, Bachelor of Medicine and of Surgery, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 15th May next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

A. PERRY, Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin 16th April, 1923.

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#### MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, HAROLD SHAW BILLCLIFF, Bachelor of Medicine and of Surgery, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 15th May next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

H. S. BILLCLIFF,  
Dunedin Hospital.

Dated at Dunedin 16th April, 1923.

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#### HEATHCOTE COUNTY COUNCIL.

##### MOUNT PLEASANT NO. 1 WORKER'S DWELLING LOAN.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred by the Counties Act, 1920 (sections 192 and 193), and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and with the precedent consent of the Governor-General by Order in Council dated 9th day of March, 1923 (published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, page 771), and given pursuant to section 20, subsection (1), Finance Act, 1919, the Heathcote County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and principal on a loan of £1,000, to be known as the Mount Pleasant No. 1 Worker's Dwelling Loan, authorized to be raised by the Heathcote County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts and authorities, for the purpose of erecting a worker's dwelling in the Mount Pleasant Riding, the said Heathcote County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 17/64ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the special rating area comprising the whole of the said Mount Pleasant Riding, being a legal subdivision of the County of Heathcote in Canterbury; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable half-yearly on the first day of August and the first day of February in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off. 459

THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between LYONEL GEORGE ASHTON and MERVYN ROY ASHTON, trading as "L. G. and M. R. Ashton," Farmers, Te Kawa, near Te Awamutu, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the first day of April, 1923.

The farm at Te Kawa will be carried on by MERVYN ROY ASHTON, who will discharge all liabilities in connection with the same.

Dated 5th April, 1923.

M. R. ASHTON.  
L. G. ASHTON.

Witness—J. L. Conlan, Solicitor, Auckland.

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#### NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, REGINALD NORMAN BLAKISTON and ROBERT HUGH FRASER, in the profession of Barristers and Solicitors carried on at Dannevirke, in Hawke's Bay, under the style of "Blakiston and

Blakiston," was dissolved on the first day of April, 1923, by mutual consent so far as concerns the said Robert Hugh Fraser, who retires from the firm. All debts due to and owing by the said firm will be received and paid respectively by the undersigned REGINALD NORMAN BLAKISTON, by whom the business will in future be carried on at Dannevirke as heretofore under the said firm-name of "Blakiston and Blakiston."

Dated this 18th day of April, 1923.

R. N. BLAKISTON.  
R. FRASER.

Mr. Fraser is commencing practice on his own account in Ward Street, Dannevirke, in Mr. Clifford Thompson's offices.  
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between RICHARD BAKER SPINKS and GEORGE LEONARD SPINKS, both of Auckland, Motor and General Engineers, under the style of "Spinks and Co.," will be dissolved as from the 30th day of April, 1923.

Dated at Auckland this 18th day of April, 1923.

R. B. SPINKS.  
G. L. SPINKS.

Witness to the signatures of Richard Baker Spinks and George Leonard Spinks—A. C. Wilkin, Solicitor, Auckland.  
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between HENRY WARD and CLEMENT C. BROWNIE, carrying on business as Metal-workers at Wanganui under the style or firm of "Ward and Brownie," has been dissolved as from the 18th day of April, 1923. And the said business will be carried on in future by Mr. C. C. Brownie, who will discharge all liabilities of the late firm and to whom all debts are payable.

Dated the 19th day of April, 1923.

HENRY W. WARD.  
CLEMENT C. BROWNIE.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of DARROW, GRUNDY, AND THORNTON (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of the members of the above company held on the 26th day of March, 1923, a special resolution was passed to voluntarily wind up the company, and appointed the undersigned Liquidator.

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F. H. CLAXTON, Liquidator.

#### CHRISTCHURCH DRAINAGE BOARD.

In the matter of the Christchurch District Drainage Amendment Act, 1922.

DEFINITION AND CREATION OF A SPECIAL AREA AND DIVISION OF THE SPECIAL AREA INTO SUBDIVISIONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution of the Christchurch Drainage Board was passed at a meeting of the Board duly convened and held on the 17th day of April, 1923:—

On the motion of Mr. Otley, seconded by Mr. Burgoyne, it was resolved:—

That whereas the Christchurch Drainage Board proposes to construct certain drainage-works which will not benefit directly or indirectly the whole of its district, the Board doth hereby by virtue of the powers and authorities conferred upon it by the Christchurch District Drainage Amendment Act, 1922, define and create as a special area all that area of land described in the Schedule "A" hereto, comprising the-lands that would in the opinion of the Board be benefited directly or indirectly by such works.

And the Board doth hereby resolve to divide the said special area into two subdivisions as follows:—

- (1.) As land receiving or likely to receive direct benefit from the construction of the drainage-works—all that area of land described in the Schedule "B" hereto.
- (2.) As land receiving or likely to receive only an indirect benefit from the construction of the said drainage-works—all that area of land described in Schedule "C" hereto.

#### SCHEDULE "A."

All that area of land situated in the Christchurch Survey District comprising the Borough of Riccarton and parts of the City of Christchurch, Heathcote County, and Waimairi County, as contained within the boundary hereinafter described,—

Commencing at a point on the right bank of the River Avon in line with the western side of Kerr's Road, and proceeding in a westerly direction along the said right bank to a point in line with the eastern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 3421; thence northerly across the said River Avon to and along the

said eastern boundary of the said Lot 6 to the north-eastern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 6 to the eastern boundary of Lot 4, D.P. 3421; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 4 to the northern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 4 and Lots 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 3421, and in the same line to the eastern boundary of Lot 31, D.P. 752; thence northerly along the eastern boundaries of Lots 31, 30, 29, and 28, D.P. 752, to and across McBratney's Road to the northern side thereof; thence westerly along the northern side of the said McBratney's Road to the eastern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 1206; thence northerly along the said eastern boundary of the said Lot 6 to the north-eastern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundaries of Lots 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 1206, to the south-eastern corner of Lot 32, D.P. 273; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 32 to the south side of Cooper's Road; thence across the said Cooper's Road to the south-eastern corner of Lot 38, D.P. 273; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 38 to the north-eastern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundaries of Lots 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, and 43, D.P. 273, to the south-western corner of Lot 1, D.P. 5188; thence northerly along the western boundary of the said Lot 1 to Shirley Road; thence across Shirley Road to the south-eastern corner of Lot 2, D.P. 4640; thence northerly along the eastern boundaries of the said Lot 2 and Lot 1, D.P. 4640, to the north-eastern corner of the said Lot 1; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 1 to Marshland Road; thence across Marshland Road to the north-eastern corner of Lot 1, D.P. 6251; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 1, D.P. 6251, and the northern boundaries of Lots 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 4897, to Quinn's Road; thence across Quinn's Road to a point on the western side thereof three chains north of the northern side of Shirley Road; thence westerly and north-westerly in a line parallel to and three chains distant from the said Shirley Road, and continuing in the same line across Green's Road to a point 3.29 chains distant from the north-west side of the said Green's Road; thence south-westerly in a line parallel to the said Green's Road to the north-eastern boundary of R.S. 345; thence north-westerly along the said boundary of R.S. 345 to and across Innes Road, and continuing in the same line to a point three chains north-west of the north-western side of the said Innes Road; thence south-westerly and parallel to the said Innes Road to a point three chains north-east of the north-eastern side of McFadden's Road; thence north-westerly in a straight line to the northern corner of the land contained in C.T. Vol. 138, folio 213; thence south-westerly along the north-western boundary of the said land to the south-western boundary thereof; thence in a straight line to a point in the centre of Chillingworth Street three chains distant from the north-western side of McFadden's Road; thence in the same direction generally in a line parallel to the said McFadden's Road to a point three chains north-east of the north-eastern side of the extension of May's Road; thence north-easterly and south-westerly three chains distant from and parallel to the said extension of May's Road to the Papanui Drain; thence north-westerly along the said Papanui Drain to the western corner of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 143, folio 256; thence north-easterly along the north-western boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 143, folio 256, to and across Green's Road, and continuing in the same direction along the north-western boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 15, folio 65, to the south-western boundary of Lot 24, D.P. 2573; thence south-easterly along the south-western boundary of the said Lot 24 to the southern corner thereof; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of the said Lot 24, across Meadow Street, and continuing along the south-eastern boundary of Lot 25, D.P. 2573, and in the same line along the south-eastern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 39, folio 94, to Tutton's Road; thence across Tutton's Road to the southern corner of Lot 1, D.P. 3295; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 1 to Winter's Road; thence across Winter's Road to a point in prolongation of a line forming the eastern boundary of Lot 4, D.P. 1750; thence northerly to the south-eastern corner of the said Lot 4, and along the eastern boundaries of the said Lot 4 and Lots 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 1750, to the north-eastern corner of the said Lot 1; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, D.P. 1750, to the north-eastern corner of the said Lot 10; thence northerly along the western boundaries of Lots 17, 18, 19, and 20, D.P. 1750, to the boundary between R.S. 251 and R.S. 305; thence westerly along the said boundary to a point in prolongation of the line forming the eastern boundary of the land contained in D.P. 5875; thence northerly to the south-eastern corner of the land contained in the said D.P. 5875, and continuing in the same line along the eastern boundary of the said land to the northern boundary thereof; thence westerly along the said northern boundary to the eastern side of North Road; thence northerly along the eastern side of the said North Road to a point in prolonga-

tion of a line forming the northern boundary of Lot 17, D.P. 691; thence westerly across the said North Road and along the northern boundary of the said Lot 17 to the north-western corner of the said Lot 17; thence in the same direction generally and parallel to the north side of Tucker's Road to the eastern boundary of the North Railway; thence south-westerly and southerly along the boundary of the said railway to a point three chains north-east of the north-eastern side of Langdon's Road; thence north-westerly in a line parallel to the said Langdon's Road to the boundary between R.S. 112 and R.S. 314; thence south-westerly along the said boundary to the eastern corner of Lot 8, D.P. 1477; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern boundaries of Lots 8, 9, and 10, D.P. 1477, to the northern corner of the said Lot 10, D.P. 1477; thence south-westerly along the north-western boundary of the said Lot 10 to the eastern corner of Lot 11, D.P. 1477; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern boundaries of Lots 11 and 12, D.P. 1477, to Bishop's Road; thence across Bishop's Road to the eastern corner of Lot 2, D.P. 551; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern boundary of the said Lot 2 to the south-eastern boundary of Lot 4, D.P. 551; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern boundary of the said Lot 4 to the north-eastern side of Harewood Road; thence across Harewood Road to the northern corner of Lot 1, D.P. 651; thence south-westerly along the north-western boundary of the said Lot 1 to the western corner thereof; thence in the same direction generally in a straight line to the northern corner of Lot 4, D.P. 651; thence continuing in the same direction along the north-western boundary of the said Lot 4 and along the north-western boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 144, folio 233, to the north-eastern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 156, folio 195; thence south-easterly along the said north-eastern boundary to the centre-line of Greer's Road; thence south-westerly along the said Greer's Road to the North Wairarapa Stream, the said stream forming the south-western boundary of the land contained in D.P. 5841; thence south-easterly generally along the said North Wairarapa Stream to the south-eastern boundary of R.S. 2214; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern boundaries of R.S. 2214 and R.S. 2202 to the southern corner of the said R.S. 2202; thence in a straight line in the same direction generally to a point on the south Wairarapa Stream five chains north-west of the north-western side of Webb's Road; thence south-westerly and parallel to the said Webb's Road to a point five chains north-east of the north-eastern side of Burnside Road; thence north-westerly and parallel to the said Burnside Road to a point in prolongation of the line forming the north-western boundary of Lot 3, D.P. 4926; thence south-westerly to and across Burnside Road and along the said north-western boundary of the said Lot 3, and continuing in the same line to the Waimairi Stream; thence southerly generally along the said Waimairi Stream to the south-eastern corner of Lot 15, D.P. 3344; thence westerly along the southern boundary of the said Lot 15 to the north-eastern corner of Lot 14, D.P. 3344; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Lots 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, and 7, D.P. 3344, to the south-eastern corner of the said Lot 7; thence westerly along the stream forming the southern boundary of the said Lot 7 to the eastern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 122, folio 168; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 122, folio 168, and C.T., Vol. 117, folio 237, to the south-eastern corner of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 117, folio 237; thence westerly along the stream forming the southern boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 117, folio 237, to the eastern side of Waimairi Road; thence southerly along the said Waimairi Road to and across Riccarton Road to the southern side thereof; thence westerly along the said Riccarton Road to the eastern side of Hanson's Road; thence southerly along Hanson's Road to a point ten chains south of the southern side of the said Riccarton Road; thence easterly and parallel to the said Riccarton Road to and across Middleton Road to the north-western corner of Lot 1, Wharenui Settlement; thence easterly in a straight line along the northern boundaries of Lots 1, 17, and 16, Wharenui Settlement, to a point three chains west of the western side of Wharenui Road; thence southerly in a line parallel to the said Wharenui Road across and to a point three chains distant from the southern side of Blenheim Road; thence easterly in a line parallel to the said Blenheim Road to a point three chains west of the western side of Wright's Road; thence southerly in a line parallel to the said Wright's Road to the southern boundary of the South Railway; thence westerly along the said railway to the north-western corner of Lot 8, D.P. 84; thence southerly along the western boundary of the said Lot 8 and of Lots 9, 10, and 1 of the said D.P. 84 to the south-western end of Hall's Road, and continuing in the same line to a point three chains south-west of the south-western side of Martin's Road; thence south-easterly in a line parallel to the said Martin's Road to a point three chains north-west of the north-western side of Lincoln Road; thence south-westerly in a line parallel to the said Lincoln Road to the right bank of the River Heathcote;

thence along the right bank of the said River Heathcote in an easterly direction generally to a point due south of the intersection of Ferry Road and King Edward Terrace, Wools-ton; thence northerly across the said River Heathcote to the south-western side of Ferry Road; thence north-westerly along the said Ferry Road to the Steam Wharf Drain; thence northerly and north-westerly along the said Steam Wharf Drain to the southern corner of Lot 9, D.P. 1932; thence north-easterly along the south-western boundary of the said Lot 9, D.P. 1932, and along the south-western boundaries of Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, and 9, D.P. 947, to the centre-line of Canal Reserve; thence north-westerly along the centre-line of Canal Reserve to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of the land contained in D.P. 1957; thence north-easterly to the southern corner of the land contained in the said D.P. 1957; thence along the said south-eastern boundary to the centre-line of Cemetery Road; thence north-westerly along the centre-line of the said Cemetery Road to a point three chains south-east of the south-eastern side of Buckley's Road; thence north-easterly and parallel to the said Buckley's Road to the northern side of Council Street; thence easterly along the said Council Street to McGregor's Road; thence south-easterly along the north-eastern side of McGregor's Road to the southern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 2271; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said Lot 6 for a distance of 1.5 chains; thence northerly at a right-angle to the northern boundary of Lot 3, said D.P. 2271; thence easterly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 3 to the south-western side of Rudd's Road; thence north-westerly along the said Rudd's Road to the eastern side of Junction Road; thence in a northerly direction along the said Junction Road to the south-eastern side of Page's Road; thence north-easterly and easterly along the said Page's Road to the eastern side of Kearney's Road; thence southerly along the said Kearney's Road to the southern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 184, folio 85; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 184, folio 85, and along the southern boundaries of Lots 2, 5, and 9, D.P. 2698, to the south-eastern corner of the said Lot 9; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 9, D.P. 2698, to and across Page's Road to the north-western side thereof; thence north-easterly along the said Page's Road to a point in prolongation of a line forming the boundary between R.S. 6754 and R.S. 5382; thence north-westerly across R.S. 28598, and along the said boundary between R.S. 6754 and R.S. 5382 to the southern corner of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 147, folio 232; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 147, folio 232, to the south-western boundary of Lot 19, D.P. 878; thence north-westerly along the south-western boundary of the said Lot 19 to the southern corner of Lot 20, D.P. 878; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of the said Lot 20 to the south-western side of Shortland Street; thence north-westerly along Shortland Street to the north-western side of Wainoni Road; thence south-westerly along the said Wainoni Road to the right bank of the River Avon; and thence westerly along the said right bank of the River Avon to the commencing-point.

## SCHEDULE "B."

All that area of land contained within the boundary herein-after described,—

Commencing at a point on the right bank of the River Avon in line with the western side of Kerr's Road, and proceeding in a westerly direction along the said right bank to a point in line with the eastern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 3421; thence northerly across the said River Avon to and along the said eastern boundary of the said Lot 6 to the north-eastern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 6 to the eastern boundary of Lot 4, D.P. 3421; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 4 to the northern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 4 and Lots 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 3421, and in the same line to the eastern boundary of Lot 31, D.P. 752; thence northerly along the eastern boundaries of Lots 31, 30, 29, and 28, D.P. 752, to and across McBratney's Road to the northern side thereof; thence westerly along the northern side of the said McBratney's Road to the eastern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 1206; thence northerly along the said eastern boundary of the said Lot 6 to the north-eastern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundaries of Lots 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 1206, to the south-eastern corner of Lot 32, D.P. 273; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 32 to the south side of Cooper's Road; thence across the said Cooper's Road to the south-eastern corner of Lot 38, D.P. 273; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 38 to the north-eastern corner thereof; thence westerly along the northern boundaries of Lots 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, and 43, D.P. 273, to the south-western corner of Lot 1, D.P. 5188; thence northerly along the western boundary of the said Lot 1 to Shirley Road; thence across Shirley Road to the south-eastern corner of Lot 2,



D.P. 4640; thence northerly along the eastern boundaries of the said Lot 2 and Lot 1, D.P. 4640, to the north-eastern corner of the said Lot 1; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 1 to Marshland Road; thence across Marshland Road to the north-eastern corner of Lot 1, D.P. 6251; thence westerly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 1, D.P. 6251, and the northern boundaries of Lots 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 4897, to Quinn's Road; thence across Quinn's Road to a point on the western side thereof three chains north of the northern side of Shirley Road; thence westerly and north-westerly in a line parallel to and three chains distant from the said Shirley Road, and continuing in the same line across Green's Road to a point 3-29 chains distant from the north-west side of the said Green's Road; thence south-westerly in a line parallel to the said Green's Road to the north-eastern boundary of R.S. 345; thence north-westerly along the said boundary of R.S. 345 to and across Innes Road, and continuing in the same line to a point three chains north-west of the north-western side of the said Innes Road; thence south-westerly and parallel to the said Innes Road to a point three chains north-east of the north-eastern side of McFadden's Road; thence north-westerly in a straight line to the northern corner of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 138, folio 213; thence south-westerly along the north-western boundary of the said land to the south-western boundary thereof; thence in a straight line to a point in the centre of Chillingworth Street three chains distant from the north-western side of McFadden's Road; thence in the same direction generally in a line parallel to the said McFadden's Road to a point three chains north-east to the north-eastern side of the extension of May's Road; thence north-easterly and south-westerly three chains distant from and parallel to the said extension of May's Road to the Papanui Drain; thence north-westerly along the said Papanui Drain to the western corner of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 143, folio 256; thence north-easterly along the north-western boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 143, folio 256, to and across Green's Road, and continuing in the same direction along the north-western boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 15, folio 65, to the south-western boundary of Lot 24, D.P. 2573; thence south-easterly along the south-western boundary of the said Lot 24 to the southern corner thereof; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of the said Lot 24, across Meadow Street, and continuing along the south-eastern boundary of Lot 25, D.P. 2573, and in the same line along the south-eastern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 39, folio 94, to Tutton's Road; thence across Tutton's Road to the southern corner of Lot 1, D.P. 3295; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 1 to Winter's Road; thence across Winter's Road to a point in prolongation of a line forming the eastern boundary of Lot 4, D.P. 1750; thence northerly to the south-eastern corner of the said Lot 4 and along the eastern boundaries of the said Lot 4 and Lots 3, 2, and 1, D.P. 1750, to the north-eastern corner of the said Lot 1; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10, D.P. 1750, to the north-eastern corner of the said Lot 10; thence northerly along the western boundaries of Lots 17, 18, 19, and 20, D.P. 1750, to the boundary between R.S. 251 and R.S. 305; thence westerly along the said boundary to a point in prolongation of the line forming the eastern boundary of the land contained in D.P. 5875; thence northerly to the south-eastern corner of the land contained in the said D.P. 5875, and continuing in the same line along the eastern boundary of the said land to the northern boundary thereof; thence westerly along the said northern boundary to the eastern side of North Road; thence northerly along the eastern side of the said North Road to a point in prolongation of a line forming the northern boundary of Lot 17, D.P. 691; thence westerly across the said North Road and along the northern boundary of the said Lot 17 to the north-western corner of the said Lot 17; thence in the same direction generally and parallel to the north side of Tucker's Road to the eastern boundary of the North Railway; thence south-westerly and southerly along the boundary of the said railway to a point three chains north-east of the north-eastern side of Langdon's Road; thence north-westerly in a line parallel to the said Langdon's Road to the boundary between R.S. 112 and R.S. 314; thence south-westerly along the said boundary to the eastern corner of Lot 8, D.P. 1477; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern boundaries of Lots 8, 9, and 10, D.P. 1477, to the northern corner of the said Lot 10, D.P. 1477; thence south-westerly along the north-western boundary of the said Lot 10 to the eastern corner of Lot 11, D.P. 1477; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern boundaries of Lots 11 and 12, D.P. 1477, to Bishop's Road; thence across Bishop's Road to the eastern corner of Lot 2, D.P. 551; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern boundary of the said Lot 2 to the south-eastern boundary of Lot 4, D.P. 551; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern boundary of the said Lot 4 to the north-eastern side of Harewood Road; thence across Harewood Road to the northern corner of Lot 1,

D.P. 651; thence south-westerly along the north-western boundary of the said Lot 1 to the western corner thereof; thence in the same direction generally in a straight line to the northern corner of Lot 4, D.P. 651; thence continuing in the same direction along the north-western boundary of the said Lot 4, and along the north-western boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 144, folio 233, to the north-eastern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 156, folio 195; thence south-easterly along the said north-eastern boundary to the centre-line of Greer's Road; thence south-westerly along the said Greer's Road to the North Wairarapa Stream, the said stream forming the south-western boundary of the land contained in D.P. 5841; thence south-easterly generally along the said North Wairarapa Stream to the south-eastern boundary of R.S. 2214; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern boundaries of R.S. 2214 and R.S. 2202 to the southern corner of the said R.S. 2202; thence in a straight line in the same direction generally to a point on the south Wairarapa Stream five chains north-west of the north-western side of Webb's Road; thence south-westerly and parallel to the said Webb's Road to a point five chains north-east of the north-eastern side of Burnside Road; thence north-westerly and parallel to the said Burnside Road to a point in prolongation of the line forming the north-western boundary of Lot 3, D.P. 4926; thence south-westerly to and across Burnside Road, and along the said north-western boundary of the said Lot 3, and continuing in the same line to the Waimairi Stream; thence southerly generally along the said Waimairi Stream to the south-eastern corner of Lot 15, D.P. 3344; thence westerly along the southern boundary of the said Lot 15 to the north-eastern corner of Lot 14, D.P. 3344; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of Lots 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, and 7, D.P. 3344, to the south-eastern corner of the said Lot 7; thence westerly along the stream forming the southern boundary of the said Lot 7 to the eastern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 122, folio 168; thence southerly along the eastern boundaries of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 122, folio 168, and C.T., Vol. 117, folio 237, to the south-eastern corner of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 117, folio 237; thence westerly along the stream forming the southern boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 117, folio 237, to the eastern side of Waimairi Road; thence southerly along the said Waimairi Road to and across Riccarton Road to the southern side thereof; thence westerly along the said Riccarton Road to the eastern side of Hanson's Road; thence southerly along Hanson's Road to a point ten chains south of the southern side of the said Riccarton Road; thence easterly and parallel to the said Riccarton Road to and across Middleton Road to the north-western corner of Lot 1, Wharenui Settlement; thence easterly in a straight line along the northern boundaries of Lots 1, 17, and 16, Wharenui Settlement, to a point three chains west of the western side of Wharenui Road; thence southerly in a line parallel to the said Wharenui Road across and to a point three chains distant from the southern side of Blenheim Road; thence easterly in a line parallel to the said Blenheim Road to a point three chains west of the western side of Wright's Road; thence southerly in a line parallel to the said Wright's Road to the southern boundary of the South Railway; thence westerly along the said railway to the north-western corner of Lot 8, D.P. 84; thence southerly along the western boundary of the said Lot 8 and of Lots 9, 10, and 1 of the said D.P. 84 to the south-western end of Hall's Road, and continuing in the same line to a point three chains south-west to the south-western side of Martin's Road; thence south-easterly in a line parallel to the said Martin's Road to a point three chains north-west of the north-western side of Lincoln Road; thence south-westerly in a line parallel to the said Lincoln Road to the right bank of the River Heathcote; thence along the right bank of the said River Heathcote in an easterly direction generally to a point due south of the intersection of Ferry Road and King Edward Terrace, Woolston; thence northerly across the said River Heathcote to the south-western side of Ferry Road; thence north-westerly along the said Ferry Road to the Steam Wharf Drain; thence northerly and north-westerly along the said Steam Wharf Drain to the southern corner of Lot 9, D.P. 1932; thence north-easterly along the south-western boundary of the said Lot 9, D.P. 1932, and along the south-western boundaries of Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, and 9, D.P. 947, to the centre-line of Canal Reserve; thence north-westerly along the centre-line of Canal Reserve to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of the land contained in D.P. 1957; thence north-easterly to the southern corner of the land contained in the said D.P. 1957; thence along the said south-eastern boundary to the centre-line of Cemetery Road; thence north-westerly along the centre-line of the said Cemetery Road to a point three chains south-east of the south-eastern side of Buckley's Road; thence north-easterly and parallel to the said Buckley's Road to the northern side of Council Street; thence easterly along the said Council Street to McGregor's Road; thence south-easterly along the north-



eastern side of McGregor's Road to the southern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 2271; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said Lot 6 for a distance of 1.5 chains; thence northerly at a right-angle to the northern boundary of Lot 3, said D.P. 2271; thence easterly along the northern boundary of the said Lot 3 to the south-western side of Rudd's Road; thence north-westerly along the said Rudd's Road to the eastern side of Junction Road; thence in a northerly direction along the said Junction Road to the south-eastern side of Page's Road; thence north-easterly and easterly along the said Page's Road to the eastern side of Kearney's Road; thence southerly along the said Kearney's Road to the southern boundary of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 184, folio 85; thence easterly along the southern boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 184, folio 85, and along the southern boundaries of Lots 2, 5, and 9, D.P. 2698, to the south-eastern corner of the said Lot 9; thence northerly along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 9, D.P. 2698, to and across Page's Road to the north-western side thereof; thence north-easterly along the said Page's Road to a point in prolongation of a line forming the boundary between R.S. 6754 and R.S. 5382; thence north-westerly across R.S. 28598, and along the said boundary between R.S. 6754 and R.S. 5382 to the southern corner of the land contained in C.T., Vol. 147, folio 232; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of the land contained in the said C.T., Vol. 147, folio 232, to the south-western boundary of Lot 19, D.P. 878; thence north-westerly along the south-western boundary of the said Lot 19 to the southern corner of Lot 20, D.P. 878; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of the said Lot 20 to the south-western side of Shortland Street; thence north-westerly along Shortland Street to the north-western side of Wainoni Road; thence south-westerly along the said Wainoni Road to the right bank of the River Avon; and thence westerly along the said right bank of the River Avon to the commencing-point; but excluding therefrom and thereout all that area of land which is comprised and described in Schedule "C" (being the land which is already sewered).

SCHEDULE "C."

All that area of land contained within the boundary herein-after described,—

Commencing at a point on Wilson's Road 3.5 chains south of Domett Street, thence north-westerly and parallel to the said Domett Street to a point three chains east of Bunyan Street; thence at a right-angle south-westerly to Langdown Street; thence north-westerly along Langdown Street to a point three chains south-east of Rogers Street; thence at a right-angle south-westerly to a point 2.25 chains north-east of Huxley Street; thence at a right-angle south-easterly to a point in line with the south-eastern boundary of Croydon Street; thence south-westerly along the said line 1.35 chains; thence at a right-angle south-easterly to a point three chains south-east of the said line of south-eastern boundary of Croydon Street; thence at a right-angle south-westerly to a point four chains south-west of line of south-western boundary of Southampton Street; thence at a right-angle north-westerly to a point 2.75 chains south of line of southern boundary of Southey Street; thence westerly parallel with Southey Street to a point 2.25 chains west of Colombo Street; thence at a right-angle northerly to a point two chains south of southern boundary of Smollet Street; thence at a right-angle westerly to Strickland Street; thence north-westerly along Strickland Street to a point about three chains south of Milton Street; thence south-westerly to a point three chains south-west of the south-west side of Strickland Street; thence north-westerly and parallel to the said Strickland Street to the north side of Jackson's Creek; thence along the north side of the said creek to the intersection of Jerrold Street and South Crescent Road; thence westerly and north-westerly along Jerrold Street and in a line in continuation thereof across Lincoln Road to a point five chains distant therefrom; thence at a right angle north-easterly and parallel to Lincoln Road to Moorhouse Avenue; thence westerly along the said Moorhouse Avenue to Dean's Avenue; thence northerly along the said Dean's Avenue to the River Avon; thence easterly by the said River Avon to Rossall Street; thence north-westerly by the said Rossall Street to Fulton Avenue; thence south-westerly by the said Fulton Avenue to Wairarapa Terrace; thence northerly by Wairarapa Terrace to Cross Drain said Cross Drain forming the western boundary of R.S. 142; thence northerly along the said Cross Drain to the southern side of Heaton Street; thence easterly along the southern side of the said Heaton Street to a point in prolongation of a line forming the south-western boundary of Lot 8, D.P. 1626; thence north-westerly at a right-angle across the said Heaton Street to the northern side thereof; thence easterly along the said Heaton Street a distance of six chains; thence northerly at a right-angle a distance of 2.2 chains; thence northerly in a straight line to a point on the northern boundary of the Elmwood Estate the said point being 13.46 chains from Papanui Road; thence

easterly along the northern boundary of the Elmwood Estate a distance of 7.96 chains to a point 5.5 chains from the western side of Papanui Road; thence north-westerly by a line parallel to the said Papanui Road to Norman's Road; thence north-easterly by the said Norman's Road to a point 2.97 chains south-west of the south-western side of Papanui Road; thence north-westerly along the south-western boundary of Lot 6 D.P. 3590 to the south-eastern boundary of Lot 5 said D.P. 3590; thence south-westerly along the said south-eastern boundary of the said Lot 5 to the south-western boundary thereof; thence north-westerly along the said south-western boundary to the north-western boundary thereof; thence north-easterly along the said north-western boundary to the south-western side of Papanui Road; thence south-easterly along the said south-western side of Papanui Road to the intersection of the centre-line of May's Road; thence north-easterly by May's Road to a point 5.5 chains north-east of the north-eastern side of Papanui Road; thence south-easterly by a line parallel to Papanui Road to a point 2.73 chains south-east of the south-eastern side of May's Road; thence north-easterly at a right-angle a distance of two chains; thence south-easterly at a right-angle for a distance of 6.46 chains; thence north-easterly at a right-angle for a distance of 3.5 chains; thence south-easterly at a right-angle for a distance of 2.75 chains to Weston Road; thence south-westerly by Weston Road for a distance of fifty links; thence south-easterly at a right-angle to a point 2.5 chains north-west of the north-western side of Innes Road and 10.5 chains from the north-eastern side of Papanui Road; thence north-easterly by a line parallel to the said Innes Road to a point in prolongation of a line three chains north-east of and parallel to the north-eastern side of Brown's Road; thence south-easterly and parallel to the said Brown's Road to a point five chains north-west of the north-western side of St. Albans Street; thence north-easterly and parallel to the said St. Albans Street to the south-western side of Rutland Street; thence south-easterly along the south-western side of the said Rutland Street to St. Albans Creek; thence along the southern and western side of the said creek to a point 2.5 chains north of Edgeware Road; thence easterly by a line parallel to Edgeware Road to a point five chains east of the prolongation of Packe's Road; thence at a right-angle southerly by a line parallel to and five chains distant from the said Packe's Road to a point one chain north of the northern side of Canon Street; thence easterly by a line parallel to Canon Street for a distance of 7.25 chains to the eastern boundary of Allotment 68; thence southerly at a right-angle to a point one chain north of the northern side of Gresford Street; thence easterly at a right-angle to the eastern side of Bealey Street; thence northerly at a right-angle by the said eastern side to a point 2.5 chains north of the northern side of Gresford Street; thence easterly at a right-angle for a distance of three chains; thence northerly at a right-angle for a distance of one chain; thence easterly at a right-angle for a distance of three chains; thence southerly at a right-angle for a distance of one chain; thence easterly at a right-angle to the western side of Hill's Road; thence southerly by the western side of the said Hill's Road to a point 2.35 chains north of the northern side of North Avon Road; thence easterly at a right-angle to a point 1.53 chains west of the western side of North Avon Road; thence northerly in a line parallel to the said North Avon Road to the south side of Sheen Street; thence easterly by Sheen Street and North Avon Road to a point in line with the eastern side of Leith Street; thence northerly across North Avon Road and by the said eastern side of Leith Street to a point 2.99 chains north of the north side of North Avon Road; thence easterly at a right-angle for a distance of two chains; thence southerly at a right-angle for a distance of ninety-seven links; thence easterly at a right-angle to a point on the western side of Chrystal Street 2.01 chains north of the north side of North Avon Road; thence southerly by the said western side of Chrystal Street across and to the southern side of North Avon Road; thence easterly by the said southern side of North Avon Road to a point three chains east of the eastern boundary of R.S. 41; thence southerly on a bearing of 179° 43' being parallel to west boundary of R.S. 197 to the old watercourse formerly known as Bingsland Creek; thence north-easterly along such old watercourse following the northern boundaries of Lots 5, 5A, 6, 6A, and 7 to the western boundary of Lot 7A on D.P. 313; thence northerly along such western boundary of Lot 7A; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of Lots 7A and 8; thence southerly along eastern boundary of Lot 8 to and across River Road to the left bank of the River Avon; thence southerly generally by the said left bank to a point in line with the south-western side of Linwood Avenue; thence south-easterly along the said south-western side of Linwood Avenue to a point on the said south-western side of the said avenue 2.5 chains beyond the south-eastern side of Ollivier's Road; thence south-westerly by a line parallel to the said Ollivier's Road to Harrow Street; thence south-easterly by the north-western side of Harrow Street to a

point four chains from Ollivier's Road; thence south-westerly by a line parallel to Ollivier's Road to the southern side of Ferry Road; thence easterly along the said southern side of Ferry Road a distance of 3.74 chains; thence south-westerly at a right-angle a distance of 5.38 chains; thence north-westerly at a right-angle a distance of forty links; thence south-westerly at a right-angle a distance of three chains; thence north-westerly at a right-angle a distance of one chain; thence south-westerly at a right-angle a distance of 1.67 chains to the northern boundary of Beresford Street; thence north-westerly along the said northern boundary a distance of one chain; thence north-easterly a distance of 4.68 chains to the north-western corner of Lot 15 D.P. 629; thence north-westerly by a line in continuation of the northern boundary of the said Lot 15 a distance of 69.4 links; thence south-westerly to a point three chains south of the southern boundary of Henry Street and three chains east of the eastern side of Grafton Street; thence westerly by a line to the junction of Wilson's Road and the Lyttelton Railway; thence southerly along the said Wilson's Road to the commencing-point.

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WALTER HILL, Chairman.

FLETCHER MILKING-MACHINE COMPANY  
(LIMITED.)

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of shareholders of the above company will be held at the company's registered office, Lichfield Street, Christchurch, on Monday, 14th May, 1923, at 4 p.m.

BUSINESS.—To receive and consider the Liquidator's report and statement of accounts showing the manner in which the assets of the company have been disposed of.

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A. O. WILKINSON, Liquidator.

## DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between ANNIE SCOTT and KATHLEEN MARJORIE MILLS, carrying on business as Nurses and Private Hospital Proprietresses at Waitara, in Tararua, in New Zealand, under the style or firm of "Scott and Mills," has been dissolved as from the 13th day of March, 1923.

Dated the 13th day of March, 1923.

ANNIE SCOTT.  
K. M. MILLS.

Witness—W. B. Glasgow.

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## PIAKO COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Local Bodies' Finance Act, 1921-22, and the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1922, the Piako County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of nine thousand pounds (£9,000), authorized to be raised by the Piako County Council, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of the extinction of the Council's antecedent liability as defined by the Local Bodies' Finance Act, 1921-22, such loan being apportioned among the undermentioned ridings of the Piako County as special districts as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Walton Riding .. .. .	949	16	11
Kiwitahi Riding .. .. .	763	16	1
Morrinsville Riding .. .. .	1,660	2	2
Waitoa Riding .. .. .	1,361	5	3
Waihou Riding .. .. .	2,921	12	10
Manawaru Riding .. .. .	1,343	6	9

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the said Council hereby makes and levies the following special rates in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property of the several ridings aforesaid, each riding being a special rating area for and in respect of its separate proportion hereinbefore stated of the loan aforesaid—namely, in the Walton Riding, one-tenth penny; in the Kiwitahi Riding, one-sixteenth penny; in the Morrinsville Riding, one-thirteenth penny; in the Waitoa Riding, one-eighteenth penny; in the Waihou Riding, one-ninth penny; and in the Manawaru Riding, one-fifteenth penny. And that such special rates shall be annually recurring rates during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 31st day of March and the 30th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty-five years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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NEVILL J. RAY, County Clerk.

## CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

## SPECIAL ORDER MAKING SPECIAL RATES.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and its amendments, and the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1920, and amendments thereof, the Christchurch Tramway Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing interest and sinking fund on a loan of £20,000, authorized by way of special order at a special meeting of the Christchurch Tramway Board held on the 21st day of August, 1922, and confirmed on the 18th day of September, 1922, the said Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of fourteen thousandths parts of a penny in the pound (14/1,000d. in the £1) upon the capital value of all rateable property in the Christchurch Tramway District. Such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of April and the first day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twelve years and three months from the 1st day of July, 1922, or until the loan is paid off.

That, for the purpose of providing interest and sinking fund on a loan of £14,000, authorized by way of special order at a special meeting of the Christchurch Tramway Board held on the 21st day of August, 1922, and confirmed on the 18th day of September, 1922, the said Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of ten thousandths parts of a penny in the pound (10/1,000d. in the £1) upon the capital value of all rateable property in the Christchurch Tramway District. Such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of April and the first day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of eleven years and ten months from the 1st day of December, 1922, or until the loan is paid off.

The above special order was made at a special meeting of the Christchurch Tramway Board called for that purpose on the 4th day of December, 1922, and confirmed at an ordinary meeting held on the 15th day of January, 1923.

FRANK THOMPSON,

General Manager, Christchurch Tramway Board.

Christchurch, 14th April, 1923.

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## RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Forbury Park Trotting Club at a meeting held on the 9th day of April, 1923, at Dunedin, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. Thos. Elliott, 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. Thos. Elliott, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. B. S. Irwin 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:—

## FORBURY PARK 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 Forbury Park Trotting Club, a trotting club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulations dated the 30th day of August, 1921, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the club's property situated in the district of St. Kilda, and known as the Forbury Park 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 else-

where, 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 Forbury Park Trotting Club were made and passed by such club on the 9th day of April, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

THOMAS ELLIOTT, Chairman.  
H. L. JAMES, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Forbury Park Trotting Club are hereby approved this 18th day of April, 1923.

470 JELLCOE, Governor-General.

THE TE AROHA DISTRICT DAIRY FINANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the final meeting of the company to receive accounts will be held in the office of Gilchrist and Son, Solicitors, Te Aroha, on Saturday, the 12th day of May, 1923, at 11 a.m.

471 H. H. BRAY, Liquidator.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Canterbury Park Trotting Club at a meeting held on the 11th day of April, 1923, at Christchurch, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. Henry John Otley, 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. Henry John Otley, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. Robert Wallace 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 :—

THE CANTERBURY PARK 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 Canterbury Park 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 club's property situated in the district of Christchurch (Addington), and known as the Metropolitan 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 Canterbury Park Trotting Club were made and passed by such club on the 11th day of April, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

H. J. OTLEY, Chairman.  
A. I. RATTRAY, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Canterbury Park Trotting Club are hereby approved this 19th day of April, 1923.

472 JELLCOE, Governor-General.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Napier Park Racing Club at a meeting held on the 29th day of March, 1923, at Napier, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. M. H. Strachan, 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. M. H. Strachan, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. C. Badley 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 :—

NAPIER PARK RACING CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Napier Park Racing Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulations dated the 8th day of September, 1919, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the club's property situated in the district of Hawke's Bay, and known as the Napier Park Racing Club Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

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

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

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

- (a.) Bookmakers.
- (b.) Bookmakers' clerks, bookmakers' assistants, and bookmakers' agents.
- (c.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing or trotting club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Association.
- (d.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or persons who have no lawful visible means of support.
- (e.) Professional tipsters, persons convicted of house-breaking or pocket-picking, forgery, uttering or possessing counterfeit coin, theft, false pretences, receiving stolen goods, mischief, assault, or any offence or crime of any kind under the Crimes Act, 1908, and also idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues convicted under the Police Offences Act, 1908, and persons convicted of an offence under the Gaming Act, 1908.

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

The foregoing regulations of the Napier Park Racing Club were made and passed by such club on the 29th day of March, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

M. H. STRACHAN, Chairman.  
J. E. GLEADOW, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Napier Park Racing Club are hereby approved this 10th day of April, 1923.

473 JELLCOE, Governor-General.

#### RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Wairoa County Racing Club at a meeting held on the 10th day of November, 1922, at Wairoa, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. Geo. C. Ormond, 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. Geo. C. Ormond, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. J. Gillespie 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:—

#### WAIROA COUNTY RACING CLUB.

##### REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

In pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Wairoa County Racing Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulations dated the 23rd day of January, 1919, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the racecourse situated in the district of Wairoa, and known as the Te Kupenga Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

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

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

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

- (a.) Bookmakers.
- (b.) Bookmakers' clerks, bookmakers' assistants, and bookmakers' agents.
- (c.) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing or trotting club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Association.
- (d.) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or persons who have no lawful visible means of support.
- (e.) Professional tipsters, persons convicted of house-breaking or pocket-picking, forgery, uttering or possessing counterfeit coin, theft, false pretences, receiving stolen goods, mischief, assault, or any offence or crime of any kind under the Crimes Act, 1908, and also idle and disorderly persons, rogues and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues convicted under the Police Offences Act, 1908, and persons convicted of an offence under the Gaming Act, 1908.

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

The foregoing regulations of the Wairoa County Racing Club were made and passed by such club on the 10th day of November, 1922, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

G. C. ORMOND, Chairman.  
LEONARD STOREY, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Wairoa County Racing Club are hereby approved this 16th day of December, 1922.

474 JELLCOE, Governor-General.

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