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*Land set apart for Selection.*

[L.S.] **JELlicOE, Governor-General.**  
**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

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

**SCHEDULE.**

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—DUNSTAN FLAT BLOCK.

SECTIONS 124 to 126, 2 of 127, 128, 130, 133, 136 to 143, Block I, Leaning Rock Survey District: Area, 520 acres 2 roods.

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

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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*Land set apart as Provisional State Forest.*

[L.S.] **JELlicOE, Governor-General.**  
**A PROCLAMATION.**

**BY** virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section eighteen of the Forests Act, 1921-22, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby set apart the Crown land described in the Schedule hereto as a provisional State forest.

**SCHEDULE.**

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WELLINGTON CONSERVATION REGION.

*Provisional State Forest No. 88.*

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, containing 260 acres, more or less, and being Sections 22 and 23, Block III, Kaitieke Survey District. As the same is more particularly delineated on forest atlas No. 62, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon washed green with neutral border.

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

R. HEATON RHODES,  
Commissioner of State Forests.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclaiming a Road-line laid out through Lot 30, Rangitaiki Parish, 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 eleventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, duly laid out as a road-line, in pursuance of section one hundred and seventeen of the Native Land Act, 1909:

And whereas by section two of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1918, it is provided that where any road-line has heretofore been laid out under the said section one hundred and seventeen and has not been proclaimed as a public road, then such road-line may be proclaimed as a public road under section forty-eight of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, subject, however, to the conditions prescribed by section fifty-one of the last-mentioned Act and section fifteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914:

And whereas the said Court is of the opinion that in the public interest 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 Native Land Amendment Act, 1913:

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 section forty-eight of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, 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: 8 acres 1 rood 24 perches.

Portion of Lot 30, Rangitaiki Parish, situated in Block I, Whakatane Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/876, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2038, and thereon coloured red.

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

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Alford Survey District, Canterbury 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 Alford Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A. R.	P.	
0	1	37.5
0	0	0.1

Portion of Rural Sections 21721 and 21722, Section 21721.

Situated in Block VIII, Alford Survey District.

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21/174, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2037, and thereon coloured red.

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

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped Government road declared to be Crown land: 1 acre 3 roods 2 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 144 E.R. and 143 E.R., situated in Tauraroa Parish, Block VII, Tangihua Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 20743.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 54962, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped Government road declared to be Crown land: 4 acres 0 roods 1 perch.

Adjoining or passing through Sections 64, 73, 50, 69, 68, 70, and C.L., situated in Block I, Fraser Survey District (Otago R.D.).

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57455, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Defining the Middle-line of a Further Portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Napier End, Part Tutira Section).*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle-line of a further portion of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway (Napier end, part Tutira Section) shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point on the northern boundary of Section 1, Block XV, Maungaharuru Survey District, marked

22 miles 64.5 chains, which point is the termination of the railway described in a Proclamation dated 21st day of November, 1921, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 99, of the 24th day of November, 1921, and proceeding thence in a north-easterly direction generally for a distance of about 4 miles 1.5 chains, and passing in, into, through, or over the following lands, &c.—viz., Sections 4, 3, 6, and 5, Block XI, Maungaharuru Survey District; Section 1 and river-bank reserve, Block XII, Maungaharuru Survey District; and terminating in the said river-bank reserve, Block XII, Maungaharuru Survey District, on the south bank of the Waikoau River at a point marked 26 miles 66 chains; including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and watercourses; all in the Land District of Hawke's Bay. As the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57775, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Block XI, Waiwera Survey District, Waitemata County.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 1 rood 39.5 perches.

Portion of Allotment S.W. 158 (Waiwera Parish), Block XI, Waiwera Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21843.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57772, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 6th day of September, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Block VIII, Waitaha Survey District, Westland 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 Waitaha Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2 roods 5 perches.

Portion of Section 2832, Block VIII, Waitaha Survey District (Westland R.D.).

In the Westland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56613, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged green.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VIII, Wharekawa Survey District, Hauraki Plains 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 Wharekawa 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: 1 acre 0 roods 34.86 perches.

Portion of Waitakaruru No. 4c, Section 4; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	1	15.34	Waitakaruru No. 4c, Section 5.
0	0	37.97	" " 4c " 4.

Coloured on plan: Green.

All situated in Block VIII, Wharekawa Survey District. (S.O. 21062.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56795, 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 6th day of September, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IX, Waitapu Survey District, Takaka 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 Waitapu Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	
1	3	37	Portion of Section 33; coloured yellow.
5	3	0	" " 34 (Takaka); coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
3	1	8	Section 34 (Takaka); coloured green.
1	0	22	" " "

All situated in Block IX, Waitapu Survey District (Nelson R.D.).

All in the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57637, 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 6th day of September, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IX, Whangarei Survey District, Whangarei 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 Whangarei Survey District described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the road described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A. R. P.	Portion of
3 3 13	Part Allotment 4; coloured pink.
0 2 8	" 5 " pink.
0 3 10	" 92 " yellow.
2 1 16	" 5 " pink.
0 0 12-6]	" 5 " pink.
0 0 10-4	" 8 " blue.
4 0 15	" 7 " pink.
1 2 21	" 6 " pink.
0 0 32	" 6 " pink.
2 0 12	" 6 " pink.
3 2 17	" 7 " pink.

(Parish of Parahaki.)

3 0 31 Part Lot 2, Dents Grant, Wariara Parish; coloured pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
0 1 35	Allotment 92; coloured green.
0 2 28	" 5 " "
0 0 11-8	" 5 " "
5 0 23	" 5, 6, 7 " "

(Parish of Parahaki.)

All situated in Block IX, Whangarei Survey District. (S.O. 22251.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57661, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XI, Mangamuka Survey District, Hokianga County.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A. R. P.	Portion of
0 3 26	Land below H.W.M., Wairere Creek; coloured blue.
0 1 27}	Kaiwhakarau Block; coloured red.
0 0 5}	
0 0 1-6	Section 5; coloured yellow.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A. R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
0 3 39	Land below H.W.M., Wairere Creek; coloured green.
0 2 25}	Wairere No. 2E Block; coloured green.
0 0 17}	
0 1 30	Kaiwhakarau Block; coloured green.
0 1 0	" " "
0 0 4-6}	Section 5; coloured green.
0 0 4}	

All situated in Block XI, Mangamuka Survey District. (S.O. 22179.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56123, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XIII, Mangaoporo Survey District, Waiapu 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 first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A. R. P.	Being Portion of
7 1 20	Tapuwaeroa 1A 2A; coloured pink.
10 1 26	" 1C; coloured yellow.
3 0 9	" 1A 1; coloured purple.
2 2 27	" 1A 2G " green.
8 3 37	" 1A 2H " blue.
2 2 16	" 1A 2J " neutral.
1 1 17	" 1A 2K " orange.
1 1 20	" 1A 2F " brown.
4 3 10	Part Tapuwaeroa River bed; coloured pink.
0 1 17	Part Mokoikiwi River bed; coloured pink.

Situated in Block XIII, Mangaoporo Survey District (Poverty Bay R.D.). (S.O. 1011, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57678, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Blocks I, Waiapu, and IV, Mangaoporo Survey Districts, Waiapu 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 first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

**SCHEDULE.**

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
10	0	6	Tikitiki Block, Block I, Waiapu Survey District; coloured pink.
0	3	38	Te Hue Block, Block I, Waiapu Survey District; coloured blue.
3	1	16	Hapouri No. 1, Blocks I, Waiapu, and IV, Mangaoporo Survey Districts; coloured blue.
9	3	21	Hapouri No. 2, Block IV, Mangaoporo Survey District; coloured blue.
0	3	16	Wharekirauponga No. 4, Block IV, Mangaoporo Survey District; coloured yellow.
1	2	0	Lot 3 of Section 5, Block IV, Mangaoporo Survey District; coloured green.
0	1	16	Survey District; coloured green.
0	0	14	Part Mangaotawhito Stream bed, Block I, Waiapu Survey District; coloured yellow.

Situated in Poverty Bay R.D. (S.O. 1010, brown.)  
In the Gisborne Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57682, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping Government Roads in Blocks VIII, Rangiriri, and V, Hapuakohe Survey Districts.

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

**A PROCLAMATION.**

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in 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 Areas of Road hereby stopped.	Adjoining or passing through	Situated in Block	Situated in Survey District of	Coloured on Plan
A. R. P. 1 1 8	Crown land and Sec. 361	VIII	Rangiriri..	Green.
1 1 10	Secs. 359,360,361	"	" ..	"
0 3 15-4	Secs. 358, 359..	"	" ..	"
0 0 2	Road ..	"	" ..	Red.
1 0 0-6	Secs. 357, 358	V	Hapuakohe	Green.
0 0 3	Road	VIII	Rangiriri..	Red.
0 0 23	" ..	V	Hapuakohe	"
0 2 24-9	Sec. 356 ..	"	"	Green.
1 1 30	Secs. 351,352,356 (Taupiri Parish)	"	"	"
0 0 35-8	Crown land ..	VIII	Rangiriri..	"
0 0 15	" ..	"	" ..	"

(Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 20176.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56643, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.

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

**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

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

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

**SCHEDULE.**

WHAREPUHUNGA 16B No. 3A Block, Wharepapa Survey District: Approximate area, 217 acres 3 roods 3 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 6th day of September, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.

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

**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

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

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

**SCHEDULE.**

PUKENUI 2T Section 1, being Sections 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, and 10, Block XXII, Sections 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, and 10, Block XXIII, Sections 1 and 3, Block XXVI, Sections 1 to 6, Block XXVII, Sections 1 to 20, Block XXVIII, Sections 1 to 12, Block XXIX, and Sections 1 to 10, Block XXX, Te Kuiti Native Township: Area, 34 acres 1 rood 7-13 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 6th day of September, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.

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

**A PROCLAMATION.**

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

TAUMARUNUI Native Township, Subdivision A 8, being Section 15, Block VIII: Area, 1 rood.

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

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.*

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

NGATITU No. 26B 1, being Section 49, Block XI V, Kaipokonui Survey District: Area, 164 acres.

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

J. G. COATES, Native Minister

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.*

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

PUKENUI No. 2A Section 2, being Section 9, Block IX, and Sections 11 and 14, Block X, Te Kuiti Native Township: Area, 2 roods 14.4 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 10th day of September, 1923.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Mangaorongo 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 Mangaorongo Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 6 acres 3 roods 34.5 perches.  
Portion of Rangitoto A No. 14B No. 2 Block, situated in Block III, Mangaorongo Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21/260, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2039, 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 6th day of September, 1923.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Laying out and taking a Road through Rangitoto-Tuhua 29C No. 2A Block, Section 1B, Auckland Land District.*

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 3 rood 7.2 perches.  
Portion of Rangitoto-Tuhua 29C No. 2A Block, Section 1B, situated in Blocks III and VII, Mangaorongo Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21/260, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2039, and thereon coloured purple.

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 6th day of September, 1923.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Amending Order in Council fixing Lighthouse Dues.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 3rd day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the ninth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 25, of the twenty-second day of the same month, lighthouse dues were fixed:

And whereas it is desirable to make further provision in respect thereto, and also to prescribe lighthouse dues to be paid by vessels arriving at the port of Port Craig:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of

the power and authority conferred upon him by section two hundred and eighty-seven of the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the minimum amount of lighthouse dues payable by a vessel on each arrival at any place in New Zealand shall, notwithstanding the rates specified in the Schedule of the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council, be one shilling.

And, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, His Excellency the Governor-General doth hereby order that the lighthouse dues specified in the third column of the Schedule hereto shall be collected on arrival at Port Craig.

And, with the like advice and consent, His Excellency the Governor-General doth further order that this Order in Council shall come into force on and after the date of publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

Port.	Nature of Voyage and Class of Vessels.	Rate per Ton Register.
		s. d.
Port Craig ..	Foreign-going and intercolonial trading ships	0 6
	Home-trade ships .. .. .	0 0½
	Foreign-going and intercolonial pleasure yachts	0 6
	Pleasure yachts plying or voyaging in the home trade	0 0½

Minimum payment in any case, Is.

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

*Amending Regulations under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto, the regulations under the said Act made on the fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventh day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

SCHEDULE.

CLAUSE 20, paragraph (a), of the said regulations is hereby amended by adding the following additional proviso, viz. :—

Provided further that the Minister may, on the production of evidence that the advances as aforesaid are insufficient for the successful working of a farm, authorize advances up to such limits and for such purposes as he deems fit.

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

*Amending Regulations under the Stock Act, 1908, for the Prevention of the Spread of Ticks (Ixodidae) among Cattle. —Notice No. Ag. 2293.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Stock Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by

and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations ; and doth also declare that the said regulations shall come into force on the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations shall be read together with and be deemed part of the regulations (hereinafter termed "the principal regulations") for the prevention of the spread of ticks (*Ixodidae*) among stock made under the Stock Act, 1908, by Order in Council on the 13th day of February, 1922, and gazetted on the 16th February, 1922.

2. Clause 7 of the principal regulations is hereby revoked and the following substituted therefor :—

7. (1.) It shall be the duty of every stockowner in Area A to do all that is reasonably possible to keep his stock free from cattle-tick by—

(a.) Dipping by complete immersion in an effective cattle-tick-destroying solution, which shall contain not less than 7 lb. of arsenious oxide in each 400 gallons of water ; or

(b.) Treating by some other effective method authorized by the Inspector.

(2.) In any case where a stockowner fails to comply with the requirements of subsection (1) hereof to the satisfaction of the Inspector, that officer may give to such stockowner notice to dip or otherwise treat his stock so as to ensure the destruction of all cattle-ticks upon them, and it shall be the duty of such stockowner to comply with such notice within the time stated therein.

(3.) The provisions of subsections (1) and (2) hereof shall also apply in the case of stockowners in Area B upon whose property ticks have been found to be present.

3. Clause 10 of the principal regulations is hereby revoked.

4. Clause 12 of the principal regulations is hereby amended by the insertion of the figure " 1 " after the word " subclause " in line four.

5. (1.) Any person desiring to remove sheep from Area A must first obtain a permit in the following form from an Inspector, or some other person authorized by an Inspector, authorizing their removal, and such sheep may thereafter leave Area A only at the place and within the time specified in such permit.

(2.) If sheep intended to be removed from Area A are found to be harbouring ticks, a permit shall not be issued unless and until such sheep have been so treated as to ensure the complete destruction of all cattle-ticks upon the legs by immersion in an effective tick-destroying fluid, or by some other effective method at the discretion of the Inspector, or on the head by spraying or sponging with the same fluid ; provided that the provisions of this subsection shall not operate where sheep are being removed for immediate slaughter at a duly licensed slaughtering-place.

Dominion of New Zealand.

Department of Agriculture, Live-stock Division.

PERMIT TO REMOVE SHEEP FROM INFESTED AREA " A. "

IN pursuance of the regulations for the prevention of the spread of cattle-tick amongst stock, you are hereby authorized to remove from Area " A " at \_\_\_\_\_ head of sheep, not later than the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 . Immediately before the sheep are removed this permit must be delivered to

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 .

Authorizing Officer.

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

*Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

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

SCHEDULE.	£
TIMARU Borough Council (for waterworks) ..	31,000
Timaru Borough Council (for streets, kerbing, and channelling) ..	10,000
Timaru Borough Council (for completing drainage-works) ..	7,000
Lower Hutt Borough Council (for purchasing certain land in the borough) ..	14,000
Papakura Town Board (for completing the water-supply) ..	5,000
Heathcote County Council (for erecting workers' dwellings in the Mount Pleasant Riding) ..	4,000
Heathcote County Council (for roading in Bromley Riding) ..	1,500
Green Island Borough Council (for sanitary works) ..	1,500
Franklin County Council (for metalling Runciman-Paerata Road) ..	1,200
Franklin County Council (for construction of bridges, wharf, and approaches) ..	300
Masterton Borough Council (for repaying existing loan) ..	984
Waikato County Council (for metalling roads in the Komakorau S.R.A.) ..	900
Waitomo County Council (for widening, culverting, reforming, and metalling portion of the Ohura-Mokau Road) ..	650
Upper Hutt Town Board (for meeting Board's share of the cost of the Pakuratahi River, Miller's Stream, and Stokes Valley Stream Bridges) ..	500
Hungahunga Drainage Board (for drainage in Waitero S.R.A.) ..	350
Waotu Rabbit-proof Fencing Board (for erecting rabbit-proof fences around the boundaries of the district) ..	300

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

Constituting the Kiwitea Rabbit District.—Notice No. Ag 2294.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section sixty-nine of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), as amended by the Rabbit Nuisance Amendment Act, 1918, it is provided that the Governor-General may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, on petition in that behalf from a majority of the ratepayers therein, constitute and declare any part of New Zealand defined in such Order in Council a district for the purposes of Part III of the said Act :

And whereas a petition in accordance with the provisions of the said Act has been received, asking that the lands described in the Schedule hereto be constituted and declared a rabbit district for the purposes of Part III of the said Act :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the said Act and its amendments, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby constitute by the specific name of "the Kiwitea Rabbit District" and declare that part of New Zealand defined in the Schedule hereto to be a district for the purposes of Part III of the said Act ; and doth hereby further declare that the Board of Trustees for the said district shall in terms of the said Act consist of seven members.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area comprising the County of Kiwitea, excluding the area embracing the Cheltenham Rabbit District described in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 3rd May, 1923.

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

Vesting certain Tidal Lands in the Bay of Islands Harbour Board.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by section three of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1922, that the Governor-General may, by Order in Council, vest in the Bay of Islands Harbour Board, in trust, without power of sale, as a harbour endowment such portions of tidal lands within the port of Bay of Islands as may be described in such Order :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby vest in the Bay of Islands Harbour Board, in trust, without power of sale, as a harbour endowment, those portions of the tidal lands within the port of the Bay of Islands more particularly described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing three (3) acres one (1) rood seven (7) perches, more or less, being portion of land lying between mean high- and mean low-water marks at Kororareka Bay, Bay of Islands, and situated in Block I, Russell Survey District, Bay of Islands County. Bounded on the east generally, commencing at the point of intersection of the south boundary of The Strand with mean high-water mark, by The Strand, the mouth of a creek, and by portion of Lot 6 of Section 1, Town of Russell ; on the north-west by a right line, 145 links ; on the west generally by mean low-water mark ; and on the south by a right line, 85 links, to the place of commencement. As the same is more particularly delineated in sheet 1 of the plan marked M.D. 5705, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and therein coloured red.

All that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing three (3) acres three (3) roods, more or less, being portion of land lying between mean high- and mean low-water marks at Opuā, Bay of Islands, and situated in Block V, Russell Survey District, Bay of Islands County. Bounded on the south and west generally, commencing at the point of intersection of the north-west boundary of railway land with mean high-water mark by Beechey, Richardson, and other public streets in the Town of Opuā ; on the north-east by a right line, 75 links ; on the east and north generally by mean low-water mark ; and on the south-east by railway land, 110 links, to the place of commencement. As the same is more particularly delineated in sheet 2 of the plan marked M.D. 5705, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and therein coloured red.

All that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing ten (10) acres two (2) roods twenty-two (22) perches, more or less, being portion of land lying between mean high- and mean low-water marks at Matauhi Bay, Bay of Islands, and situated in Block I, Russell Survey District, Bay of Islands County. Bounded on the north generally, commencing at the point of intersection of the south-west side of Matauhi Road with mean high-water mark, by a public road between Matauhi and Brind roads ; thence by Lots 62, 63, and 64 of deposited plan 16246 ; on the east by portions of Old Land Claim No. 128 shown in deposited plans 3389 and 4415 ; on the south-east by a right line, 105 links ; on the south-west, south, and south-east generally by mean low-water mark ; on the south-west by a right line, 80 links ; and on the west generally by portion of Old Land Claim No. 128 shown in deposited plan 10189 to the place of commencement. As the same is more particularly delineated in sheet 3 of the plan marked M.D. 5705, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and therein coloured red.

All that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing eight (8) acres, more or less, being portion of land lying between high-water mark bounding portion of Old Land Claim 431, and mean low-water mark at Onewhero Bay, Bay of Islands, and situated in Block XIII, Kerikeri Survey District, Bay of Islands County. As the same is more particularly delineated in sheet 4 of the plan marked M.D. 5705, deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and therein coloured red.

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



*The Samoan Legislative Council (Elective Membership) Order, 1923.*

JELLCOE, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority to make regulations for the peace, order, and good government of the Territory of Western Samoa conferred upon him by the Samoa Act, 1921, and in pursuance of the authority contained in section six of the Samoa Amendment Act, 1923, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Samoa Legislative Council (Elective Membership) Order, 1923, and shall come into force on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

## INTERPRETATION.

2. In this Order, and in any Acts incorporated therein, if not inconsistent with the context,—

“Candidate” means any man who has been nominated as a candidate for election to the Legislative Council under this Order :

“Election” means election of a member of the Legislative Council under this Order :

“Elector” means any person entitled under this Order to vote at an election :

“Public notice” means publication in a newspaper published in Apia, Samoa, and (if there is no such newspaper) publication by placards posted in conspicuous places at the offices (if any) of the Resident Commissioners at Savai'i and Aleipata, and at the post-office, Apia, and at any other place or places in Samoa the Administrator deems fit :

“Registered elector” means an elector whose name is entered on the electoral roll :

“Registrar” means any person appointed a Registrar under this Order :

“Returning Officer” means any person appointed to conduct elections under this Order :

“Roll” and “electoral roll” mean any roll made in manner provided by this Order, containing the names of the persons entitled to vote at an election.

## ELECTIVE MEMBERSHIP.

3. The Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council of Samoa shall be partly elected and partly nominated members.

4. The number of elected members aforesaid shall be three.

## QUALIFICATIONS OF CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION.

5. Subject to the provisions of this Order, every person who is a natural-born British subject, or was born in Samoa, and who is a registered elector, but no other person, is qualified to be a candidate for election and to be elected to the Legislative Council as an elected member : Provided that a person shall not be so elected—

(a.) Who is disqualified as an elector under any provision of these regulations ; or

- (b.) Who, being a bankrupt within the meaning of the bankruptcy laws in force in Samoa, has not obtained an order of discharge under such laws ; or
- (c.) Who is in receipt of salary from the Samoan Treasury.
6. Every elected member who sits or votes in the Council being disqualified under paragraphs (a), (b), or (c) of clause five hereof, knowing himself to be so disqualified, is liable to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds for every day whereon he so sits or votes.
7. Any elected member ceasing to be on the roll shall not, from that cause only, be disqualified from sitting as a member.
8. The seat of any elected member shall become vacant—
- (a.) If on three consecutive sitting-days he fails, without permission of the Administrator, to give his attendance in the Council ; or
- (b.) If he takes any oath or makes any declaration or acknowledgment of allegiance, obedience, or adherence to any foreign Prince or Power ; or
- (c.) If he does, or concurs in, or adopts any act whereby he may become a subject or citizen of any foreign State or Power, or entitled to the rights, privileges, or immunities of a subject of any foreign State or Power ; or
- (d.) If he becomes a bankrupt within the meaning of the laws relating to bankruptcy in force in Samoa ; or
- (e.) If he is convicted of any offence punishable by death or by imprisonment for a term of one year or upwards, or is convicted of a corrupt practice ; or
- (f.) If he becomes a member of the Samoan Public Service ; or
- (g.) If he resigns his seat by writing under his hand addressed and delivered to the Administrator ; or
- (h.) If on an election petition the Court declares his election void ; or
- (i.) If he dies ; or
- (j.) If he becomes of unsound mind and is so certified by the Chief Medical Officer and one other Medical Officer.
9. The Registrar of the High Court shall forthwith after adjudication as a bankrupt of an elected member, or after his conviction of an offence as aforesaid, notify the fact to the Administrator.
10. The Registrar of Deaths by whom the death of any elected member is registered shall, within twelve hours of making such registration, notify the fact to the Administrator.

#### QUALIFICATION OF ELECTORS.

11. (1.) The elected members shall be chosen by the votes of the inhabitants of Samoa who possess the following qualifications, that is to say :—
- Every male person of or over the age of twenty-one years,—
- (a.) Who has continuously resided in Samoa for one year, and is—
- (i.) The legitimate son of parents of European descent ;
- or
- (ii.) The legitimate son of a father who is a European ;
- or
- (iii.) Registered as a “ European ” under the Samoa Registration of Europeans Regulations, 1920 ; and
- (b.) Who is possessed of—
- (i.) Freehold or leasehold property, or both, within Samoa of the capital value of not less than two hundred pounds, upon which property he is liable to pay any tax by virtue of an Ordinance in force in Samoa ; or
- (ii.) An annual income derived from salary of not less than two hundred pounds earned in Samoa, and upon which he is liable to pay any tax aforesaid ;

is entitled (subject to the provisions of this Order) to be registered as an elector and to vote at the election of the elected members of the Legislative Council.

(2.) For the purposes of subparagraphs (i) and (ii) of paragraph (a) of subclause one of this clause, the word "European" shall have its ordinary meaning and not the meaning assigned to it by section three of the Samoa Act, 1921.

(3.) For the purposes of this clause a person shall be deemed to have continuously resided in Samoa notwithstanding his occasional absence therefrom, and notwithstanding his absence on leave from his occupation.

12. (1.) A person of unsound mind or a person convicted in Samoa of an offence punishable by death or by imprisonment for one year or upwards, unless such offender has received a free pardon or has undergone the sentence or punishment to which he was adjudged for such offence, shall not be entitled to be registered.

(2.) The name of every person disqualified as aforesaid shall be erased from the electoral roll.

#### REGISTRATION OF ELECTORS.

13. (1.) The Administrator may from time to time—

(a.) Appoint a Registrar, a Returning Officer, and such clerks and other officers as are required to carry the provisions of this Order into execution; and

(b.) Appoint a substitute to any such officer, to act in the case of the sickness or absence of such officer.

(2.) Every substitute while so acting shall have all the duties, powers, and authorities of the officer for whom he is acting.

(3.) No Returning Officer shall hold any official position in connection with any political organization.

(4.) The Returning Officer shall not vote at any election, except in the case of an equality of votes.

(5.) Every person appointed under this clause shall hold office during the Administrator's pleasure.

(6.) Such salaries or allowances shall be paid to the several persons appointed or holding office under this clause as are from time to time fixed by the Administrator.

14. (1.) Every person making any claim, application, or declaration under this Order shall sign the same in the presence of the Registrar, or other officer appointed under clause thirteen hereof, or a Postmaster, or an elector, and transmit such claim as aforesaid to the Registrar.

(2.) The claim, application, or declaration shall be signed by the claimant, applicant, or declarant with his own hand, or, if he cannot write, his mark shall be attested by a Postmaster or the Registrar, or by some person authorized in that behalf by the Registrar.

(3.) The Registrar shall reject as informal every such document that is not complete in all particulars and duly signed as herein required.

15. Every person qualified to be registered as an elector shall (subject to the provisions of this Order) be entitled to have his name entered and retained upon a roll to be made hereunder, and (unless his name is already on the roll) shall for that purpose deliver or send by post to the Registrar a claim and declaration in the form numbered (1) in the First Schedule hereto.

16. (1.) If the Registrar is satisfied after due inquiry that any claim for enrolment is valid, he shall forthwith enter the name of the claimant on the roll.

(2.) If he is not so satisfied, he shall, within five days following the receipt of the claim, notify the claimant in writing of his objection

to enter his name on the roll ; and the claimant may, within five days of such notice, apply to a Judge of the High Court to hear his claim to be entered on the roll ; and the Judge may hear and determine such claim, and either order the name of the applicant to be entered on the roll by the Registrar, or order such name not to be so entered, and the Registrar shall obey any such order accordingly.

17. It shall be the duty of the Registrar to make the roll as complete as possible, and with that object from time to time to place thereon the name of every person who has transmitted a claim to the Registrar and of whose qualifications he is satisfied ; and it shall further be his duty to assure himself of the right of every person enrolled to have his name retained on the roll, and to remove the name of every dead person from the roll.

#### OBJECTIONS AND ALTERATIONS.

18. (1.) Any name on a roll may be objected to either by an elector or by the Registrar.

(2.) If the objection is by an elector the following provisions shall apply :—

- (a.) The objection shall be in writing lodged with the Registrar setting forth the grounds thereof, and may be in the form numbered (2) in the First Schedule hereto.
- (b.) On receipt of any such objection the Registrar shall forthwith give notice in writing to the person objected to, setting forth the objection and the grounds thereof.
- (c.) If the person objected to does not, within ten days after the service of such notice, cause his name to be removed from the roll, or satisfy the Registrar that he is entitled to have his name retained on the roll, the Registrar shall apply to a Judge of the High Court, who shall forthwith issue a summons in the form numbered (3) in the First Schedule hereto.
- (d.) The Registrar shall also give notice in writing to the objector of the time and place appointed for the hearing.
- (e.) If at the time and place appointed for the hearing the objector, or some person appointed in writing by him, fails to appear, the case shall be dismissed.
- (f.) It shall be the duty of the Registrar also to appear, but the case may be determined in his absence.
- (g.) The Registrar may, if he thinks fit, and the objector so requests in writing, appear for the objector at the hearing.
- (h.) The person objected to may, on the hearing of the objection, either—
  - (i.) Appear in person or by some person appointed in writing by him ; or
  - (ii.) Forward by post, addressed to the Registrar, a statement made by him, and signed before another elector, setting forth reasons for his remaining on the roll.
- (i.) If the person objected to fails either to appear or to forward a statement as aforesaid, the Judge of the High Court shall make an order that his name be removed from the roll.
- (j.) If the objector appears, and the person objected to either appears or forwards a statement as aforesaid, the Judge of the High Court shall hear and determine the objection, and shall direct the Registrar to retain the name on the roll or to remove it therefrom, or to make such amendment of the roll as may be necessary to give effect to such determination.
- (k.) In any such proceedings the burden of producing evidence in support of the objection shall be on the objector and not on the Registrar.

- (l.) If any such objection is in the opinion of the Judge of the High Court vexatious, or frivolous, or unreasonable, he may order the objector to pay the costs or part of the costs of the hearing, and a reasonable allowance to the person objected to, and any such order may be enforced in the same manner as an order of the High Court.
  - (m.) No grounds of objection shall be entertained except those specifically stated in the summons.
  - (n.) If any objection is on the ground that the person objected to has been convicted of any offence mentioned or referred to in clause twelve hereof, the objector shall specify in his notice of objection the Court and approximate date at which the conviction was had, and if he fails so to do the objection shall not be entertained.
  - (o.) The Registrar, on receipt of any such last-mentioned objection, shall request the Registrar of the High Court where the person objected to is stated to have been convicted either to contradict the statement or to furnish a certificate of the conviction under the seal of the Court.
  - (p.) The Registrar of the High Court shall comply with such request, and any such certificate shall, unless the person objected to satisfies the Registrar that he has received a free pardon, or has undergone the sentence or punishment to which he was adjudged for the offence for which he was convicted, be sufficient warrant to the Registrar to remove from the roll the name of the person so certified to have been convicted.
- (3.) If the objection is by the Registrar, the following provisions shall apply :—
- (a.) The Registrar shall give notice in writing to the person objected to of the grounds of the objection, and that unless notice of appeal is given within a time stated (being not less than seven days) the name of the elector will be removed from the roll without further proceedings.
  - (b.) The notice of objection shall be in the form numbered (4) in the First Schedule hereto, and a form of notice of appeal shall be annexed thereto.
  - (c.) If the person objected to does not within the time stated in the notice cause his name to be removed from the roll, or satisfy the Registrar that he is entitled to have his name retained on the roll, or fails to give notice of appeal, the Registrar shall remove the name forthwith.
  - (d.) If notice of appeal is duly given, the Registrar shall (unless he is satisfied as to the right of the person objected to to have his name retained on the roll) set down the objection for hearing before a Judge of the High Court, who shall appoint a time and place for the hearing.
  - (e.) The Registrar shall give notice to the person objected to of the time and place so appointed.
  - (f.) If at the time and place appointed for the hearing the Registrar fails to appear, the objection shall be dismissed.
  - (g.) The person objected to may, on the hearing of the objection, either—
    - (i.) Appear in person or by some person appointed in writing by him ; or
    - (ii.) Forward by post, addressed to the Registrar, a statement made by him, and signed before another elector, setting forth reasons for his remaining on the roll.
  - (h.) If the person objected to fails either to appear or to forward a statement as aforesaid, the Judge of the High Court shall make an order that his name be removed from the roll.

- (i.) If the Registrar appears, and the person objected to appears or forwards a statement as aforesaid, the Judge of the High Court shall hear and determine the objection, and shall direct the Registrar to retain the name on the roll, or to remove it therefrom, or to make such amendment of the roll as may be necessary to give effect to such determination.
- (j.) No grounds of objection shall be entertained except those specifically stated in the notice of objection.

19. Notwithstanding anything in this Order, the Registrar, on being satisfied that the name of any person has been omitted or removed from the roll by mistake or clerical error, or through false information, may restore the name of such person to the roll at any time not later than fourteen clear days before the day appointed for the election.

20. (1.) Except as provided in the last preceding clause, it shall not be lawful for the Registrar to enter on or remove from the roll the name of any person after the day of publication in the *Western Samoa Gazette* of the appointment by the Administrator of the day fixed for the election.

(2.) If the Registrar offends against the provisions of this clause he is liable to a fine of twenty pounds for every name so improperly entered on or removed from the roll.

#### THE ELECTORAL ROLL.

21. (1.) In every year in which an election is to be held the roll shall be closed on a date to be fixed by the Administrator, and after that date no names shall be added to the roll until after that election.

(2.) As soon as practicable after the closing of the roll, the Registrar shall cause the roll to be printed containing the names, numbered consecutively in alphabetical order, of all persons whose names are lawfully on the roll.

(3.) The roll shall be in the form numbered (5) in the First Schedule hereto, and shall be issued under the hand of the Registrar.

22. Such printed roll so formed, signed, added to, or altered from time to time as herein provided shall for the time being be the electoral roll for Samoa.

23. The several persons whose names are on the said roll, and no other person, shall be entitled to vote at any election of elected members.

24. A printed copy of the roll shall be kept for inspection by the public without payment during office hours at the office of the Registrar at Apia, at the post-office in Apia, and at the offices of the Resident Commissioners in Savai'i and at Aleipata, and at such other convenient places in Samoa as the Registrar directs.

25. Printed copies of the roll, certified as correct by the Registrar, shall be supplied by him to the Returning Officer as the same are required from time to time for the purpose of conducting any election.

#### OFFENCES WITH RESPECT TO CLAIMS, ETC.

26. Every person who knowingly makes a false statement in any claim, application, or declaration mentioned or referred to in this Order is liable to a fine of twenty pounds or to three months' imprisonment.

27. Every person is liable for each offence to a fine of fifty pounds who—

- (a.) Wilfully misleads the Registrar in the compilation of the electoral roll, or wilfully enters or causes to be entered therein any false or fictitious name or qualification or the name of any person whom he knows to be dead; or
- (b.) Signs the name of any other person, whether requested to do so or not, or any false or fictitious name, to any form of

claim, application, or objection for the purpose of this Order either as claimant, applicant, objector, or witness; or

- (c.) Signs his name as witness to any signature upon any such form of claim or objection without having seen such signature written, or without hearing the person signing declare that the signature is his own handwriting and that the name so signed is his own proper name.

28. Every person is liable to a fine of twenty pounds who, having obtained possession of a claim for enrolment signed by any other person for the purpose of being delivered to the Registrar for enrolment, fails so to deliver it so that the claimant's name is not placed on the roll.

#### ELECTION OF MEMBERS.

29. The first election of members to the Legislative Council shall take place on a day to be fixed by the Administrator, such day not being later than six calendar months after the making of this Order, and succeeding elections shall take place in every third year, commencing from the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, on a day in the month of November to be fixed by the Administrator.

30. For every election of members aforesaid the Administrator shall give notice in writing to the Returning Officer not less than twenty-eight clear days before the day fixed for the election.

31. Not less than twenty-one clear days before an election the Returning Officer shall give public notice of such election, and shall in such notice appoint a place in Apia and a day not less than five nor more than ten days (exclusive of the day of election) before the election for the nomination of candidates.

32. No person shall be deemed to be a candidate for election unless nominated as follows:—

A nomination-paper in the form numbered (6) in the First Schedule, signed by two electors and by the candidate in token of his assent to such nomination, shall be delivered to the Returning Officer or addressed to him and delivered at the place named in the said public notice at any time after the publication thereof and before noon of the day appointed therein.

33. For the purposes of all elections under this Order, and subject to this Order and any other Order in Council which may be in force in Samoa, the Acts mentioned in the Second Schedule hereto to the extent of the provisions specified in such Schedule shall, as far as applicable and with the necessary modifications, be in force in Samoa as fully and effectually as if such provisions had been set out and incorporated in this Order:

Provided that every reference in such provisions to "Returning Officer" shall be read as a reference to the Returning Officer appointed under this Order, and every reference to a "Justice" or "Magistrate" shall be read as a reference to a Judge of the High Court, and every reference to any "Magistrate's Court" or "Court" shall be read as a reference to the High Court; and the words "or a Commissioner of the High Court" shall be added after the words "the Returning Officer" where they occur in subsection three of section thirteen of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908; and the words "for the district" shall be deleted from subsection (c) of section fourteen of the last-mentioned Act; and the words "for every vote he is entitled to give" shall be deleted from section twenty-one thereof; and the word "Samoa" shall be substituted for all the words after "for" in subclause (a) of subsection one of section twenty-two thereof; and the words "in the High Court" shall be substituted for all the words after "obtained" in subsection one of section fifty-two thereof; and the words "Samoan Treasury" shall be substituted for the word "Crown" in subsection two of section fifty-two thereof.

34. If at any election under this Order the number of candidates does not equal the number to be elected, the Governor-General may appoint such number of persons qualified to be elected members of the Council under this Order as will, with the candidates already elected, make up the number required, and such persons so appointed shall be deemed to be and shall continue as elected members of the Council for the same period as the candidates who were declared elected at such election after nomination.

35. If the seat of any elected member becomes vacant during the term for which such member was elected or was deemed to be elected, the Governor-General may appoint a person duly qualified as aforesaid to fill such vacancy. A member so appointed shall retain his seat for so long as the member whose seat became vacant would have retained it if such vacancy had not occurred.

36. Every declaration to be made under this Order may be made before a Judge or Commissioner of the High Court as well as before a Returning Officer or Deputy Returning Officer, as the case may be.

37. Every person is liable to a fine not exceeding twenty pounds who—

- (a.) Procures himself to be nominated as a candidate for election as a member of the Legislative Council knowing himself to be incapable under the provisions of this Order of holding such office ; or
- (b.) Signs any nomination-paper purporting to nominate to such office a person who is, to the knowledge of the person so signing, incapable as aforesaid ; or
- (c.) Signs any nomination-paper knowing himself not to be qualified to vote at the election of the candidate so nominated.

#### TENURE OF OFFICE.

38. Every elected member of the Council shall come into office on the date of his election, and shall, unless his office sooner becomes vacant, continue to hold his seat until the election of members which takes place next after the date of his election, and no longer.

#### VALIDITY OF ELECTIONS.

39. (1.) An election shall not be questioned by reason only of a defect in the title or any want of title of the person by or before whom the election was held, if such person was actually appointed or was acting in the office giving a right to preside at that election.

(2.) An election shall not be declared invalid by reason of any irregularity in any of the proceedings preliminary to the polling, or by reason of any failure to hold a poll at any place appointed for holding a poll or to comply with the directions contained or incorporated in this Order as to taking of the poll or the counting of the votes, or by reason of any mistake in the use of the forms contained or incorporated in this Order, if it appears to the Judge having cognizance of the question that the election or poll was conducted in accordance with the principles laid down in and by this Order, and that such irregularity, failure, or mistake did not affect the result of the election or poll.

(3.) Where anything is omitted to be done or cannot be done at the time required by or under this Order, or is done after such time, or is otherwise irregularly done in matter of form, or sufficient provision is not made by or under this Order, the Administrator may, by Proclamation gazetted in the *Western Samoa Gazette*, at any time before or after the time within which such thing is required to be done, extend such time or may validate anything so done after the time required or so irregularly done in matter of form, or make other provision for such case as he thinks fit.



FIRST SCHEDULE.

Form No. (1).

CLAIM FOR ENROLMENT.

To the Registrar of Electors for Western Samoa.

I, [*Name in full*], hereby claim to have my name inserted on the electoral roll for Western Samoa; and I declare that the answers to the following questions are true and correct in every particular:—

1. Have you attained the age of twenty-one years?
2. Have you continuously resided in Western Samoa for one year?
3. Are you already enrolled on the electoral roll?
4. What is your present full residential address?
5. What is your occupation?
6. (a.) Are you the legitimate son of parents of European descent?  
 (b.) Are you the legitimate son of a father who is a European?  
 (c.) Are you registered as a "European" under the Samoa Registration of Europeans Regulations, 1920?
7. (a.) Are you possessed of freehold or leasehold property, or both, within Western Samoa?  
 (b.) What is the capital value thereof?  
 (c.) Are you liable to pay any tax on such property; and, if so, what tax?  
 (d.) Are you in possession of an annual income derived from salary of not less than £200 earned in Western Samoa?  
 (e.) Are you liable to pay any tax on such salary?

[*Signature of claimant.*]

Signed and declared by the claimant this                      day of                      , 192 .

Witness:

Residential address of witness:

....., Registrar.

[*Or other appointed officer, or Postmaster, or Elector.*]

Form No. (2).

NOTICE OF OBJECTION BY ELECTOR.

To the Registrar of Electors for Western Samoa.

I HEREBY give you notice that I object to the name of A. B., of                      , being retained on the electoral roll for Western Samoa; and the grounds of my objection are the following: [*Here state grounds*].

Dated this                      day of                      , 19 .

G. H.

Form No. (3).

SUMMONS TO ANSWER OBJECTION.

To

YOU are hereby summoned to attend at the High Court to be held at                      on the day of                      , at the hour of                      o'clock in the                      noon, to prove your right to have your name retained on the electoral roll for Western Samoa. If you do not attend your name will be removed from the said roll.

Given under my hand at                      this                      day of                      , 19 .  
 ..... , Judge of the High Court.

The grounds of objection to your name remaining on the roll are as follows: [*Here set out grounds of objection as stated in the notice of objection*].

Form No. (4).

REGISTRAR'S OBJECTION TO ENROLMENT.

To

TAKE notice that I object to the retention of your name on the electoral roll for Western Samoa on the following grounds: [*Here state grounds*].

Unless the annexed notice of appeal is signed by you and returned to me within                      days from this date, your name will be removed from the roll.

Dated this                      day of                      , 19 .

....., Registrar.

Part of Form No. (4).

NOTICE OF APPEAL.

To the Registrar of Electors for Western Samoa.

TAKE notice that I appeal from your objection to the retention of my name on the electoral roll for Western Samoa on the following grounds: [*Here state grounds*].

Dated this                      day of                      , 19 .

[*Signature and address.*]

Form No. (5).

## ELECTORAL ROLL FOR WESTERN SAMOA.

Roll of Persons entitled to vote for Elected Members of Legislative Council.

Number on Roll.	Name in Full, Residence, and Occupation.	Qualification.

....., Registrar.

Form No. (3).

## NOMINATION-PAPER.

To the Returning Officer of Western Samoa.

WE, A. B. and C. D., being two qualified electors for Western Samoa, hereby nominate X. Y. with his consent, as a candidate at the election of elected members of the Legislative Council, the poll whereof is appointed for the                      day of                      , 19                      .

Dated this                      day of                      , 19                      .

A. B.

C. D.

[Full names, residences, and occupations  
of two or more electors nominating.]

I, X. Y., do hereby consent to the above nomination.

X. Y., of [Residence and occupation].

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

LOCAL Elections and Polls Act, 1908.—Sections 9 to 16, 17 (excepting the proviso thereto), 18 to 22, 23, subsection (1), 24 to 26, 30, 31, 32, and 45 to 54. Second Schedule forms (1), (2), (3), (4), and (5); and Third Schedule form (1).

Local Elections and Polls Amendment Act, 1911.—Section 2.

Local Elections and Polls Amendment Act, 1913.—Sections 6 to 12, 16 to 19, and 22 (excluding the words “on summary conviction before two Justices”).

Legislature Act, 1908.—Sections 215 to 218 (modified by substituting for the words “House of Representatives” the words “Legislative Council” in paragraphs (c) and (d) of the said section 215).

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Cook Islands Trades and Industries Regulations, 1923.*

JELLCOE, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by section fifty-three of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, to make all such regulations as he thinks necessary for the peace, order, or good government of the Cook Islands, and of every other power and authority enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations with respect to trades and industries in the Cook Islands; and, with the like advice and consent, doth declare that the regulations hereby made shall come into operation on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

## REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations may be cited as the Cook Islands Trades and Industries Regulations, 1923.

2. In these regulations “industry” means and includes any trade, business, profession, or undertaking whatsoever carried on for the purpose of profit.

3. The Resident Commissioner shall have power and authority—

- (a.) To obtain, by means of investigation under these regulations or otherwise, information as to the industries of the Cook Islands;
- (b.) To publish with respect to these industries, in such manner as he thinks fit, such information as he deems to be of advantage to the public;
- (c.) To exercise such other functions relative to those industries as may be lawfully conferred upon him.

4. (1.) The Resident Commissioner may, in pursuance of this clause, make an investigation into any matter whatsoever relative to any industry carried on or proposed to be carried on in the Cook Islands, or relative to any industry whatever carried on which may affect the industries of the Cook Islands, for the purpose of obtaining information which may be required for the due control, regulation, and maintenance of the industries of the Cook Islands; the due observance, enforcement, or amendment of the laws relative thereto; the discovery of breaches of those laws; the prevention or suppression of monopolies, unfair competition, and other practices detrimental to the public welfare; the proper regulation in the public interest of the prices of goods and the rates of services; or for any other purpose relative to the industries of the Cook Islands.

(2.) For the purpose of any such investigation the Resident Commissioner may by order require any person, firm, or body corporate engaged or concerned or supposed to be engaged or concerned in any industry to answer in writing, within such time and in such form as the Resident Commissioner thinks fit, any questions which relate to that industry or to the connection of that person, firm, or body corporate therewith, or to any other matter within the purpose of these regulations.

(3.) For the purpose of such investigation the Resident Commissioner may by order require any person, firm, or body corporate engaged or concerned or supposed to be engaged or concerned in any industry to produce for his inspection, or of any officer or other person nominated by him in that behalf, any books or documents in the possession or control of that person, firm, or body corporate relative to any matter affecting that industry, and to allow copies of or extracts from such books or documents to be made by the person so inspecting them.

(4.) If default is made by any person, firm, or body corporate in obedience to any order of the Resident Commissioner under this clause, such person or body corporate, and each member of such firm, and every person who counsels, procures, or is otherwise knowingly concerned in such default, shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding £50.

(5.) Every person who deceives, obstructs, or attempts to deceive or obstruct the Resident Commissioner, or any other person nominated by him as aforesaid, in the conduct of such investigation shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding £50, or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months.

(6.) All information obtained by the Resident Commissioner, or any officer nominated by him as aforesaid, by means of any such investigation shall be treated as confidential, subject only to the right of publication expressly conferred upon the Resident Commissioner by these regulations.

5. So far as such publication is deemed by the Resident Commissioner to be expedient in the public interest, it shall be lawful for him from time to time to publish, in such manner as he thinks fit, any information obtained by him in the course of any investigation under these regulations, and any report, findings, recommendations, or comments made with respect thereto by the Resident Commissioner.

6. The publication of any such matter by the Resident Commissioner and the republication by any other person of any matter published by the Resident Commissioner, or of any part of such matter, shall be absolutely privileged, and the matter so published or republished shall be a lawful subject of comment within the meaning of the law of defamation, and no action shall be brought by any person for the publication or republication of such matter whether on the ground of defamation or otherwise.

7. The liability of any employer or principal to any fine for offences against these regulations committed by a servant or agent in the course of his employment shall be determined by the same principles as those which determine the liability of that employer or principal for civil injuries done by that servant or agent, and such offence shall be deemed to have been committed by the principal or employer accordingly.

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

*Cook Islands Native Companies Regulations, 1923.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by section fifty-three of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, to make all such regulations as he thinks necessary for the peace, order, or good government of the Cook Islands, and of every other power and authority enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations with respect to Native companies; and, with the like advice and consent, doth declare that the regulations hereby made shall come into operation on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

## REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations may be cited as the Cook Islands Native Companies Regulations, 1923.

2. In these regulations, unless a different intention appears,—

“Directors” means and includes all persons by whatsoever name called having the general control or management of the business or affairs of a Native company :

“Manager” means and includes any officer of a Native company, however designated, having the management of the business or affairs of a Native company, whether under the control of directors or not; but does not include a person who is merely secretary :

“Member” means any person who is directly a member of a Native company, or who, through any other member, may have any liability or receive any benefit from the operations of such Native company :

“Native company” or “company” means a company, association, or partnership (whether incorporated or not) consisting of ten or more members five of whom at least are Natives :

“Registrar” means the Registrar of Native Companies under these regulations, and includes an Assistant Registrar.

3. (1.) No Native company shall be formed for the purpose of carrying on any business, or shall continue to carry on business, that has for its object the acquisition of gain by the company, or by the individual members thereof, unless it is registered as a Native company under these regulations.

(2.) Failure to so register shall be an offence on the part of every member of such company, and shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding £50.

(3.) Notwithstanding registration under these regulations, the members of any Native company not registered under the Companies Act, 1908, or formed in pursuance of some Act of the Imperial Parliament or of the General Assembly of New Zealand, or by Royal Charter, or Letters Patent, shall remain jointly and severally liable for the whole of the debts of such Native company.

4. The Resident Commissioner may from time to time—

- (a.) Appoint a Registrar of Native Companies ;
- (b.) Determine the place or places at which offices for the registration of Native companies are to be established ;
- (c.) Appoint Assistant Registrars as he thinks fit ;
- (d.) Appoint such officers and clerks as he thinks necessary for the registration of Native companies under these regulations ;
- (e.) Make such rules and regulations as he thinks fit prescribing the duties and powers of a Registrar, Assistant Registrar, officers, and clerks as aforesaid ;
- (f.) Direct a seal or seals to be prepared for the authentication of any document required for or in connection with the registration of any Native company.

5. The Registrar shall keep at each office for the registration of Native companies a register, in which there shall be recorded all matters required by these regulations to be recorded.

6. Where the Registrar or other officer is empowered by these regulations to do any act for which a fee is payable, he may refuse to do such act until the fee is paid.

7. Every person may inspect any document lodged with the Registrar on payment of the fee prescribed for such inspection.

8. Any copy of or extract from any document or part of a document kept and registered at any office for the registration of Native companies shall, if duly certified to be a true copy under the hand of the Registrar, without proof of the signature of the Registrar, be received in evidence in all proceedings, civil or criminal, as of equal validity with the original documents.

9. (1.) Every proposed Native company shall nominate a manager thereof, and after registration shall at all times continue to have some person nominated or appointed as its manager.

(2.) Every application to register a Native company shall contain the following particulars:—

- (a.) The name of the proposed Native company.
- (b.) The objects for which such proposed Native company is to be established.
- (c.) The place at which the registered office of such Native company is to be established.
- (d.) The amount of capital (if any) of the Native company, and the shares into which the same is to be divided.
- (e.) The names of—
  - (1.) All members of the Native company and their respective shares in the capital (if any);
  - (2.) The directors thereof;
  - (3.) The manager thereof;
  - (4.) The secretary thereof.
- (f.) The remuneration of whatever kind and from whatever source payable to—
  - (1.) Each director;
  - (2.) The manager;
  - (3.) The secretary;
  - (4.) Any other officer of the company.

Such application shall be signed by the nominated manager of the company, who shall certify to the correctness of the above particulars.

(3.) The Registrar, upon being satisfied as to the correctness of the above particulars, and upon receipt of the prescribed fee, shall issue a certificate of registration in the form set out in the First Schedule hereto.

(4.) The manager shall at all times and from time to time immediately notify the Registrar of any changes whatever in the above particulars, so that at all times such particulars shall be up to date in the Register, and failure to comply with this provision shall be an offence punishable by a fine not exceeding £50.

10. No person shall be capable of being or continuing to hold office as a director or manager of a Native company who is—

- (a.) A minor;
- (b.) A person of unsound mind;
- (c.) A bankrupt who has not obtained his order of discharge, or whose order of discharge is suspended for a term not yet expired, or is subject to conditions not yet fulfilled;
- (d.) A person convicted of any offence punishable by imprisonment, unless he has received a free pardon, or has served his sentence, or otherwise suffered the penalty imposed upon him.

11. (1.) Every director or manager of a Native company who receives any payment or remuneration of any kind other than that stated in the particulars from time to time supplied under clause 9 hereof commits an offence, and shall be liable for each offence to a fine not exceeding £50.

(2.) Any money or remuneration so received may be recovered by the Native company, or its liquidators in the event of winding-up at any time and treated as part of its funds or assets.

12. (1.) A general meeting of the members of a Native company shall be held once at least in every year, and such meeting shall be convened by the manager or the directors.

(2.) The manager or directors shall at any time call an extraordinary general meeting of members on the requisition in writing, of at least one-third of the members.

13. (1.) The accounts and transactions of all Native companies shall be inspected and audited at such times and from time to time

as the Resident Commissioner may direct, but at intervals of not more than one year.

(2.) Such inspection and audit may be by the Resident Commissioner himself or by such person or persons (hereinafter called the "Auditor") as he may in writing appoint for the purpose.

(3.) The Resident Commissioner and every auditor shall have a right of access at all times to the books, accounts, and vouchers of the Native company, and shall be entitled to require from the manager, directors, and any other officers of the company such information and explanation as may be necessary for the performance of his duties.

(4.) Every person refusing or failing to allow such access or to supply such information or explanation shall be guilty of an offence punishable by a fine not exceeding £50.

14. (1.) The Auditor shall prepare a balance-sheet for the Resident Commissioner, and also a report stating his opinion as to—

- (a.) Whether the books, accounts, and vouchers aforesaid contain a true and correct record of the company's transactions and affairs;
- (b.) Whether the transactions and affairs of the company are being carried on and conducted in a satisfactory and businesslike manner, and in the best interests of its members;
- (c.) Whether the company is being or is likely to be carried on at a profit to its members;
- (d.) Whether the company should continue its operations or whether it should be wound up.

(2.) A copy of every such balance-sheet and report shall be handed to the manager of the Native company concerned, who shall place them before the next general or extraordinary general meeting of members.

15. (1.) The provisions contained in the Partnership Act, 1908, as to dissolution of partnership shall apply to all Native companies registered under this regulation.

(2.) In addition to the above provision as to dissolution, a Native company may be wound up by the High Court under the following circumstances, that is to say:—

- (a.) If the company passes a special resolution requiring the company to be wound up by the Court; or
- (b.) If the company does not commence its business within a year from its registration, or suspends its business for the space of a whole year; or
- (c.) If the members are reduced in number to less than ten;
- (d.) If the company is unable to pay its debts; or
- (e.) If the Court is of the opinion that it is just and equitable that the company should be wound up.

(3.) The High Court shall have full jurisdiction and all powers necessary for the due and proper winding-up of a Native company, including, where necessary and applicable, all powers conferred upon the Supreme Court of New Zealand by Part VI of the Companies Act, 1908.

(4.) Any application to the Court for dissolution or winding-up under this clause may be made by the Resident Commissioner, as well as by any member of a Native company or by any other interested person or party.

16. The fees set out in the Second Schedule hereto shall be payable under these regulations.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

##### CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

I HEREBY certify that a Native company called \_\_\_\_\_ has been duly registered under the provisions of the Cook Islands Native Companies Regulations, 1923.

Dated at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_.

[SEAL.]

.....  
Registrar of Native Companies.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

	s.	d.
APPLICATION for certificate of registration .. .. .	10	0
Certificate of registration .. .. .	Nil.	
Inspection of register or of any document .. .. .	2	0
Certified copy of or extract from any document, for each folio of 72 words .. .. .	1	0
Minimum charge for such certified copy or extract .. .. .	5	0

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*Messages by Telegraph.—Regulations.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the regulations and fix the charges set forth in the Schedule hereto for the purposes of the transmission of telegrams by means of electric lines and for the delivery thereof; for the disposal of unclaimed or undelivered telegrams; for the fixing of and determining the fees and rates to be demanded and received for the transmission of telegrams and for the forwarding thereof for delivery respectively, and the modes and times of payment and by and from whom such fees and rates shall be legally recovered; and for the destruction of original copies of telegrams: And doth order and declare that any regulations and fees and rates of similar purport heretofore made are hereby revoked in so far as they are not in agreement with the regulations and fees and rates made in the Schedule hereto; but that otherwise any such other regulations and fees and rates shall remain in full force and virtue, and shall be read and applied together with the regulations and fees and rates hereby made and fixed: And doth further order and declare that such revocation, and the regulations hereby made, and fees and rates hereby fixed shall have effect from the date of the publication of this Order in Council in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

## TELEGRAMS.—GENERAL REGULATIONS.

**Departmental Holidays.**

New Year's Day, Good Friday, Easter Monday, Anzac Day, the King's Birthday, Labour Day, Christmas Day, and Boxing Day, or any days substituted therefor, shall be observed as departmental holidays. Good Friday, Anzac Day, and Christmas Day shall be regarded as Sundays for the purposes of attendance.

**Payment.**

Payment may be made by means of—

- (a.) Postage-stamps.
- (b.) Cash (where cash-registers are used).
- (c.) Automatic-stamping-machine impressions.

At offices where payment is required to be made in stamps, the person sending the telegram shall be required to affix them to the form. Automatic-stamping-machine impressions must not exceed 10s. in value for any single telegram.

**Receipts for Charges.**

Receipts for the amounts paid for cable, radio, and inland telegrams may be obtained by the senders at the telegraph-office at the time of presenting such telegrams for transmission on payment of a fee of 1d. for each receipt, or books of 100 forms with receipt-foils attached may be purchased at the telegraph-office at a cost of 3s. each.

**Sender responsible for Charges.**

The sender of a telegram shall be responsible for the charges for transmission, for any amount due for transmission owing to an accepting officer failing to collect the proper charges at the time of presentation, and for any charges incurred in delivery. If the sender fails to pay any of the aforementioned charges on being requested to do so, the officer in charge for the time being of the post-office or telegraph-office at which the telegram was delivered for despatch may, in his own name, in any Court of competent jurisdiction, sue for and recover from the sender of such telegram all charges due for the transmission or delivery thereof.

**General Rules for writing Telegrams.**

Inland telegrams presented for transmission must be written in ink, or with pencil, or in manifold, in a clear and legible manner; cable and radio telegrams must be written in ink, indelible pencil, or in manifold.

A telegram consisting merely of the address—i.e., without text or signature—will be accepted for transmission.

Telegrams addressed to initials only, to a fictitious name, or to a nom de plume, at a post-office, shall not be accepted for transmission.

Every interlineation, reference, erasure, or alteration must be authenticated by the sender or his representative.

**Address.**

The use of a registered code address shall be allowed except in the case of night letter-telegrams.

The address of a telegram (except in the case of a code address or the address of a well-known firm) must be sufficiently full to enable delivery to be effected without reference to other sources of information. The name of the street and the number of the house therein, if known, or the profession or occupation of the addressee should be given. A telegram the address of which consists of only two words, one representing the addressee but not being a registered code indicator, and the other the station of destination, or otherwise insufficiently addressed, will be accepted only at the sender's risk.

### Signature.

When it is not intended or desired that the sender's signature should be telegraphed, it must be written on the back of the message, together with his address, if required. The message may then be transmitted without a signature or with any signature known to the addressee, such as "Kate," "Harry," "Mamma," which the sender may insert for transmission; but the receiver may have the full signature telegraphed by paying for the necessary telegrams.

Government telegrams must bear the seal or stamp of the authority sending them. This formality, however, may be dispensed with when there is no doubt as to the authenticity of the telegram.

### Replies may be prepaid.

The cost of a reply may be prepaid, and a reply form will then be delivered to the addressee, who will be at liberty to send another telegram of the value prepaid, from any telegraph-office, at any time within six weeks. If the form is not used, its value will be refunded upon application being made within six weeks, accompanied by the form itself, to the Controller of Accounts, General Post Office. A reply form need not necessarily be used for a reply, but may be used in payment or part payment of any single telegram. The sender of the original telegram must write in the space for instructions the words "Reply paid" or, when the amount to be deposited exceeds the minimum charge for an ordinary inland telegram on a week-day, "Reply paid (amount deposited for reply)."

### Collect Telegrams: Sender responsible for Transmission Charges.

Telegrams may be transmitted with the word "Collect" written thereon in the space for instructions, and in such case the value of the telegram will be collected from the addressee; but, in the event of the Department being unable to collect the amount, the sender will be held responsible for the due payment thereof, and action may be taken, as set out by Regulation herein, for recovery of the amount. The sender of a "collect telegram" may direct that delivery shall be conditional on the addressee first paying the charges. In such cases the words "Delivery conditional" must be inserted in the instructions and before the address and be paid for.

### Refund of Overpayment.

Where an overpayment is made on a telegram by means of stamps which have been affixed, the stamps must not be removed, but if application is made a refund of the amount overpaid will be made. Similarly, if an overpayment is made by means of cash-register or automatic-stamping-machine impressions, the amount involved will be refunded.

### Repetition at Request of Senders to ensure Accuracy.

Telegrams may be repeated, if *the sender* so desires, by being signalled back from office to office. No copy shall be, in such case, given to the sender. The charge for repetition shall be one-half the ordinary tariff. Telegrams containing mercantile quotations or figures, and telegrams written in cipher or according to a preconcerted code, should always be marked "repetition paid" by the sender.

### Repetition at Request of Addressee to detect Errors.

If the addressee of a telegram doubts its accuracy, he may have it repeated by paying half the amount paid for its transmission to him. Should he require only a portion of the message to be repeated, a payment must be made at the rate of  $\frac{1}{2}$ d. for each word embraced in the repetition. For example, if 17 words in a message of 30 words are to be repeated the payment will be  $8\frac{1}{2}$ d. The minimum charge, however, for repetition (even of a single word) shall be 6d. The charge will be refunded if it appears that the telegram was incorrectly transmitted. The request for repetition must be in writing, and may be abbreviated to underlining the necessary words and adding the request—as, for example, "Please repeat"—on the delivered copy.

### Charges, after Ordinary Hours, for Messages relating to Sickness, Death, or other Urgent Matters.

Telegrams relating to sickness, or death, or other urgent matters (but expressly excluding those relating to wagers or bets) may be accepted and transmitted from any to any telegraph or telephone office at any time outside the ordinary hours of business on week-days or Sundays (provided the attention of the terminal office can be obtained) on prepayment of the following rates and fees:—

Where the Postmaster is resident on the premises:—

Outside ordinary hours: Reopening fee, 1s.; special-delivery fee, 1s.; tariff, ordinary.

On Sundays and holidays, outside the hours prescribed for telegraph business: Reopening fee, 1s.; special-delivery fee, 1s.; tariff, Sunday or holiday, as the case may be.

Where the Postmaster is not resident on the premises:—

Outside ordinary hours: Reopening fee, 2s. 6d.; special-delivery fee, 1s.; tariff, ordinary.

On Sundays and holidays, outside the hours prescribed for telegraph business: Reopening fee, 2s. 6d.; special-delivery fee, 1s.; tariff, Sunday or holiday, as the case may be.

When in attendance for Press, testing, or departmental business, other than telegraphic: Reopening fee, nil; special-delivery fee, 1s.; tariff, ordinary.

The reopening fee shall be charged on one telegram alone if more telegrams than one are handed in together by the same person. The special-delivery fee includes the charge for reopening the receiving office—namely, the office which receives the message from the forwarding office, and for effecting delivery of the message within the free delivery.



If officers are required to remain in attendance pending the receipt of a reply, the person at whose request the office was reopened must pay for the whole time of such attendance as overtime at the rate fixed by the Department's regulations.

Charges for ferries, tolls, or for any extra cost incurred in delivery must also be paid by the sender at the time of presenting the telegram. The sender shall also be liable for short charges should it be subsequently found that the amount collected for carriage was insufficient.

#### Rules for Counting.

Telegrams shall be charged for according to tariff rates as shown in these regulations. All that the sender wishes to transmit to his correspondent shall be charged for except service instructions, such as the following, viz.: "Urgent," "Reply paid," "Collect," "Repetition paid," "Carriage paid," &c. When the sender desires to insert special instructions for the information of the addressee, such as "Private," "Confidential," "To be opened at once," or the like, they must be written before the address; but special instructions referring to the delivery of a telegram, such as "Post," "Per Te Anau," "By first steamer," must be written so as to immediately precede the name of the office of destination. If it is desired that delivery be effected at a certain hour the instruction "Deliver at (time)" should be inserted before the address. The special instructions, no matter where appearing, must be paid for as part of the message. The words should also be written in the space provided for instructions. Special instructions written by the sender will appear on the envelope enclosing the telegram.

Telegrams may be written in plain or secret language, or partly in plain and partly in secret language.

(i.) *Plain language* shall be that which offers intelligible sense in one or more of the following authorized languages, viz.: Dutch, English, French, German, Italian, Japanese (provided it is expressed in English characters), Latin, Maori, Portuguese, Spanish. Except as provided hereafter in these regulations plain language words exceeding fifteen letters shall be counted at the rate of fifteen letters for each word, plus one word for any excess. Plain language may not consist of illegitimate combinations, or words or abbreviations contrary to the usage of such language, Webster's Dictionary being taken as the standard for the English language.

(ii.) *Secret language* may be expressed in either code or cipher.

(iii.) *Code language* shall be that which is composed of words not forming intelligible phrases, but capable of pronunciation in any of the authorized languages enumerated in this regulation. For the purposes of counting, words in code language exceeding ten letters shall be regarded as cipher. Combinations not fulfilling these conditions shall be charged for as cipher.

(iv.) *Cipher language* shall be that which is formed (a) of Arabic figures having a secret meaning, (b) of letters or groups of letters having a secret meaning, (c) of words, names, expressions, or combinations of letters not fulfilling the conditions of plain language or of code language. Words expressed in cipher language shall be counted at the rate of five characters to a word, plus one word for any excess, up to five characters.

Words in plain language inserted in the text of a mixed telegram—i.e., composed of words in plain language and of words in code language—shall be counted each at the rate of one word for each indivisible series of ten characters which they contain. If the telegram contains, in addition, passages in cipher language, the passages in cipher shall be counted according to the provisions of the previous regulation herein, paragraph (iv). If the text of a telegram is composed of passages in plain language and of passages in cipher language, the passages in plain language shall be counted according to the provisions of the previous regulation herein, paragraph (i), and the passages in cipher language according to the provisions of the previous regulation herein, paragraph (iv); while if the text is composed of code words and cipher only the code words shall be counted as provided for in paragraph (iii), and the cipher as provided for in paragraph (iv) of the previous regulation herein.

Words registered with the Department as telegraphic code addresses shall be counted as plain language words in the address, text, or signature of any telegram. However, when such a word appears in the text or signature it shall be so counted only when it refers to the registered address.

Combinations of two or more words shall be charged for as separate words, but compound words appearing in Webster's Dictionary, joined by a hyphen or separated by an apostrophe, and so written by the sender, shall be counted and charged for as single words. The cardinal and ordinal numbers up to and including ninety-nine and ninety-ninth, respectively, and the words "onepenny," "twopence," "twopenny," &c., up to and including "eighteenpence," and "eighteenpenny" shall be counted and treated as one word each when so written. Fractional numbers expressed in words, such as "seventhths," "onesixteenth," &c., shall be counted as double words, except in cases where the expression appears as one word in Webster's Dictionary.

The name of any post-office, public telegraph-office, or railway telegraph-office in New Zealand will pass as a single word in either the address or text of any inland message, but names consisting of two or more separate words shall be counted as one word only when the reference is to the place at which the post or telegraph office of that name is situated.

Each separate letter or figure shall be charged for as one word; groups of five figures or a fractional part of five figures shall be counted as one word; groups exceeding five figures shall be counted at the rate of five figures to the word, and any fractional portion remaining shall be counted as one word. The same rule applies to groups of letters. Where a fraction is inserted in a group of figures, such fraction shall be regarded as terminating the word—as, 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ 9, three words. In groups of mixed letters and figures each letter or figure or each collection of letters or figures up to five characters shall be counted as a single word.

#### Delivery of Telegrams.

Except as notified elsewhere in the Post and Telegraph Guide and in the list of offices in this regulation hereunder, all telegrams shall be delivered free of charge within a distance of one mile by the nearest practicable road from the office to which they may be transmitted by telegraph.

The distance of free delivery at—

Auckland	Christchurch	Dunedin	Wellington
From 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ..	..	..	.. Three miles.
After 6 p.m. ..	..	..	.. One mile and a half.
Akaroa	Greymouth	Naseby	Taihape
Alexandra	Greytown	Nelson	Tapanui
Ashburton	Hamilton	New Plymouth	Tauranga
Balclutha	Hastings	Oamaru	Te Aroha
Blenheim	Hawera	Onehunga	Te Awamutu
Bluff	Hokitika	Opotiki	Temuka
Cambridge	Hunterville	Otaki	Thames
Carterton	Inglewood	Paeroa	Timaru
Cheviot	Invercargill	Pahiatua	Waihi
Coromandel	Kaiapoi	Palmerston	Waimate
Cromwell	Kaikoura	Palmerston North	Waipawa
Dannevirke	Kaitangata	Patea	Waipukurau
Dargaville	Lawrence	Petone	Wairoa
Devonport	Levin	Picton	Waitara
Dunedin North	Lower Hutt	Port Ahuriri	Wanganui
Eketahuna	Lyttelton	Port Chalmers	Waverley
Eltham	Manaia	Queenstown	Wellington South
Feilding	Marion	Rangiora	Westport
Foxton	Masterton	Reefton	Whakatane
Geraldine	Mataura	Riverton	Whangarei
Gisborne	Milton	Rotorua	Woodville
Gore	Napier	Stratford	Wyndham
From 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. ..	..	..	.. Two miles.
After 6 p.m. ..	..	..	.. One mile and a half.

A telegram will not be put under a door unless written instructions to do so have been given. A notice stating that a telegram awaits delivery will be left. Delivery will again be attempted after a reasonable time.

A telegram taken to the place of residence may be delivered to the addressee, to an adult member of his family, to an employee, lodger, or landlord, or to the porter of the house, unless the sender or addressee has given special instructions to the contrary.

#### Carriage Charges.

Carriage when necessary beyond the one-mile, the mile-and-a-half, or the two-mile limit respectively shall be charged for from that point at the rate of 6d. per mile or fraction thereof up to three miles from the delivery office. The foregoing charge provides for ordinary delivery only from offices where the service can be performed by a departmental messenger. Delivery beyond three miles will be made by special messenger. For telegrams to be delivered by special messenger, the cost of such delivery, including all moneys disbursed in payment of cab-fares, omnibus-fares, horse-hire, portage, or any other expenses incurred must be paid. To prevent the non-delivery or detention of telegrams when a telegram is presented for a place known to be beyond the free delivery, the cost of carriage from the office of delivery should be prepaid. When the sender gives a guarantee that carriage will be paid for by the addressee, the words "Carriage guaranteed" should be written on the back of the forwarded telegram and signed by the sender, whose address also should be given. In the event of the addressee refusing to pay, the amount due shall be recovered from the sender. If the sender declines to pay for the carriage, or to give the guarantee, the telegrams will be delivered by post. When a telegram is received requiring delivery by special messenger, and upon which no carriage has been prepaid, the sender will be asked for his instructions, and if no reply is received before the despatch of the next mail or the next postman's delivery the telegram will be posted. Free telegrams on behalf of sender or addressee about the amount of payment required for carriage, and so forth, shall not be sent.

#### Redirected and Undelivered Telegrams.

Telegrams redirected to a corrected address shall be liable to an additional charge of 6d. if delivery can be effected from the original receiving office, except when the address is amended by the sender by means of a paid telegram; but if the corrected address requires that the message be re-telegraphed from the receiving-office, a charge shall be made equal to the original amount paid, plus or minus the charge at 1d. a word for any words by which the number of words in the original address is increased or diminished, provided that the total number of words in the telegram exceeds 12. The minimum redirection charge shall be the charge for 12 words.

Excepting money-order telegrams and telegrams addressed to a post-office or to a telegraph-office, inland telegrams which cannot be delivered shall be retained for seven days, exclusive of the accounting period in which they are received, and shall be sent to the General Post Office, Wellington, where they shall be kept for three months from the dates of the telegrams, and shall then be destroyed.

#### Transmission of Telegrams by Telephone.

(1.) Subscribers to telephone exchanges and owners of private telephone-lines connected with public telephone-offices may, by prearrangement in writing, have telegrams which are addressed to them forwarded by telephone from the office of destination to their business or private addresses. Such messages will, after transmission, be enfaced "Transmitted by telephone," and posted for delivery to such address.

(2.) Subscribers to telephone exchanges and owners of private telephone-lines connected with public telephone-offices may, upon application on the form provided, also telephone to any telegraph-office connected with a telephone exchange, or to any public telephone-office, as the case may be, during the ordinary hours of attendance, messages to be further transmitted as telegrams, provided the usual cost of such telegrams is paid in addition to the telephoning fee, if any, prescribed.

(1.) At an office at which a telephone exchange is established, and at which provision is made for the delivery of telegrams, charges for messages telephoned over

a subscriber's line to or from a destination within the limits of the free delivery of telegrams (except as otherwise provided for in these regulations) shall be as follows:—

For each separate transmission, if the telephone conversation	£	s.	d.
does not exceed three minutes	..	0	0 3
For each additional three minutes or fraction thereof	..	0	0 3

One conversation may include two or more messages.

(2.) Subscribers to a telephone exchange at a central office, whose telegrams are addressed to a sub-office connected therewith, may have such telegrams transmitted by telephone from the sub-office through that exchange on payment of the fees prescribed above.

No charge shall be made for telephoning telegrams—

- (a.) Over an exchange subscriber's line to or from a destination beyond the limits of the free delivery of telegrams:
- (b.) To or from an office at which the delivery of telegrams is not provided for:
- (c.) Over privately owned telephone-lines connected with an office where an exchange is not established:
- (d.) At the office of destination when the words "Telephone" or "Telephone No." appears in the address.

The transcribed copies of messages telephoned by subscribers to telephone exchanges, or by private telephone-line owners, will, so far as the Department is concerned, become the original telegrams, and the Department shall not assume or be subject to any liability by reason or on account of any failure, delay, or mistake in or about the transmission, receipt, or delivery of any telegram under this system, from whatever cause the same may arise. Messages shall be accepted only on the understanding that the Department's counting and charging are accepted without question.

A person requiring a telegram to be telephoned to a telephone-exchange subscriber, or private telephone-line owner, from the office of destination may insert in the address of the telegram, after the name of the addressee, the word "Telephone," to be followed, when known, by the number of the addressee's exchange connection. On receipt at the office of destination the telegram will forthwith be telephoned to the addressee. A telephoning fee shall not be charged for this service.

#### Destruction of Originals of Telegrams.

The originals of inland, cable, and radio telegrams shall be destroyed after the expiration of three months, twelve months, and fifteen months respectively from the date thereof.

#### Copies of Telegrams and Fees therefor.

The sender or the addressee of an inland, cable, or radio telegram, or his duly authorized agent, may inspect such telegram at the office of origin or of destination without charge, or be supplied with a certified copy of it on payment (in advance) of a fee of 6d. for each one hundred words or fraction thereof, provided the telegram has not already been sent to the General Post Office. If it has been so sent, the sender, or the addressee, or the duly authorized agent of either, may inspect such telegram on payment (in advance) of a fee of 1s. if the necessary particulars enabling the telegram to be found without any delay are supplied, or 2s. 6d. if such particulars are not furnished. If the search extends beyond one hour an additional charge of 2s. 6d. for each and every subsequent hour will be made. A certified copy of the message will be supplied upon payment of an additional charge of 6d. for each one hundred words or fraction thereof. Satisfactory proof of identity of the applicant as the sender, addressee, or agent must in all cases be given. If desired, the copy of the telegram, or an extract therefrom, will be telegraphed upon payment by the applicant of the telegraph fee in addition to the before-mentioned charge. When complaint is made of errors, omissions, or delays in the transmission of any telegram, or non-delivery or non-transmission of any telegram, a complainant may be called upon to pay search fees in accordance with the regulations.

#### Weather Telegrams for Shipping or for Farmers.

Masters of vessels shall be permitted to forward telegrams at a uniform rate of 1s. for each message (including reply) to the Harbourmasters of the several ports or to "Weather," Wellington, seeking information as to the state of the weather, &c., at the port to which they are bound, or at any port which may lie in their route. These telegrams must be concise, and marked "Reply paid, Weather" in the instructions. In no case will a larger number of words than twelve be allowed in the body of the telegram. Farmers shall be permitted to forward similar telegrams to "Weather," Wellington at a uniform rate of 1s. for each message (including reply). The number of words in each telegram must not exceed twelve. If required, the telegrams may be made urgent, at double the above rate, in which case the instruction "Reply paid, Urgent Weather" is to be inserted.

#### Weather Forecast and Weather Report.

A subscriber to a telephone-exchange whose connection is not less than one mile in length, and a private telephone-line owner connected with a telephone bureau which regularly receives a weather-forecast telegram, may have the same telephoned for an annual payment of £1, or for 10s. for one season of three months, commencing from any date desired. At any station where the telegraphic report, giving the state of the weather in different parts of the Dominion is exhibited, a person so desiring will be supplied with a copy daily, except Sunday, at a charge of £1 per annum.

#### Night Letter-telegrams.

- (1.) Subject to the conditions set out hereunder, night letter-telegrams shall be accepted at any telegraph or telephone office for transmission within the Dominion.
- (2.) They must be written in plain English language. No code or cipher words shall be permitted. The use of a code address or a code signature shall be prohibited. Trade terms in general use, such as f.o.b., c.i.f., shall be permitted. Figures shall be permitted only in the address and signature. When required to be used in the text, numbers must be written in words.
- (3.) They shall not be sent as "Urgent," "Collect," or as "Multiple" telegrams, and such instructions as "Reply paid" or "Repetition paid" shall not be permitted.
- (4.) They may be accepted throughout the day up to the time of closing of either the office of origin or destination, whichever is the earlier.
- (5.) They shall not be accepted on Sundays or departmental holidays.

(6.) The charge for a night letter-telegram shall be 9d. for the first twenty-seven words or fraction thereof, and 1d. for each three words or fraction in excess thereof.

(7.) A night letter-telegram shall be delivered by post on the morning following the date of lodgment of the telegram.

### Press Telegrams.

Press telegrams may contain only information of general public interest, and the whole text must be intended for publication as news in the newspapers to which the telegrams are addressed. Advertisements, letters intended for publication in the open or other columns of newspapers, or telegrams that are mere "puffs" of theatrical or travelling business companies, and not of general public interest, cannot be transmitted at Press rates. Such matter must be paid for at the rate per word (without minimum) ruling for ordinary telegrams.

The following rates shall be charged for the transmission of Press telegrams from or to any office in New Zealand during the prescribed hours for such business. Press telegrams transmitted at an hour other than provided for in the schedule shall be charged for at ordinary-telegram rates. No charge shall be made for address and signature up to six words.

WEEK-DAYS.	Class of News and Conditions.	Hours.	Charges.		
			50 Words or Fraction.	51 to 100 Words or Fraction, and each succeeding 100 words or Fraction.	100 Words or Fraction.
			s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
	<i>Morning Newspapers (i.e., Newspapers published before Noon).</i>				
	1. Inland and cable news from or to stations not reopening in the evening. Morning newspapers on day next before publication may receive Press telegrams at the ordinary rate, each message shall be charged separately.	8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ..	1 0	1 6	..
	2. Inland and cable news. (The same rate applies after midnight if office kept open by special arrangement)	5 p.m. to midnight ..	1 0	1 6	..
	3. Parliamentary news from Wellington. The instruction "PR" shall be inserted in the instructions	5 p.m. to midnight or close of office	1 0	1 4	..
	<i>Evening Newspapers (i.e., Newspapers published after Noon).</i>				
	4. Cable news. To bear instructions "Cable news" ..	8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ..	1 0	1 6	.. 6
	5. (a.) Inland news. Evening newspapers on day of publication may receive telegrams amounting in the aggregate to 1,500 words at this rate; any excess, 1d. per word. On any day other than a day of publication telegrams shall be charged for separately at the rate of 1s. for 50 words or fraction and 1s. 6d. for each 100 words or fraction	8 a.m. to 5 p.m. ..	..	..	..
	(b.) Inland sporting news for evening newspapers which publish special sporting editions on Saturday evening. Such messages lodged between 4 p.m. and 5 p.m. may be included in the scheduled Press referred to in class 5 (a), any messages in excess of the aggregate of 1,500 words to be charged for separately	4 p.m. to close of office	1 0	1 6	..
	6. Inland and cable news. (The same rate applies after midnight if office kept open by special arrangement)	5 p.m. to midnight ..	1 0	1 6	..
	7. Parliamentary reports from Wellington. These telegrams must contain "PR" in the instructions	5 p.m. to midnight or close of office	1 0	1 4	..

Holiday rates shall apply on New Year's Day, Easter Monday, the King's Birthday, Labour Day, and Boxing day, or any days substituted therefor. Good Friday, Anzac Day, and Christmas Day shall be regarded as Sundays for purposes both of attendance and of assessment of rates for Press telegrams.

The rate for inland and cable news messages to evening newspapers from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and to morning or evening newspapers from 7 p.m. to midnight, shall be: For 50 words or fraction, 1s.; 51 to 100 words or fraction, 1s. 6d.; and each succeeding 100 words or fraction, 1s. 6d. Each message shall be charged for separately.

**Code Addresses.**

A code address shall be an address composed of a pronounceable word representing the name of the addressee of the telegram, and of another word being the name of the place of destination of the telegram.

Application for registration of a code address must be made to the Secretary, General Post Office, and registration will not take effect until approved by the Secretary.

No address may consist of more than one word in addition to the name of the town where registration is effected. The code word must not contain more than ten letters, and should be easy to read and easy to telegraph. Proper names will only in rare cases be accepted, and in no case shall a proper name be registered for a person of a different name.

A code indicator may be transferred from the place at which it is registered to another place on payment of a transfer fee of 1s.

A list of inland code addresses registered and permitted to be published, arranged—

(a.) In alphabetical order of indicators, and

(b.) In alphabetical order of names,

and a list of cable code addresses registered and permitted to be published, arranged in alphabetical order of names, shall be issued separately, and copies may be purchased at any Chief Post-office.

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

*The Education Act, 1914.—Amended Regulations.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

**ORDER IN COUNCIL.**

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Education Act, 1914, and the amendments of that Act, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the amendments set forth in the Schedule hereto in the regulations in force at the making of this Order relating to the organization, examination, and inspection of public schools, to training colleges, to teachers' classes of instruction, to attendance registers and returns, to public schools (salaries, grading, staffing, house allowances, &c.), to supplementary model country schools, to the exchange of New Zealand teachers with teachers from other countries, to the examination and classification of teachers, to the grading of primary-school teachers, and to free places in secondary schools, district high schools, technical high schools, and technical schools and classes; and, by and with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

**SCHEDULE.****AMENDED REGULATIONS.****I. THE ORGANIZATION, EXAMINATION, AND INSPECTION OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.**

CLAUSE 13 of the regulations is hereby amended by adding to subclause (7) the following words: "nor in the case of technical school pupils who are examined with other candidates at a time convenient to the Inspector."

**II. TRAINING COLLEGES.**

1. Clause 4 is hereby amended by revoking subclause (2), and substituting the following:—

"For the purpose of the wider observation by students of teaching methods, the Board, after consultation with the Committee of Advice, may select, subject to the approval of the Director, any teachers of public schools, secondary schools, technical high schools, or approved kindergarten schools within convenient distance of the Normal School to supervise and report upon the work of such students as are sent by the Principal of the training college to observe and to teach the classes under the charge of the said teachers. Teachers so selected shall be recognized as Associated Normal Teachers and the classes as Associated Normal Classes."

2. Clause 11 is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (a) of subclause (1), and substituting the following:—

“(a.) Have within two years and six months immediately preceding—

“(i.) Completed his course as a pupil-teacher or probationer in some education district in accordance with regulations and to the satisfaction of the Education Board of that district; or

“(ii.) Completed to the satisfaction of the Director of Education a full-time two years' course as a student teacher in a technical school; or

“(iii.) Completed to the satisfaction of the Director of Education a two years' course of training at a kindergarten school under the control of a kindergarten association maintaining free kindergarten schools recognized by the Education Department for purposes of subsidy.

“Provided that, in cases approved by the Director, pupil-teachers or probationers who have completed not less than twelve months' service may be admitted as students of Division A if they have passed the examination for a Teachers' D Certificate or have secured a partial pass in the same examination, or have obtained some other educational qualification that in the opinion of the Director is equivalent thereto.”

3. Clauses 12, 13, and 14 are hereby amended by adding to paragraph (a) of subclause (1) of each clause the following words: “or have obtained some other educational qualification that in the opinion of the Director is equivalent thereto.”

4. Clause 21 is hereby amended by repealing the proviso thereto and substituting the following:—

“Provided that students of Division A who display exceptional ability in teaching may, with the approval of the Director, be allowed to terminate their course at the end of their first year of training.”

### III. TEACHERS' CLASSES OF INSTRUCTION.

Clause 5 is hereby amended by repealing the last sentence of the clause, and substituting the words “All other Instructors whose employment is approved by the Director shall be classified and paid in accordance with clause 18 of the same regulations.”

### IV. ATTENDANCE REGISTERS AND RETURNS.

1. Clause 2 of the regulations is hereby amended by inserting, after the words “register of attendance,” the words “of all pupils not under school age.”

2. Clause 9 of the regulations is hereby amended by inserting in the second proviso thereto, (a) after the words “Medical Inspector of Schools,” the words “or of the secretary of the Board upon information supplied by the head teacher”; (b) after the words “any school or department,” the words “or if it is shown to the satisfaction of the Minister that exceptionally severe weather has similarly affected the attendance.”

3. Clause 13 of the regulations is hereby amended—

(a.) By repealing paragraph (a) of subclause (1), and substituting the following:—

“(a.) A main and a side school are separated and established as mixed or separate schools”;

(b.) By revoking subclause (2).

### V. PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—SALARIES, GRADING, STAFFING, HOUSE ALLOWANCES, ETC.

1. Clause 33 is hereby amended (a) by inserting, after the words “Medical Inspector of Schools,” the words “or of the secretary of the Board upon information supplied by the head teacher”; (b) by adding thereto the words “or if it is shown to the satisfaction of the Minister that exceptionally severe weather has similarly affected the attendance.”

2. Clauses 11, 30, 41, and 44 are hereby amended by substituting “Senior Inspector” for “Minister” wherever the latter expression occurs.

3. Clause 39 is hereby amended (a) by inserting after the word “authorize” the words “or direct”; (b) by deleting the proviso thereto.

4. Clause 53 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted:—

“53. (1.) Pay during sick-leave shall be in accordance with the following schedule:—

Length of Service.	On Full Pay.	On Half Pay.
Under 3 months .. .. .	1 week	..
Over 3 months and under 6 months ..	2 weeks	..
Over 6 .. .. . 9 ..	1 month	..
Over 9 .. .. . 5 years	1 month	1 month.
Over 5 years and under 10 ..	2 months	2 months.
Over 10 .. .. . 15 ..	3 ..	3 ..
Over 15 .. .. . 25 ..	4 ..	4 ..
Over 25 .. .. . 35 ..	5 ..	5 ..
Over 35 years .. .. .	6 ..	6 ..

“(2.) No exception will be made in the foregoing schedule except in the case of illness resulting from causes that can be directly traced to the conditions under which a teacher is working, or where a teacher in the discharge of his duties and through no fault of his own sustains injuries of such a nature as to incapacitate him from duty.

“(3.) If a teacher has been absent from duty on account of illness for a period of more than three months, he shall not be permitted to return to duty until a medical practitioner approved by the Board has certified that he is fit to resume work.

“(4.) When a teacher is on leave of absence at the beginning of a school vacation he shall be regarded as continuing on such leave during the vacation; provided that during any year ending 31st January such teacher may, at the discretion of the Board, be paid in full for school vacations equal to one-fourth the periods of actual teaching and of sick-leave with pay taken together.

“(5.) Sick-leave allowed under this regulation may be granted in one or more periods, but the aggregate amount of leave stated in the above schedule is intended to cover the whole period of the teacher's service.

“(6.) No leave of absence on account of illness or accident with payment of salary shall be granted if the necessity for leave has arisen through the misconduct of a teacher.”

5. Clause 55 is hereby amended by adding “Provided further that in the case of the death of mother, father, wife, or child the Board may grant special leave on full pay for three days plus travelling-time necessary to attend the funeral.”

#### VI. SUPPLEMENTARY MODEL COUNTRY SCHOOLS.

Clause 6 is hereby amended by deleting from paragraph (ii) thereof the words “of Grade 5,” and substituting therefor the words “not exceeding that of Grade 6.”

Clause 7 is hereby amended by deleting the word “full,” and substituting therefor the word “half.”

#### VII. THE EXCHANGE OF NEW ZEALAND TEACHERS WITH TEACHERS FROM OTHER COUNTRIES.

1. Clauses 3 and 7 are hereby revoked.

2. Clause 9 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted therefor:—

“To not more than six of the teachers who are granted exchange under these regulations and who, in the opinion of the Director, are or have been, while abroad, of greatest service to the New Zealand Education Department there may be granted, with the approval of the Minister, travelling bursaries to the following value:—

“(a.) Half the amount of the passage-money paid by the bursar between terminal ports (return fare, second saloon), provided that such amount shall in no case exceed £50.

“(b.) Full salary for a period not exceeding two months, and half salary for an additional period not exceeding one month, during the time the bursar is unemployed outside New Zealand.”

3. Clause 15 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted therefor:—

“A teacher from abroad who is accepted for exchange under these regulations shall, while in New Zealand, receive such salary as will approximate most nearly to the salary he received in his last permanent position, and shall as far as is practicable be employed as a relieving teacher.”

#### VIII. THE EXAMINATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS.

1. Clause 5 is hereby amended by revoking subclause (1) thereof, and substituting the following subclause:—

“(1.) In the case of a candidate who is not the holder of a Class C Certificate,—

“(a.) If he passes the examination for the diploma in Education in the University of New Zealand;

“(b.) If he passes the examination for a Bachelor's degree in the University of New Zealand, together with an examination as required for Class C in Blackboard Drawing, Elementary Hygiene, Methods of Teaching, Education I, and English Language and Literature:

“Provided that a candidate shall not be required to sit again for examination in any of the subjects herein mentioned if it has formed a subject of his degree course:

“Provided further that exemption from the condition of additional examination in such subjects may be conceded to a graduate who holds the status of a professor or lecturer in a college affiliated to the University of New Zealand, or who has for not less than three consecutive years held the position of principal of a secondary school in the Dominion, or who has been classified in Grade A as a secondary-school teacher or in Class VI or Class V of Division I as a technical-school teacher.”

2. Clause 22 is hereby amended by inserting after the words “in any three subjects” the following:—

“(c.) In Group III if he passes in one subject, provided he has secured a partial pass in at least one other group.”

3. Clause 36 is hereby amended by the addition of the following proviso:—

“Provided that any candidate who has passed in Education at the Bachelor of Arts degree in the University of New Zealand shall be exempt from examination in Education II and in Paper A, Education I, or alternatively in the whole of Education I if no concession is granted with respect to Education II:

“Provided also that a candidate who has passed in Education as an advanced subject for the degree of Bachelor of Arts shall be exempt from examination in both Education I and Education II.”

4. Clause 52 is hereby amended by deleting from the first paragraph of the programme in subject (16), Education I, the figure “(i)”; by substituting the letter “B” for the figure “(ii)” in the second paragraph thereof; and by deleting the letter “B” from the third paragraph thereof.

#### IX. THE GRADING OF PRIMARY-SCHOOL TEACHERS.

1. Clause 4 is hereby amended by deleting from the Schedule contained therein the columns headed “Before 1st February, 1921.”

2. Clause 5 is hereby amended by revoking paragraph (f) of subclause (1) thereof, and substituting the following:—

“Certificated teachers employed on the staff of a junior high school shall be placed in groups as follows:—

Salaries.					Grading Group.
£650-£700	..	..	..	..	6
£450-£500	..	..	..	..	5
£400-£440	..	..	..	..	4
£360-£400	..	..	..	..	4
£350-£390	..	..	..	..	4
£320-£350	..	..	..	..	3
£280-£310	..	..	..	..	2

#### X. FREE PLACES IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS, DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS, TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOLS, AND TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND CLASSES.

1. Clause 3 is hereby amended by—

(a.) Adding the following proviso to paragraph (c): “Provided that a pupil not over sixteen on the date named herein may be admitted to a Free Place if he is recommended therefor by a Senior Inspector of Schools and takes a course of instruction approved by the Director of Education.”

(b.) By revoking the first proviso to the clause, and deleting the word “further” from the second proviso.

2. Clause 5 is hereby amended by deleting subclause (iii) and substituting “in no case, however, shall a Junior Free Place be tenable after the 31st December of the year in which the holder reaches the age of seventeen.”

3. Clause 15 is hereby amended by inserting in the first proviso thereto, after the words “desires to follow,” “or that it is necessary in the interests of the pupil that he should be transferred to another school.”

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



*Regulations under the Naval Defence Act amended.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section twenty-five of the Naval Defence Act, 1913, and section five of the Naval Defence Amendment Act, 1922, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby amend and supplement the regulations referred to in the Schedule hereto as shown therein.

## SCHEDULE.

## REGULATIONS FOR THE GOVERNMENT AND PAYMENT OF THE NEW ZEALAND DIVISION OF THE ROYAL NAVY.

1. Add an additional regulation No. 5A as follows :—

**5a. Officers and Men serving in His Majesty's (Imperial) Ships and Establishments.**—Notwithstanding any differences between the rates of pay and allowances authorized in the Regulations for the Government and Payment of the New Zealand Division of the Royal Navy and those authorized by King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions, officers and ratings of the New Zealand Naval Forces serving in H.M. (Imperial) Ships and Naval Establishments shall, whilst so serving, receive pay and allowances as follows :—

(a.) Full pay (substantive and non-substantive) ;

(b.) Deferred pay ;

(c.) Marriage allowance ;

(d.) Dependant's allowance ;

at rates and under the conditions authorized in the Regulations for the Government and Payment of the New Zealand Division of the Royal Navy : and

(e.) All other allowances ; and

(f.) Extra pay for the performance of special duty ;

at rates and under the conditions authorized in King's Regulations and Admiralty Instructions.

2. Cancel regulation No. 9B, made by Order in Council of 28th August, 1922, on the subject of fees for setting and marking of papers for the local educational test.

3. In regulation No. 56 cancel rates of lodging-allowance payable to chief petty officers and below, and substitute, with effect as from 1st October, 1923 :—

					s.	d.
Chief petty officer	..	..	..	..	3	0
Petty officer	..	..	..	..	2	6
Other ratings	..	..	..	..	2	0

4. Cancel regulation No. 57, and substitute, with effect as from 1st October, 1923 :—

**57. Compensation in Lieu of Provisions, Fuel, and Light (Provision Allowance).**—Officers and ratings borne on ship's books who are not victualled in consequence of being absent from the ship on duty, and who are not in receipt of subsistence allowance, are to be paid provision allowance at the rates of 3s. 6d. per diem in the case of officers and 3s. 0d. per diem in the case of ratings.

2. Regulation No. 56 governing the payment, &amp;c. of lodging-allowance shall apply equally to provision allowance.

## REGULATIONS FOR THE NEW ZEALAND ROYAL NAVAL RESERVE (MEN).

5. In regulation No. 50, for "Kit-upkeep gratuity of £1 10s." substitute, with effect as from 1st October, 1923, "£1 10s. in the case of ratings of Classes I and III, and £1 in the case of ratings of Class II."

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*The Finance Act, 1922.—Arrangement with Government of Fiji to contribute to Teachers' Superannuation Fund on account of New Zealand Teachers serving in Fiji.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by section fifty-six of the Finance Act, 1922, and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, as the date on which the said section shall come into force, and on and after that date the following provisions shall apply with respect to contributors to the Teachers' Superannuation Fund in schools under the control of the Government of Fiji :—

(1.) The Fiji Government shall deduct from the salaries paid to New Zealand teachers in Fiji a percentage for superannuation the same as would be deducted had they continued in the Education service in New Zealand.

(2.) To the total amount of the teachers' contributions as above the Fiji Government shall add eighty per centum of that total amount, and the whole of these contributions from the New Zealand teachers in Fiji along with the Fiji Government's contributions shall be paid to the New Zealand Teachers' Superannuation Fund. These payments shall be made quarterly.

(3.) Service in Fiji shall, in respect to such teachers as are contributors to the Teachers' Superannuation Fund, be allowed for the purpose of computing any retiring-allowance as if it were service in New Zealand.

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

*Licensing McCallum Brothers to occupy Land below Low-water Mark in the Hauraki Gulf for the Purpose of taking Shingle and Sand.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 3rd day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, William Fraser McCallum, Alexander Fraser McCallum, Archibald McCallum, and Daniel Fraser McCallum, of Auckland, trading under the style or title of "McCallum Brothers" (hereinafter called "the licensees"), have applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to use and occupy a part of the land below low-water mark in the Hauraki Gulf for the purpose of dredging and taking away shingle and sand deposited thereon; and, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, have deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 5699) showing the area of land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose :

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the proposed taking of shingle and sand will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor-General in Council :

And whereas it is desirable to grant the license applied for :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the land below low-water mark which is particularly shown and delineated within a black line on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of dredging and taking away the shingle and sand deposited thereon, such license to be

held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the land below low-water mark necessary for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned, as shown within a black line in the plan marked M.D. 5699, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensees shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter shall deposit annually the sum of £26, to be applied as hereinafter provided, payable on the 1st day of April in each year; provided that in respect of the period from the date of this Order in Council until the 31st day of March, 1924, the amount to be deposited shall be an amount proportionate to the said period at the rate of £26 per annum, to be deposited on the licensees being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. The royalty payable by the licensees in consideration of the concessions and privileges hereby granted shall be at the rate of 4d. per cubic yard on all shingle and sand taken. If in any year the licensees fail to remove any shingle or sand, the deposit hereinbefore referred to shall be appropriated by the Minister as flat rent in respect of that year; but if during any year the licensees remove any shingle or sand the said deposit shall, in proportion to the amount of shingle or sand so removed, be applied as royalty at the rate hereinbefore mentioned, but so that the minimum amount payable as combined royalty and flat rent in any one complete year shall be £26. All such payments shall be made to the Superintendent of Mercantile Marine at Auckland, or such other person as the Minister may direct; provided that after the 16th day of July, 1926, the Governor-General in Council may prescribe the royalty thereafter to be at such rate as he thinks fit.

5. His Majesty or the Governor-General, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the aforesaid land without payment.

6. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensees to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

7. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue in force for the term of fourteen years, computed from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges are altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensees shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

8. The rights, powers, and privileges hereby granted and conferred may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, without payment of any compensation whatsoever, on giving to the licensees three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand.

9. In case the licensees shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them, or any breach of the Fisheries Act, 1908, or its amendments;
- (2.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in any such case this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked or determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the licensees or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensees, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

10. Payment by the licensees of any of the sums hereinbefore mentioned shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensees of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

*Licensing Alfred William Barber to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Paremata as a Site for a Boat-shed.*

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Alfred William Barber, of Wellington (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore of Paremata as a site for a boat-shed, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 5704 (sheets 1 and 2), and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington :

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation, and the said plan has, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor-General in Council :

And whereas it is desirable that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid ; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore on which the said boat-shed is to be erected, as shown on plan marked M.D. 5704 deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structure thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. IN these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore occupied by the said boat-shed, as shown on plan marked M.D. 5704 (sheet 2).

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £2 in advance, payable on the 1st day of April in each year, the proportionate part of such rental in respect of the period from the date hereof until the 31st day of March following to be paid on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. His Majesty or the Governor-General, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, and out of the said boat-shed without payment.

5. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned boat-shed in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at his own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels ; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said boat-shed and view the state of repair thereof ; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such boat-shed, requiring him within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

7. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

8. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered,

modified, or revoked by competent authority ; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the written consent of the Minister first obtained.

9. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, and the licensee may be required to remove the said boat-shed, at the licensee's cost, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand.

10. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said boat-shed may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

11. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them ;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said boat-shed for a period of thirty days ;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy ; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever ; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined ; and upon such revocation the Minister may cause the said boat-shed to be removed, and may recover the cost incurred by any such removal from the licensee.

12. The erection of the said boat-shed shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council

*Licensing William Grant to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Collingwood Harbour, as a Site for a Wharf.*

JELlicOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 3rd day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 86, of the fourteenth day of the same month, William Grant, of Collingwood (hereinafter called "the licensee"), was licensed to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Collingwood Harbour, as shown on plan marked M.D. 2019, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, in order to erect and maintain thereon a wharf as shown on the plans so deposited as aforesaid for a term of fourteen years computed from the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine : And whereas the said license having expired, the licensee has made application for a fresh license under the Harbours Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a term of fourteen years computed from the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three : And whereas it is expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, on the terms and conditions hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid ; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto, on which the wharf is erected, as shown on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said wharf thereon ; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

## SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto, necessary for the erection of the wharf, as shown on plans marked M.D. 2019.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £2 in advance, payable on the 1st day of April in each year, the proportionate part of such rental in respect of the period from the date hereof until the 31st day of March following to be paid on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. All persons shall at all reasonable times, upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the said wharf, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

5. His Majesty or the Governor-General, and all officers in the Government service acting in the execution of their duty, shall at all times have free ingress, passage, and egress into, through, over, and out of the said wharf without payment.

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned wharf in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at his own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels; provided that no lights shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said wharf and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, requiring him, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, he shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf shall be taken away by the licensee, and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council shall continue to be in force for fourteen years from the 1st day of September, 1923, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, and the licensee may be required to remove the wharf at the licensee's cost, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensee three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister, and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the licensee in New Zealand.

12. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said wharf may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on his part.

13. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any Act for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council, without any notice to the licensee or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensee, and to all persons concerned or interested, that

this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined; and upon such revocation the Minister may cause the said wharf to be removed, and may recover the cost incurred by any such removal from the licensee.

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

*Regulations under the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act 1921.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations; and doth order that such regulations shall take effect on the first day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

REGULATIONS.

1. REGISTRATION under section 3 of the said Act of a certified copy of an Order shall be effected by the entry of the particulars thereof by a Magistrate in the Criminal Record Book of a Court. The Magistrate shall enter the particulars (or cause the same to be entered) in the same manner as though the Order had been made at such Court, and shall write (or cause to be written) under the entry the words "Entered in pursuance of section 3 of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921." Such entry shall be signed by the said Magistrate.

2. Where a Provisional Order is made under section 4 of the said Act, the Order may be drawn up in the form provided for a like Order under the Destitute Persons Act, 1910, with the necessary variations, but such Order shall be headed with the word "Provisional," and at the foot thereof shall be written or printed the following words: "This Order is provisional only, and shall have no effect unless and until confirmed by a competent Court in the country where the defendant is proved to be resident."

3. The statement under subsection (3) of section 4 of the said Act of the grounds on which the making of the Order might have been opposed shall be in the form of a certificate signed by the Magistrate having cognizance of the case.

4. The words "prescribed notice" referred to in subsection (4) of section 4 of the said Act shall mean a notice in the form numbered D.P. 25 as set forth in the Schedule hereto, or to the like effect, served upon the applicant for the Provisional Order not less than seven clear days before the day upon which the further evidence shall be taken.

5. The requisition to be sent by the Minister of Justice to a Justice of the Peace under section 5 of the said Act shall be in the form numbered D.P. 23 as set forth in the Schedule hereto, or to the like effect.

6. The summons to be issued under subsection (1) of section 5 of the said Act shall be in the form numbered D.P. 24 as set forth in the Schedule hereto, or to the like effect.

7. If under section 5 of the said Act the Provisional Order is confirmed, the Order to that effect shall be in the form numbered D.P. 26 as set forth in the Schedule hereto, or to the like effect.

8. (1.) When a Magistrate shall have heard the application for confirmation of any Order under section 5 of the said Act, he shall transmit to the Magistrate or other person making the Provisional Order a notification of his decision on the matter.

(a.) If the decision is that the Order be confirmed either with or without modification, the notification shall include a copy of the confirming Order in the form numbered D.P. 26.

(b.) If the decision is that the Order be not confirmed, the notification shall give the reasons for such decision.

(c.) If the decision is that the case be remitted for further evidence, as provided by subsection (4) of section 5 of the said Act, the notification shall set out the points upon which such further evidence is required.

In all cases the Magistrate shall inform the Under-Secretary of Justice what he has done in connection with the Order forwarded to him for confirmation.

(2.) Where an Order has been confirmed under section 5 of the said Act, and such Order is afterwards varied or rescinded, notification thereof shall be remitted to the Court which made the Provisional Order and also to the Under-Secretary of Justice.

(3.) The failure to give any such notification shall not affect the validity of any Order or other proceeding.

9. All moneys paid into Court in pursuance of a maintenance order under this Act shall be passed through the Law Trust Account of the Clerk of the Court and paid into the Public Account.

If the money is to be remitted abroad, the Public Account bank receipt shall be forwarded to the Under-Secretary of Justice, with a pay-out receipt and with sufficient particulars of the case to enable the Treasury to remit the amount to the proper officer or person entitled thereto.

10. Any officer of police or constable may appear for any party or person in any proceeding under the said Act, and may lay any information or complaint or make any application or take or defend any proceeding with regard to the making, confirming, enforcing, varying, or rescinding of any Order under the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

[D.P.—23.]

REQUISITION TO JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921.

To \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, Justice of the Peace.

WHEREAS, upon the application of \_\_\_\_\_, a Provisional Order under the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1920 (Imperial), was made against \_\_\_\_\_ in the Court holden at \_\_\_\_\_, for the payment of \_\_\_\_\_ towards the maintenance of \_\_\_\_\_;

And whereas a certified copy of the said Order, together with the depositions of witnesses and a statement of the grounds on which the order might have been opposed, has been transmitted to me in the appropriate manner:

Now, therefore, I, \_\_\_\_\_, Minister of Justice for the Dominion of New Zealand, in accordance with the provisions of the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921, do hereby forward to you the said documents, and request you to issue a summons against the said \_\_\_\_\_ calling upon him to appear before a Magistrate to show cause why the said Order should not be confirmed.

Dated at Wellington this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Minister of Justice.

[D.P.—24.]

SUMMONS TO THE DEFENDANT UPON A COMPLAINT.

The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921.

To \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_.

WHEREAS, upon the application of \_\_\_\_\_, a Provisional Order under the Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1920 (Imperial), was made against you in the Court holden at \_\_\_\_\_ for the payment of \_\_\_\_\_ towards the maintenance of \_\_\_\_\_;

And whereas a certified copy of the said Order, together with the depositions of the witnesses, and a statement of the grounds on which the order might have been opposed, has been transmitted in the appropriate manner to the Minister of Justice for the Dominion of New Zealand, and the Minister of Justice has caused the said order, depositions, and statement to be sent to the undersigned, one of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace for New Zealand, with a requisition that a summons be issued thereon:

This is to command you to appear on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Magistrates' Court, \_\_\_\_\_, before such Stipendiary Magistrate as may then be there, to show cause why the said Order made against you should not be confirmed in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

Given under my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
A Justice of the Peace for New Zealand.

[D.P.—25.]

NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE FOR TAKING FURTHER EVIDENCE.

The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921.

New Zealand: To wit.

Between \_\_\_\_\_, Complainant,  
and \_\_\_\_\_, Defendant.

To the above-named Complainant.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in me by the above-mentioned Act, I hereby give you notice, under section 4

thereof, that I will take further evidence in the above case, and I hereby appoint the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock in the forenoon, as the time, and the Magistrates' Court at \_\_\_\_\_ as the place, for the taking of such further evidence.

If you desire to proceed with your application, you must appear at the time and place aforesaid either personally or by your solicitor, and produce further evidence on the matter.

Given under my hand at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Stipendiary Magistrate.

[D.P.—26.]

ORDER CONFIRMING PROVISIONAL ORDER FOR MAINTENANCE.

The Maintenance Orders (Facilities for Enforcement) Act, 1921.

New Zealand: To wit.

Between \_\_\_\_\_, Complainant,  
and \_\_\_\_\_, Defendant.

Before the undersigned, a Magistrate, sitting in open Court at \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_.

WHEREAS on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_, a Provisional Order was made by the [Set out description of Court] sitting at [Describe place and country] in pursuance of [Set out title of Act], whereby the above-named defendant was ordered to pay [Here set out order]:

And whereas a summons was duly served upon the said defendant to appear on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 192 \_\_\_\_\_, at the Magistrates' Court at \_\_\_\_\_ before such Stipendiary Magistrate as might then be there, to show cause why the Provisional Order hereinbefore mentioned should not be confirmed:

And whereas the said defendant now appears and fails to satisfy me the said Stipendiary Magistrate that the Order should not be confirmed [or does not appear]:

Now, therefore, it is hereby adjudged that the Order be confirmed without modification [or with the modifications hereinafter set out].

All payments hereunder shall be made to the Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Stipendiary Magistrate.

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

*Hokitika Borough Council declared a Leasing Authority under the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of \_\_\_\_\_ September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Hokitika Borough Council is a body of persons having power to lease lands held in trust, reserved, or set apart for public purposes, and has requested the Governor-General in Council to declare it to be a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in compliance with such request, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred by the above-mentioned Act, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the Hokitika Borough Council is a leasing authority within the meaning of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

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

*Prescribing the Term for which the Dargaville Borough Council may borrow the Sum of £7,000 authorized to be raised for completing the Traffic-bridge over the Wairoa River, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of \_\_\_\_\_ September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the Dargaville Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven thousand pounds for completing the traffic-bridge over the Wairoa River:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be thirty-six and a half years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be not exceeding six per centum per annum:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Dargaville Borough Council may borrow the said sum of seven thousand pounds shall be thirty-six and a half years, and the rate of interest that may be paid shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Dargaville Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of seven thousand pounds accordingly.

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

*Revoking Order in Council fixing Dues for the Use of the Karamea Wharf, and fixing others in lieu thereof.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the thirteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, a by-law was made prescribing the dues and rates to be taken and charged for the use of the Government Wharf at Karamea:

And whereas it is advisable to revoke the said by-law, and to make another in lieu thereof:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by sections nine and eleven of the Harbours Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke as from the twentieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, the by-law made by the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council, and doth hereby make the following by-law in lieu thereof; and doth declare that such by-law shall come into force on the twentieth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

BY-LAW.

THE following charges are hereby fixed and authorized to be levied and taken on all goods landed at or shipped from the Government wharf at Karamea:—

On all goods not otherwise specified, weight or measurement, at the option of the Wharfinger, per ton .. .. .	s. d.
Minimum charge .. .. .	3 6
Fruit, per ton of 20 cases .. .. .	3 6
Minimum .. .. .	1 0
Vegetables, per ton of 12 sacks .. .. .	3 6
Minimum .. .. .	1 0
Large cattle and horses, per head .. .. .	3 6
Pigs, sheep, and goats, per head .. .. .	1 0
Poultry, per crate .. .. .	1 0
Timber, per 100 ft. superficial .. .. .	0 6

STORAGE.

For the first seven days .. .. .	Free.
For each subsequent day, per ton per day or part of a day .. .. .	0 6

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

*Prescribing the Term for which the South Canterbury Hospital Board may borrow the Sum of £11,000 for Capital Expenditure, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1921, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the South Canterbury Hospital Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of eleven thousand pounds for capital expenditure:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be twenty-one years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be not exceeding six per centum per annum:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the South Canterbury Hospital Board may borrow the said sum of eleven thousand pounds shall be twenty-one years, and the rate of interest payable thereon shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said South Canterbury Hospital Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of eleven thousand pounds on these terms.

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

*Prescribing the Term for which the Queenstown Borough Council may borrow the Sum of £7,000 authorized to be raised for Water-supply and Hydro-electric Power, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1921, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the Queenstown Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven thousand pounds for the improvement of the water-supply and the generation of hydro-electric power:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be twenty years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be not exceeding six per centum per annum:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of

the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Queenstown Borough Council may borrow the said sum of seven thousand pounds shall be twenty years, and the rate of interest payable thereon shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Queenstown Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of seven thousand pounds on these terms.

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

*Prescribing the Term for which the Mackenzie County Council may borrow the Sums of £400, £400, and £300 authorized to be raised for erecting Telephone-lines to Godley Peaks, Ben Ohau, and Rhoborough Downs respectively, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1921, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Mackenzie County Council has been authorized to borrow the sums of four hundred pounds, four hundred pounds, and three hundred pounds for erecting telephone-lines to Godley Peaks, Ben Ohau, and Rhoborough Downs respectively :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be twenty years, and the rate of interest payable thereon be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Mackenzie County Council may borrow the said sums of four hundred pounds, four hundred pounds, and three hundred pounds shall be twenty years, and the rate of interest that may be paid thereon shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Mackenzie County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sums of four hundred pounds, four hundred pounds, and three hundred pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Lower Hutt Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £14,000 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of acquiring certain Land in the Borough.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1921, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where

a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Lower Hutt Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of fourteen thousand pounds for the purpose of acquiring certain land in the borough :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the money may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Lower Hutt Borough Council in respect of the said loan of fourteen thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Lower Hutt Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of fourteen thousand pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Mount Eden Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £18,300, being the Balance of a Loan of £50,000 authorized to be raised for Street-construction.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, as amended by section six of the Local Bodies' Loans Amendment Act, 1921, provides that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule of law, where a local authority or public body has been authorized before the passing of the said Act, or is thereafter authorized, to borrow money, whether pursuant to a poll of ratepayers or otherwise howsoever, whether the rate of interest or the term of years of the loan was or was not specified or determined, and such money or any part thereof has not been borrowed, the local authority may, with the precedent consent of the Minister of Finance, borrow such money, or such amount thereof as has not been borrowed, at such rate of interest, or for such term not less than ten years, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Mount Eden Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of fifty thousand pounds for street-construction at five and a half per centum interest, and is now desirous of borrowing the sum of eighteen thousand three hundred pounds, being the balance of the said fifty thousand pounds, at an increased rate of interest :

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the rate of interest at which the said eighteen thousand three hundred pounds may be borrowed be not exceeding six per centum per annum :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Mount Eden Borough Council in respect of the said loan of eighteen thousand three hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Mount Eden Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of eighteen thousand three hundred pounds accordingly.

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

*Revoking Order in Council licensing Mrs. Louisa Ann Bigwood to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark of the Taieri River as a Site for a Jetty.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 3rd day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 96, of the twelfth day of the same month, Mrs. Louisa Ann Bigwood was licensed to use and occupy a portion of the foreshore and land below low-water mark of the Taieri River as a site for a jetty, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4470, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington :

And whereas the licensee has made application to have the said license revoked, and it is desirable to revoke the same :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Harbours Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the hereinbefore-recited Order in Council dated the sixth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and the rights and privileges thereby conferred.

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*The North-eastern Side of Portion of Petone Avenue, in the Borough of Petone, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

“The Petone Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the Borough of Petone, hereby resolves that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of Petone Avenue (a public street within the Borough of Petone) one hundred and twenty-one links and twenty-one hundredths of a link (121.21 links) in length to which all that parcel of land containing one rood nine perches and three tenths of a perch (1 rood 9.3 perches), being part Section 4, Hutt District, Township of Petone, and being the whole of the land comprised and described in certificate of title entered in the Wellington Register, Volume 153, folio 285, has a frontage of one hundred and twenty-one links and twenty-one hundredths of a link” ;

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

SCHEDULE.

THE north-eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, Borough of Petone, known as Petone Avenue, fronting part Section 4, Hutt Registration District. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57771, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*The North-western Side of Portion of Beach Street, in the Borough of Petone, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

“That the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, and its amendment, shall not apply to all that portion of the eastern side of Beach Street upon which the following land at present owned by Julia Ann Cotter, of Petone, Widow, abut—namely, twelve decimal seven six perches (12.76 perches)—being part of Lots 85 and 86 on deposited plan number 51, part of Section 5, Hutt District, and being part of the land in certificate of title, Volume 119, folio 82, Wellington Registry” ; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the north-western side of the portion of Beach Street (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

THE north-western side of all that portion of street in the Wellington Land District, Borough of Petone, known as Beach Street, abutting on part Lots 85 and 86 on D.P. 51, part Section 5, Hutt District. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57303, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.

*The North-western Side of Portion of Criterion Street, in the Town District of Bull's, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Bull's Town Board on the nineteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, viz. :—

“That the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to any part of the road known as Criterion Street, in the Town District of Bull's, that is situate or is abutting upon or is within part of Sections 66 and 86 of Block A on the plan of the Town of Bull's” ; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the north-western side of the said portion of street being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE north-western side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, Town District of Bull's, known as Criterion Street, fronting part Sections 66 and 86, Block A, on plan of the Town of Bull's. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57561, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

C. A. JEFFERY,

Acting Clerk of the Executive Council.



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

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

“The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the northern side of all that portion of Cheesman Street beginning at its junction with Churcher Street and extending for a distance of 259.52 links, being frontages of Lots 131 and 155, plan A/2021, part Section 15, Ohio Registration District, Block X, Port Nicholson Survey District”;

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the northern side of the portion of Cheesman Street described in the Schedule hereto within a distance of twenty-five feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street, situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Cheesman Street, abutting on Lots 131 and 155, plan A/2021, part Section 15, Ohio Registration District, Block X, Port Nicholson Survey District. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57568, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*The South-western Side of Portion of Hayden Street, in the City of Auckland, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

“That the Auckland City Council, having control of Hayden Street, Auckland, by resolution declares that section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said street fronting Lots 1, 2, and 3 of portion of Allotments 18, 19, and 20, Section 46, City of Auckland”;

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the south-western side of the said portion of Hayden Street (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

THE south-western side of all that portion of street situated in the North Auckland Land District, City of Auckland, known as Hayden Street, fronting Lots 1, 2, and 3, being a subdivision of Allotments 46, 47, and 48 of subdivision of Allotments 7 to 20 of Section 46, City of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on

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the plan marked P.W.D. 57229, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

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

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ROTOMAHANA-PAREKARANGI 6A Section 2 No. 1B Block, Tarawera Survey District: Approximate area, 1,510 acres.

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

*Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, 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, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

MATA AND TOKOMARU SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Block.	Approximate Area		
	A.	R.	P.
Kaupeka-a-haumia No. 1	714	0	0
” 2B	209	1	24

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

*Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, 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, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

## SCHEDULE.

## WAIREERE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Matamata North 1A .. ..	91	2	36
" 1B 1 .. ..	77	1	14
" 1B 2 .. ..	68	3	0
" 1B 3 .. ..	91	2	26
" 1D 2 .. ..	86	1	4

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

*Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, 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, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

## SCHEDULE.

## HOROHORO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Rotomahana-Parekarangi 1c .. ..	4,450	0	0

## PAEROA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Rotomahana-Parekarangi 6A Sec. 2 No. 2B No. 2	3,297	0	0
" " " No. 3B No. 1	1,350	0	0
" " " No. 3B No. 2	790	0	0
" " " No. 3B No. 3	400	0	0
" " " No. 3B No. 4	595	0	0
" " " No. 3B No. 5	1,000	0	0

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

*Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, 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, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

## SCHEDULE.

## WHAINGAROA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Waipa, Lot 73B No. 1 .. ..	19	2	17
" 73C No. 1A .. ..	78	1	30
" 73C Section 1B .. ..	19	2	28
" 74B No. 2B .. ..	257	2	13

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

*Prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, 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, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

## SCHEDULE.

## TURAHUE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Pukepoto 4A .. ..	129	0	0
" 4B .. ..	222	0	0
" 4C .. ..	165	3	0
" 5A .. ..	143	0	0
" 5B .. ..	124	0	0

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

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

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of six months the Order in Council dated the twenty-sixth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and gazetted the fifth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, but only in so far as it affects the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto, prohibiting all alienation of the land other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

## SCHEDULE.

## CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Parihaka B .. ..	36	2	35
" No. 1 .. ..	22	0	0
" No. 6 .. ..	142	2	21
" No. 7 .. ..	160	1	10
" No. 11c 1 .. ..	115	2	7
" No. 14B .. ..	83	1	1
" No. 15B .. ..	204	1	0
" No. 17 .. ..	61	1	28
" No. 20 .. ..	99	3	0
" No. 21 .. ..	58	3	14
" No. 24A .. ..	62	2	18
" No. 26 .. ..	169	3	10
" No. 27 .. ..	71	1	24
" No. 30B .. ..	97	2	0
" No. 34 .. ..	124	2	17
" No. 42 .. ..	214	2	0
" No. 49 .. ..	217	0	0
" No. 50 .. ..	196	2	16
" No. 52 .. ..	183	3	13

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

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 10th day of September, 1923.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

WAIOTAKA AND PIHANGA SURVEY DISTRICTS.

Block.	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Hautu 1B 1B .. .. .	6,901	0	0
„ 2B 1B .. .. .	7,526	0	0
„ 4B 2 .. .. .	11,483	0	0
„ 5B 2 .. .. .	6,719	0	0

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

*Notifying Lands in Canterbury Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

*Waimate County.—Waitaki Survey District.—Glenavy Township.*

SECTIONS 67 and 68, each containing 1 rood; upset price, £14.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 6th day of September, 1923.

RICH. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Portion of Primary-education Endowment in Oparara Survey District, Nelson Land District, set apart as a Site for a Public School.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

And whereas the Land Board of the Nelson Land District has duly passed a resolution recommending that the portion of the primary-education endowment described in the Schedule hereto should be set apart as a site for a public school, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Acts aforesaid, do hereby set apart the portion of the primary-education endowment described in the Schedule hereto as a site for a public school.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 4 acres 2 roods 14 perches, being Section 72, Block IX, Oparara Survey District, being part of Original Section 140, Square 159, Karamea District.

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

RICH. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Notice of Change of the Purpose of Portion of a Reserve in the Borough of Ashburton, Canterbury Land District.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 2 roods, more or less, and being Reserve No. 4073 (formerly part of Reserve 1923), situated in the Borough of Ashburton. Commencing at a point on the north-western end of Dobson Street, the same being distant 86.3 links from the most western corner of the said street; thence bounded by other part of said Reserve 1923 by lines bearing 290° 11' 30", 250 links, 19° 41' 30", 569.7 links, 96° 34', 256.7 links; and towards the south-east by part of Kermodie and Dobson Streets and a closed road, now Reserve 772x, 630.3 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/3344, 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 21st day of August, 1923.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

*Notifying the Proposed Exchange of Crown Land in the Auckland Land District for other Land.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and forty-two of the Land Act, 1908, as amended by section six of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1920, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor-General, whenever he deems it expedient in the public interest, to grant in fee-simple any area of Crown land which is subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land, and on any such exchange to pay or receive any sum by way of equality of exchange:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to exchange the Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto for the land of equal value described in the Second Schedule hereto, and the owner of the land described in the Second Schedule has agreed to such exchange:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the aforesaid

powers and authorities, doth hereby declare that it is his intention to grant in fee-simple the area of Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto in exchange for the fee-simple of the land described in the Second Schedule.

#### FIRST SCHEDULE.

##### DESCRIPTION OF LAND AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 14 acres 0 roods 13 perches, more or less, being Section 16, Block XVI, Tairua Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a peg marked 1A, 199924.1 links south and 470983.8 links east of Mount Eden; bounded towards the north-west by a line bearing 65° 51' 45", 4120.4 links; towards the south-east by lines bearing 215° 57', 1370.6 links, 258° 59', 3010.9 links, to the point of commencement.

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 0 roods 38 perches, more or less, being Section 15, Block XVI, Tairua Survey District, and bounded as follows: Commencing at a point 196403.1 links south and 478840.3 links east of Mount Eden; bounded towards the north-west by a line bearing 65° 51' 45", 2879.6 links; towards the south-east by lines bearing 233° 07', 1920.9 links, 240° 29', 439.4 links; and towards the south-west by a line bearing 285° 09', 734.5 links, to the point of commencement.

Be all the aforesaid bearings and linkages more or less. As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/1787, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

##### DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 23 acres 1 rood 34 perches, more or less, commencing at a point 198239.1 links south and 474743.9 links east of Mount Eden; bounded towards the west and north generally by lines bearing 35° 57', 458.8 links, 356° 32', 720 links, 33° 26', 250.9 links, 56° 11', 437 links, 85° 08', 655.1 links, 97° 35', 1081.1 links, 67° 35', 252.8 links, 91° 00', 654 links, 39° 32', 530.3 links, and 105° 09', 434.8 links; and towards the south-east by a line bearing 245° 51' 45", 4490.1 links, to the point of commencement: be the aforesaid bearings and linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/1787, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured yellow.

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

**RICHD. F. BOLLARD,**  
For Minister of Lands.

##### *Inspector of Scenic Reserve appointed.*

#### JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section four of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

Alfred Flower

to be an Inspector under the said Act in respect to the scenic reserve described in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### LAKE ROTOROA SHORES SCENIC RESERVE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, being Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 3 (in red), in Blocks II, VI, VII, X, and XI of the Rotoroa Survey District, and containing by estimation 5,100 acres, more or less, being a strip of land half a mile in width around the shores of Lake Rotoroa, except at the northern end, where it is bounded by the southern boundary of Section 1 of Block II of the Rotoroa Survey District, by the north-eastern boundary of Section 2 of the last-mentioned block, and by a road along the south-eastern boundary of Section 4 of the said block: excepting from the above-described area, as at the 7th day of February, 1907, all freehold lands, lands leased by the Crown, mining privileges, reserves, and roads. As the same is delineated on plan marked L. and S. 4/283, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

**RICHD. F. BOLLARD,**  
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

#### *Financial Instructions and Allowance Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces amended.*

#### JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on me by the Defence Act, 1909, and its amendments, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby amend the Financial Instructions and Allowance Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, in accordance with the Schedule hereto; and I do hereby declare that such amendment shall take effect as from the date of publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### FINANCIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS FOR THE NEW ZEALAND MILITARY FORCES.

PARAGRAPH 197 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted:—

"197. A candidate for enlistment into the N.Z. Permanent Forces will be required to pay a fee of £1 ls. for each of the two members of the Medical Board appointed to examine him, and should the opinion of a specialist be considered necessary the candidate will also be required to pay the specialist's fee. A specialist will, however, be consulted only with the approval of the D.G.M.S.

"Every candidate shall be required to deposit the amount of the medical fees as above with the Department prior to undergoing medical examination, which amount shall be immediately paid by the Receiving Officer to the credit of Public Account. Should the candidate be selected for appointment, the amount deposited by him to cover medical fees shall be refunded by the Department."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 7th day of September, 1923.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

##### *Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 6th September, 1923.

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

Mrs. Louisa Alexandra Bray

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Orepuki, as from the 1st September, 1923.

Herbert Rogers, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Kaikohe, as from the 1st October, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

##### *Inspector of Seamen appointed.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 10th September, 1923.

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

Donald Frederick McLeay, Esq.,

to be an Inspector of Seamen under section 7 of the Shipping and Seamen Amendment Act, 1913, as from the 27th day of August, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

##### *Registrar of the Supreme Court appointed.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 10th September, 1923.

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

Frank Mitchell, Esq.,

to be Registrar at Nelson of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, for the purposes of the Judicature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of September, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris appointed.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 11th September, 1923.

**T**HE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

Mrs. Evelyn Mary Louisa Kelly

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Rakaunui, as from the 27th August, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 18th September, 1923.

**I**T is hereby notified that the undermentioned persons have been appointed to be the Deputies of the Registrars of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district set respectively opposite their names, viz. :—

- |                             |    |    |                            |
|-----------------------------|----|----|----------------------------|
| Colin George Rigby..        | .. | .. | Kaitaia.                   |
| James Alexander Halpin ..   | .. | .. | Ngaruawahia (at Taupiri).* |
| William James Gregg ..      | .. | .. | Malvern.                   |
| William Thompson Simpson .. | .. | .. | Richmond.                  |

\* Births and deaths only.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 10th September, 1923.

**T**HE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Council of the County of Manukau, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Finance.

MANUKAU COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll.—Clevedon-Takanini Road Special Area Loan of £7,000.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Clevedon-Takanini Road Loan of £7,000 Special Rating Area of the County of Manukau taken on the 22nd day of August, 1923, on the proposal of the Manukau County Council to borrow the sum of £7,000 for the opening, forming, and metalling of a road from Clevedon to Takanini in the Wairoa and Papakura Ridings of the county, the number of votes recorded for the proposal was 199, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 145.

And there not being the requisite majority of at least three-fifths of the votes recorded to carry the proposal, I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1923.

FRANK M. WATERS, Chairman.  
EDGAR ASHCROFT, Returning Officer.

*The New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917.—Closing of Registers.*

The Treasury,  
Wellington, 10th September, 1923.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Register of New Zealand 4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock maturing 20th April, 1939, and the Register of New Zealand 5-per-cent. Inscribed Stock maturing 20th April, 1929, will be closed from the 1st October to the 20th October, 1923, inclusive, for the purpose of the issue of half-yearly interest.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Finance.

*Rangitaiki Land Drainage District.—Notice of Intention to make and levy Rates.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 4th September, 1923.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that it is intended, pursuant to the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910, and its amendments, to make and levy a rate for the period from the 1st April, 1923, to the 31st March, 1924, on the unimproved value of all land within the district constituted under the said Act.

The amount of such rate shall be payable in one sum on the 15th day of October, 1923.

The valuation roll of the district is open for inspection at the office of the Collector of Rates, Chief Drainage Engineer's Office, 5 Law Court Buildings, High Street, Auckland, and a copy of the same may be inspected at the office of the Chief Drainage Engineer at Thornton, near Whakatane, at all times at which those offices are open for the transaction of public business.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Lands.

*Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.*

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

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to Major G. E. Simeon, Retired List, New Zealand Forces.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Notice respecting Proposed Alteration of Boundaries of the Borough of Whakatane.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 7th September, 1923.

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

SCHEDULE.

AREA PROPOSED TO BE EXCLUDED FROM BOROUGH OF WHAKATANE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, being Allotments 260A, 260B, and Subdivision 1 of Allotment 260C, Parish of Waiuana.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Notice of Intention to take Land in Block XII, Waitaha Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road.*

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE AREA of the piece of land required to be taken :  
1 acre 1 rood 15 perches.

Being portion of Section 2004, Block XII, Waitaha Survey District (Westland R.D.).

In the Westland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56613, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged green.

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

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

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

Warden's Office, Greymouth, 29th August, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of section 30 of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914, no cause to the contrary having been shown, the mining privileges in the Schedule hereto have been struck off the Register of Mining Privileges.

J. McINDOE, Mining Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality	Registered Holder.
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.

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

Office of the Mining Registrar, Ross, 31st August, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that, unless sufficient cause to the contrary is shown within three months from date hereof, the mining privileges mentioned in the Schedule hereto will be struck off the Register.

J. W. KENNEDY, Mining Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
1824	26/3/1919	Water-race .. ..	Mount Greenland .. ..	Henry Percy Lewis.
1829	26/3/1919	" .. ..	Jones Creek .. ..	William M. Wallnutt.
1830	26/3/1919	" .. ..	Donnelly's Creek .. ..	Samuel Adams.
1831	26/3/1919	" .. ..	Bayley's Creek .. ..	Henry Percy Lewis.
1165	15/12/1915	" .. ..	Redman's Creek .. ..	Ernest Thomas Denia, Chas. Gibbons, and Fredk. J. Denia.
640	31/8/1903	Lease in mining township ..	Section 15, Ross .. ..	Pamela Olsen.
1017	9/5/1908	" .. ..	Section 14, Ross .. ..	"
874	5/3/1908	" .. ..	Sections 47, 48, and 130, Ross	Charles Free.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tokomaru Bay.*

Registrar's Office, Gisborne, 8th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Tokomaru Bay on the 3rd day of October, 1923, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1923-24.]

JOHN HARVEY, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## APPLICATIONS FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
38	Registrar, Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board	Tuatini Township, Sections 1 and 2, Block II	To determine who are the persons entitled to receive the sum of £453 compensation-money paid in respect of land taken for a post-office site.
40	Waipapu County Council ..	Tokomaru B 6C (part), B 6D 1 (part), and B 6D 2 (part)	For assessment of compensation payable for land taken for a public road.
42	" ..	Waipiro 4A, 4E, and Akuaku West 4B (part)	Ditto.
41	" ..	Tokomaru K 4C and H (part)	For assessment of compensation payable for land taken for workers' dwellings.

*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	Baker, John .. ..	New Brighton .. ..	Labourer .. ..	20/7/23	6/9/23	Testate	Christchurch.
2	Bartlett, Joseph .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	Bootmaker .. ..	27/7/23	6/9/23	"	Dunedin.
3	Brady, John Edwin .. ..	Tairāhapa .. ..	Railway fireman .. ..	23/4/23	6/9/23	Intestate	Wellington.
4	Brigham, William .. ..	Carterton .. ..	Old-age pensioner .. ..	30/6/23	31/8/23	Testate	"
5	Dalziel, James Wilfred .. ..	Shannon .. ..	Carter .. ..	20/8/23	6/9/23	Intestate	"
6	Geddes, David Milligan .. ..	Green Island .. ..	Carpenter .. ..	9/3/20	31/8/23	"	Dunedin.
7	Golding, William Richard Paternoster	Gisborne .. ..	Labourer .. ..	11/8/23	6/9/23	"	Gisborne.
8	Morgan, George .. ..	Palmerston North .. ..	Saddler .. ..	6/7/23	31/8/23	"	Wellington.
9	Naismith, James Norman	Springfield .. ..	Labourer .. ..	28/9/22	6/9/23	"	Christchurch.
10	Pollock, Edward William	Christchurch .. ..	Linesman .. ..	14/8/23	6/9/23	"	"
11	Reeve, Mary Ann or Mary Ann Booker	Burnside .. ..	Married woman .. ..	25/4/21	6/9/23	Testate	Dunedin.
12	Winchester, Ellen Harriett	Christchurch .. ..	" .. ..	8/8/23	31/8/23	"	Christchurch.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 10th September, 1923.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

## Public Trustee.—Deceased Persons' Estates under Administration.

THE PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE OF NEW ZEALAND. — INCORPORATED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACT, 1908.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE during the Month of August, 1923.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Adams, William .. ..	Gisborne ..	Trainer ..	4/8/23	Testate.
2	Anderson, John .. ..	Karori, Wellington	Retired merchant ..	12/8/23	"
3	Anderson, Peter .. ..	Waimate ..	Labourer ..	9/7/23	Intestate.
4	Anderson, William Charles	Petone ..	Bootmaker ..	27/7/23	"
5	Baker, Andrew Oliver ..	Rewanui ..	Miner ..	19/7/23	"
6	Baker, Jane Beatrice Powell	Famapale, Tonga	Spinster ..	28/2/23	Testate.
7	Baker, John .. ..	Christchurch ..	Labourer ..	27/7/23	"
8	Bamford, Alfred Herbert ..	Sumner, Christch'ch	Confectioner ..	30/5/23	Intestate.
9	Barber, William Daniel ..	Waimate ..	Fishmonger ..	5/7/23	Testate.
10	Bartlett, Joseph .. ..	Dunedin ..	Bootmaker ..	27/7/23	"
11	Batty, Alice Elizabeth ..	Blenheim ..	Spinster ..	10/6/23	Intestate.
12	Billing, Thomas John ..	New Plymouth ..	Retired farmer ..	6/7/23	Testate.
13	Birchall, Edith .. ..	Dunedin ..	Widow ..	10/7/23	Intestate.
14	Bishop, Frank Joseph ..	" ..	Chief detective ..	29/6/23	Testate.
15	Blyth, Andrew .. ..	Christchurch ..	Retired blacksmith ..	31/7/23	"
16	Brigham, William .. ..	Carterton ..	Old-age pensioner ..	30/6/23	"
17	Brougham, Henry .. ..	Palmerston North	Carrier ..	16/8/23	"
18	Burns, Alexander .. ..	Sumner, Christch'ch	Draper and stationer	19/8/23	"
19	Callaghan, John, sen. ..	Ngaire ..	Farmer ..	19/1/13	"
20	Campbell, Margaret Nicholl	Alexandra ..	Married woman ..	8/7/23	"
21	Carpenter, John Frederick Hyam	Middleston, Christchurch	Farmer ..	7/7/23	"
22	Caskie, William Edward ..	Napier ..	Shepherd ..	30/7/23	Intestate.
23	Christian, Elvina Mary Ada	Lyttelton ..	Widow ..	14/8/23	Testate.
24	Clark, Esther .. ..	Port Chalmers ..	Married woman ..	27/7/23	Intestate.
25	Coghil, Flora .. ..	Dunedin ..	Widow ..	28/7/23	Testate.
26	Collie, Leslie Middleton	Masterton ..	Storekeeper ..	16/8/23	Intestate.
27	Court, John .. ..	Palmerston North	Chef ..	20/7/23	"
28	Crockett, George .. ..	Christchurch ..	Retired schoolmaster	16/8/23	Testate.
29	Dall, Jane Ann .. ..	Wellington ..	Married woman ..	26/6/23	Intestate.
30	Dalziel, James Wilfred ..	Shannon ..	Labourer ..	20/8/23	"
31	Death, Mary .. ..	Marton ..	Married woman ..	12/7/23	"
32	Desmond, Patrick .. ..	Auckland ..	Settler ..	28/6/23	Testate.
33	Dickens, Flora Esther ..	Masterton ..	Married woman ..	17/7/23	"
34	Dillon, Michael .. ..	Opunake ..	Bricklayer ..	6/7/23	Intestate.
35	Dimant, Emmanuel .. ..	Nelson ..	Warehouseman ..	21/8/23	"
36	Disciaciati, John Baptista	Wellington ..	Labourer ..	29/6/23	Testate.
37	Dixon, Henry .. ..	Mataura ..	Farmer and watch-maker	27/6/23	"
38	Donnell, Isabella Kate ..	" ..	Married woman ..	28/7/23	Intestate.
39	Dunbar, David .. ..	Palmerston North	Pensioner ..	1/8/23	Testate.
40	East, Thomas .. ..	Greymouth ..	Painter ..	15/7/23	"
41	Empson, Thomas .. ..	Christchurch ..	Carpenter ..	12/7/23	Intestate.
42	Everitt, John .. ..	Dunedin ..	Miner ..	11/7/23	"
43	Fisher, Prudence Leah ..	Christchurch ..	Widow ..	1/8/23	"
44	Forbes, John .. ..	Dunedin ..	Joiner ..	11/7/23	Testate.
45	Fordham, James .. ..	Cambrian ..	Retired miner ..	30/6/23	"
46	Fossett, Henry .. ..	Collingwood, Victoria	Ironmonger ..	1/12/17	"
47	Galletly, Andrew Bonar ..	Maronan, Ashburton	Farmer ..	15/8/23	Intestate.
48	Geddes, David Milligan ..	Green Island ..	Carpenter ..	9/3/20	"
49	Glennie, James Frederick	Oamaru ..	Contractor ..	26/7/23	"
50	Golding, William Richard Paternoster	Patutahi ..	Railway employee ..	11/8/23	"
51	Goodall, Edward .. ..	Wellington ..	Company-manager ..	1/8/23	Testate.
52	Goodwin, William .. ..	Waipukurau ..	Sheep-farmer ..	23/8/23	"
53	Grant, Alexander McGregor	Te Whaiti ..	Police constable ..	8/7/23	"
54	Griffin, Minnie Helen ..	Kamo ..	Married woman ..	20/8/23	Intestate.
55	Guthrie, Catherine .. ..	Gisborne ..	" ..	10/8/23	"
56	Halstead, Thomas Wilson	Auckland ..	Bootmaker ..	23/7/23	Testate.
57	Halvorsen, Anders .. ..	London, England	Farm labourer ..	18/9/22	Intestate.
58	Hamilton, Frances .. ..	Christchurch ..	Widow ..	25/1/99	Testate.
59	Hand, John .. ..	Dunedin ..	Retired surfaceman	11/8/23	"
60	Hayes, Thomas .. ..	Auckland ..	Settler ..	1/8/23	"
61	Hebling, Valentine .. ..	Stratford ..	Dairy factory employee	7/8/23	"
62	Heyman, Johann Michael	Wellington ..	Old-age pensioner ..	29/5/23	Intestate.
63	Hodgetts, Maria .. ..	Palmerston South	Widow ..	29/6/23	Testate.
64	Hodgetts, Thomas .. ..	" ..	Tailor ..	24/6/18	Intestate.
65	Hogg, Ralph .. ..	Eastbourne ..	Grocer ..	9/8/23	"
66	Hogwood, Rosa .. ..	Christchurch ..	Widow ..	5/8/23	Testate.
67	Hollywood, John .. ..	Devonport ..	Retired Postmaster ..	10/8/23	"
68	Haugh, James .. ..	Motueka ..	Native ..	6/10/21	Intestate.
69	Hutchings, Emanuel .. ..	Whangarei ..	Orchardist ..	8/8/23	Testate.
70	Irving, Joseph .. ..	Christchurch ..	Retired shunter ..	29/7/23	"
71	Jackson, Alice Catherine ..	" ..	Spinster ..	24/7/23	"
72	James, Emily .. ..	Porirua Mental Hospital	Widow ..	7/8/23	"
73	Johnson, Mathew .. ..	Aokautere ..	Farmer ..	16/8/23	"
74	Johnston, Susan Eliza ..	Auckland ..	Spinster ..	20/7/23	Intestate.

## DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES UNDER ADMINISTRATION—continued.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
75	Jones, Arthur .. ..	Dunedin ..	Baker .. ..	2/8/23	Testate.
76	Kennedy, John .. ..	Raurimu ..	Settler .. ..	26/6/23	"
77	Kohi Kingi .. ..	Otorohanga ..	Minor .. ..	1/5/23	Intestate.
78	Large, John Thompson .. ..	Auckland ..	Gentleman ..	30/7/23	Testate.
79	Lawson, Walter .. ..	Christchurch ..	Labourer .. ..	2/8/23	"
80	Macandrew, William .. ..	Dunedin ..	Retired teacher ..	14/7/23	"
81	MacBeth, Harry Hopkins .. ..	Canada ..	Traveller .. ..	15/7/22	Intestate.
82	MacKenzie, Fanny .. ..	Dunedin ..	Widow .. ..	22/7/23	Testate.
83	Madeley, Richard .. ..	Auckland ..	Hairdresser ..	9/7/23	Intestate.
84	Maitland, David Paterson .. ..	London ..	Journalist .. ..	12/5/23	Testate.
85	Manning, Sarah Lilian Annie .. ..	Taumarunui ..	Tailoress .. ..	11/5/23	"
86	McChesney, Janet Furness .. ..	Masterton ..	Spinster .. ..	30/7/23	Intestate.
87	McCleery, Ann Eliza .. ..	Christchurch ..	Widow .. ..	26/7/23	Testate.
88	McEachen, James .. ..	Nelson ..	Printer .. ..	9/8/23	"
89	McFerran, James .. ..	Christchurch ..	Contractor .. ..	14/7/23	Intestate.
90	McGrath, Margaret .. ..	Doyleston ..	Married woman ..	28/7/23	"
91	McGregor, Duncan .. ..	Wairoa ..	Bank-manager ..	22/7/23	Testate.
92	McKernan, John .. ..	Auckland ..	Waterside worker ..	8/5/23	Intestate.
93	McLelland, John .. ..	Christchurch ..	News-vendor ..	18/7/23	Testate.
94	McMahon, Ellen .. ..	Wellington ..	Widow .. ..	19/7/23	"
95	Wills, Jessie .. ..	Dunedin ..	" .. ..	5/7/23	"
96	Michell, Mary Gordon .. ..	Christchurch ..	" .. ..	21/7/23	Intestate.
97	Morgan, George .. ..	Palmerston North ..	Saddler .. ..	6/7/23	"
98	Moncrieff, John .. ..	Nelson ..	Retired farmer ..	30/7/23	Testate.
99	Murray, Louisa .. ..	Stratford ..	Married woman ..	27/7/23	Intestate.
100	Murray, Mary .. ..	Balclutha ..	" .. ..	29/7/23	Testate.
101	Murray, Thomas Moore .. ..	Wellington ..	Engineer .. ..	7/6/23	"
102	Naismith, James Norman .. ..	Springfield ..	Labourer .. ..	28/9/22	Intestate.
103	Nash, Obed .. ..	Cardiff, Taranaki ..	Settler .. ..	20/8/23	Testate.
104	Neagle, James .. ..	Dannevirke ..	Saddler .. ..	20/7/23	"
105	Newcombe, William Henry .. ..	Middlemarch ..	Labourer .. ..	31/7/23	Intestate.
106	Nicolls, William Owen Strangward .. ..	Feilding ..	Librarian .. ..	19/7/23	Testate.
107	Nockels, Francis Leonard .. ..	Napier ..	Accountant .. ..	20/7/23	"
108	Norris, Dominick .. ..	Westport ..	Miner .. ..	25/1/23	Intestate.
109	O'Grady, Thomas .. ..	Auckland ..	Labourer .. ..	10/8/23	"
110	Ollerenshaw, Sarah .. ..	Dunedin ..	Widow .. ..	16/7/23	Testate.
111	O'Neill, Michael .. ..	Wellington ..	Labourer .. ..	7/8/23	Intestate.
112	Parker, Honoria .. ..	Auckland ..	Widow .. ..	1/8/23	Testate.
113	Paterson, John .. ..	Otaio ..	Farmer .. ..	19/7/23	"
114	Patterson, James Purves .. ..	Dunedin ..	Gardener .. ..	21/7/23	Intestate.
115	Pearce, Frank Augustus .. ..	Auckland ..	Retired .. ..	16/8/23	Testate.
116	Peascod, Edith Kate .. ..	New Lynn ..	Postmistress ..	30/7/23	Intestate.
117	Petschuket, William George .. ..	Papatoetoe ..	Farm labourer ..	6/7/23	"
118	Pierce, John Thomas .. ..	Piriaka ..	Farmer .. ..	18/7/23	"
119	Pike, Joseph Benjamin .. ..	Tai Tapu, Christchurch ..	Drover .. ..	7/7/23	"
120	Plank, Elleanora Ann .. ..	Christchurch ..	Married woman ..	2/9/22	Testate.
121	Plier, Frederick James .. ..	Gisborne ..	Roadman .. ..	23/7/23	Intestate.
122	Pola, Giacomo .. ..	Daylesford, Victoria ..	Labourer .. ..	4/3/21	"
123	Pollock, Edward William .. ..	Christchurch ..	Line-erector ..	14/8/23	Testate.
124	Pryor, Thomas James .. ..	Stillwater ..	Retired miner ..	1/7/23	Testate.
125	Purdy, George .. ..	Hikurangi ..	Blacksmith .. ..	15/8/23	"
126	Quinn, John Richard .. ..	Gisborne ..	Hotel-manager ..	3/8/23	"
127	Rich, Elizabeth Ann .. ..	Macrae's Flat ..	Spinster .. ..	1/7/23	Intestate.
128	Robinson, Charles Andrew .. ..	Whangarei Heads ..	Farmer .. ..	14/5/23	"
129	Ross, Robert .. ..	Dunedin ..	Retired railway servant ..	26/7/23	Testate.
130	Sanders, James .. ..	" ..	Labourer .. ..	28/7/23	"
131	Sanders, Thomas .. ..	Tangiteroria ..	Farmer .. ..	13/8/23	"
132	Sinclair, James .. ..	Dunedin ..	Watchmaker ..	25/7/23	"
133	Skipper, Annie Mary .. ..	Tauranga ..	Widow .. ..	25/5/23	Intestate.
134	Smith, Alice Maude .. ..	Wellington ..	" .. ..	28/6/23	Testate.
135	Speak, John William .. ..	" ..	Labourer .. ..	8/8/23	Intestate.
136	Taylor, Isabella .. ..	Dunedin ..	Widow .. ..	18/7/23	Testate.
137	Taylor, Janet M. .. ..	Wellington ..	" .. ..	7/8/23	Intestate.
138	Taylor, Robert .. ..	Swanson, Auckland ..	Carpenter .. ..	20/6/23	"
139	Terry, Ada .. ..	Hamilton ..	Widow .. ..	16/8/23	"
140	Terry, Margaret .. ..	Christchurch ..	Married woman ..	9/8/23	"
141	Traynor, Emma Jane .. ..	Wyndham ..	Widow .. ..	19/7/23	Testate.
142	Turner, George .. ..	Dunedin ..	Retired railway servant ..	6/8/23	Intestate.
143	Tyson, Abraham .. ..	Styx, Christchurch ..	Farmer .. ..	24/7/23	Testate.
144	Vickers, William .. ..	Devonport ..	Carrier .. ..	3/7/23	"
145	Vyle, Winifred .. ..	Greymouth ..	Spinster .. ..	17/7/23	Intestate.
146	Walker, Maud Mildred .. ..	Lower Hutt ..	" .. ..	27/7/23	"
147	Westwood, Robert Mair .. ..	Mosgiel ..	County Council Inspector ..	14/7/23	Testate.
148	Whitaker, Cyril Hazlewood .. ..	New Plymouth ..	Leadlight-maker ..	6/6/23	Intestate.
149	Whyte, James Allen .. ..	Dunedin ..	Labourer .. ..	30/5/23	Testate.
150	Willcox, John Taylor .. ..	Te Puhu ..	Farmer .. ..	3/8/23	Intestate.
151	Williams, John .. ..	Timaru ..	Retired railway servant ..	15/7/23	Testate.
152	Wilmot, Isabella .. ..	Christchurch ..	Married woman ..	16/7/23	Intestate.
153	Wilson, Cuthbert Gibson .. ..	Mount Eden ..	Railway employee ..	21/7/23	"
154	Winchester, Ellen Harriett .. ..	Christchurch ..	Married woman ..	8/8/23	Testate.
155	Wise, Edwin Thomas .. ..	Ellesmere ..	Farmer .. ..	27/7/23	Intestate.
156	Worley, William Frederick .. ..	Nelson ..	School-teacher ..	4/8/23	Testate.
157	Wright, Elizabeth .. ..	Wanganui ..	Widow .. ..	21/7/23	"



Supplementary Graded List of Primary-school Teachers, 1923.

Education Department,  
Wellington, 31st August, 1923.

THE following list of teachers is issued under the authority of the Minister of Education, in accordance with the Regulations for the Grading of Teachers. The list shows the alterations made in the graded list of teachers since 9th April, 1923, and contains the names of teachers not previously graded and of those whose grading has been altered as a result of—

- (a.) Corrections ;
- (b.) Alteration in certificate ;
- (c.) Alterations made by the Grading Appeal Board in marks awarded by Inspectors.

JNO. CAUGHLEY, Director of Education.

Name.	Certificate.	Corrected Consecutive Number in Graded List.	Grading District.
Adams, Ida Helen ..	C	211	Auckland.
Aitcheson, Mary Jane ..	C	213	Otago.
Aitchison, Evelyn Rose ..	D	151	Wellington.
Anschutz, Richard Paul, B.A.	B	209	Auckland.
Armstrong, Florence Beatrice	C	214	Auckland.
Askew, Bertha Kezia ..	C	213	Wellington.
Atkin, Eva Vivian ..	D	197	Wellington.
Banks, Mona Eileen ..	C	215	Auckland.
Barber, James Harold ..	B	148	Wanganui.
Barker, Berenice Anita ..	D	221	Auckland.
Barkley, Mary ..	D	226	Auckland.
Bartley, Olive Muriel ..	D	210	Auckland.
Barwick, Doreen Winifred, B.A.	B	214	Auckland.
Battersby, Rose Isabella ..	B	204	Wellington.
Beggs, Phyllis Eileen, B.Sc.	B	210	Wellington.
Bell, Christina Sylvia ..	B	203	Otago.
Berg, Frederick Roland Niblett	B	110	Canterbury.
Berrymann, Adeline Lorne ..	D	196	Auckland.
Bicheno, William Clarence ..	C	129	Taranaki.
Bickerton, William Maxwell, B.A. ..	A	205	Wellington.
Bigelow, John Edwin ..	C	211	Auckland.
Billcliff, Leslie Garfield ..	C	211*	Hawke's Bay.
Binsted, Henry ..	B	81	Auckland.
Birdsall, Thomas Ralph ..	C	220	Auckland.
Bishop, Emily Elizabeth ..	C	210	Auckland.
Blackman, Joseph Henry ..	D	223	Canterbury.
Blake, Marjory Helen ..	C	218	Wellington.
Bonner, Lucy ..	C	210	Auckland.
Boraman, Walter James, M.A.	A	137	Otago.
Boswell, Charles Wallace ..	C	111	Auckland.
Bowie, George Henderson ..	B	205	Otago.
Brebner, Rita ..	C	212	Otago.
Brew, Frederick Chadwick, M.A.	A	85	Auckland.
Brighton, Isabell ..	D	218	Southland.
Bruce, Francis Alexander ..	D	219	Taranaki.
Buchan, John ..	B	127	Otago.
Buckingham, Lucy ..	C	206	Otago.
Butemont, Constance Alice ..	C	205	Wanganui.
Butler, Daisy Eileen (Mrs.) ..	D	225	Southland.
Calder, Henry Leslie, B.A. ..	B	199	Otago.
Cameron, George ..	C	112	Southland.
Campbell, William Mortimer ..	B	149	Canterbury.
Carnachan, Janet Mavis ..	C	218	Auckland.
Cartwright, William John ..	B	118	Canterbury.
Cassie, Jessie ..	B	211	Otago.
Childe, Marjory (Mrs.) ..	D	215	Nelson.
Clague, Edith Elizabeth Maud	B	189	Canterbury.
Clague, John Harold Percy ..	D	222	Canterbury.
Clay, Douglas Sidney ..	C	210	Wellington.
Conly, John Henry ..	B	205	Otago.
Conway, Walter Hugh ..	B	210	Canterbury.
Cook, Olivia May ..	B	116	Wanganui.
Couch, George Bond ..	B	166	Otago.
Cox, Lucy Millicent ..	D	219	Auckland.
Crawford, William, M.A. ..	A	122	Canterbury.
Cuming, Samuel Rewi, B.A. ..	B	191	Canterbury.
Cumming, Clyde Alexander, M.A.	B	60	Hawke's Bay.
Davey, Dorothy May ..	C	216	Wellington.
Davis, Edna Mary ..	B	212	Auckland.
Daws, Bernard Vincent ..	D	224	Wellington.
Dickie, Roy Andrews ..	B	206	Otago.
Doak, Rachel McGibbon ..	C	212	Otago.
Doak, Rubina ..	D	221	Otago.
Downey, Elsie Annie ..	C	210	Auckland.

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Driller, William James ..	D	102	Hawke's Bay.
Dubery, Elizabeth Winifred ..	D	186	Auckland.
Dunn, Leta Annita Lizzette ..	C	211	Otago.
Duston, Mary (Mrs.) ..	D	177*	Southland.
Dyer, May Emma (Mrs.) ..	D	209	Auckland.
Edge, George Joseph ..	D	231	Auckland.
Edwards, Ralph Wallace ..	B	145	Wellington.
Elliott, Mary Kerr ..	C	212	Otago.
Elmore, Margaret Ethel ..	C	212	Auckland.
Ensor, Leonard le Fleming ..	B	203	Canterbury.
Erickson, Dagny Ellen Edna, B.A. ..	B	211	Wellington.
Evans, Eurfryn, M.A. ..	A	139	Wellington.
Exelby, Evelyn Ruth ..	B	197	Auckland.
Fairbrother, Lewis Mervyn ..	D	195	Hawke's Bay.
Farmer, Alice (Mrs.) ..	D	171	Auckland.
Faulkner, Mary ..	B	210	Otago.
Fawcett, Horace ..	B	89	Otago.
Feltham, Edgar Charles, B.A. ..	B	91	Wellington.
Finlayson, Annie Christina, M.A., B.Sc. ..	A	98	Canterbury.
Fitzgerald, Mary ..	D	195	Auckland.
Fletcher, Thomas Alfred ..	B	87*	Department.
Fortune, Wilfred Henry ..	C	153	Auckland.
Fraser, Christina Adelaide ..	C	169	Wellington.
Fraser, Percy James ..	C	213	Otago.
Freeman, Ethel Evelyn ..	D	222	Auckland.
Gage, Sophia Penman ..	C	214	Otago.
Galloway, Jessie Isabella ..	D	227	Southland.
Gibb, Irene Winifred ..	B	205	Otago.
Gledstane, Helen ..	D	160	Auckland.
Graham, William George ..	C	90	Auckland.
Grant, John Black ..	C	29	Otago.
Grant, John Buchanan ..	C	63	Otago.
Grant, William ..	B	201	Otago.
Gray, Evelyn ..	C	182	Otago.
Greene, Clarisse Alma ..	C	212	Otago.
Grice, Rose Winifred ..	D	214	Wanganui.
Hamilton, Thomas George ..	B	201	Auckland.
Hansen, Mary ..	D	153	Canterbury.
Hargest, Edwin ..	D	215	Southland.
Harris, Elizabeth ..	D	186	Wanganui.
Harvey, Dorothea ..	D	206	Wanganui.
Hayward, Vera Annie ..	C	212	Otago.
Hepburn, David John ..	D	143	Otago.
Hickey, Rosanna (Mrs.) ..	D	202	Auckland.
Hill, Clement Alfred ..	C	211	Otago.
Hillam, Ernest Brock ..	D	187	Auckland.
Hilliard, Kathleen ..	B	152	Wellington.
Hinton, Winifred Jessie ..	D	226	Taranaki.
Hoben, Moynagh Bruce ..	D	226	Canterbury.
Holgerson, Inger ..	B	203	Wellington.
Holland, Edith Olive Pearl ..	B	202	Wellington.
Homan, Phyllis Margaret ..	C	210	Otago.
Hooper, Eva Myra Elizabeth, L.L.A. ..	B	91	Wellington.
Howarth, Oswald John ..	B	75	Wellington.
Huse, Albert Arthur, B.Sc. ..	B	167*	Taranaki.
Jackman, Clarence Valentine ..	C	157	Canterbury.
Jameson, Marjory (Mrs.) ..	D	170	Auckland.
Jewell, Mary Jane Josephine (Mrs.) ..	D	191*	Wanganui.
Johns, Walter Dennis ..	B	146	Hawke's Bay.
Johnstone, Edith Isabel ..	D	221	Wellington.
Kendon, Gladys Muriel Christina	D	193	Auckland.
Kennedy, Archibald Patrick Leslie ..	C	130	Canterbury.
Kerr, Frank William ..	B	203	Wellington.
Keyworth, Margaret Ruth, B.A.	B	204	Wellington.
Kidson, Edward Winton ..	B	209	Canterbury.
Kilsby, Alfred Stephen ..	B	212	Wellington.
Kirby, Harold Alexander Samuel Moore ..	B	202	Canterbury.
Lang, Mary Christina ..	C	168	Auckland.
Leadbetter, Malcolm ..	B	205	Wellington.
Lee, Elsie Violet (Mrs.) ..	D	180	Taranaki.
Lee, Frances Eugenie ..	B	208	Auckland.
Lee, Gerald Trevor ..	B	202	Auckland.
Lenihan, James ..	C	101	Southland.
Le Petit, Eric Norman ..	B	178	Hawke's Bay.
Leslie, David Ernest ..	B	26	Wellington.
Ling, Lucy Prior (Mrs.) ..	D	195	Auckland.
Lysaght, Marion Linda ..	B	196	Auckland.

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McAhan, Gilbert Eric, B.A.	B	196	Otago.	Smart, David Lawson ]	C	155*	Hawke's Bay.
McAteer, Margaret Veronica	B	199	Wellington.	Smith, Flora Agnes	C	223	Canterbury.
McCaw, Marion Bell	C	214	Otago.	Smith, Florence Alice	B	187	Otago.
McDonald, Ellen Margaret (Mrs.)	C	180	Auckland.	Smith, James Christian	C	138	Otago.
Macintosh, Christina Kathleen	B	202	Canterbury.	Smith, William Millar, M.A.	A	143	Auckland.
McKay, Duncan	C	130	Southland.	Squire, Donald Stanley Byron	C	96	Auckland.
McKay, Hector Keith	B	203	Otago.	Steinert, Eleanor Emily	C	213	Auckland.
Mackay, Leslie Donald	C	143*	Southland.	Stephens, Emily Elizabeth, M.A.	A	197	Otago.
Mackenzie, James Ian Stewart	D	171	Auckland.	Stockhill, Irene Mabel (Mrs.)	D	194	Canterbury.
McKenzie, Violet Athol	C	210	Canterbury.	Strong, Edward Albert	B	135	Hawke's Bay.
Mackie, Howard James	C	110	Canterbury.	Surrey, Freda Jessica	D	227	Taranaki.
McKinlay, William, B.A.	B	207	Auckland.	Sutton, Constance Graham	B	206	Wellington.
McLauchlan, Ewen	D	220	Southland.	Swinbourn, William Alexander	C	58	Taranaki.
McLean, Charles James, M.A.	A	83	Auckland.	Talbot, Harry	B	178	Wellington.
McNaughton, Donald Stuart, B.A.	B	155	Otago	Tank, Leslie James	C	207	Canterbury.
Madeley, Ethel May, M.A.	B	191	Wellington.	Tatton, Joseph Arthur	D	130	Auckland.
Mark, Bessie Rhoda	D	184	Auckland.	Taylor, Ruth Muriel	C	219	Auckland.
Marks, Horace Robert	D	148	Canterbury.	Thomas, John Laing, B.A.	B	205	Otago.
Marshall, Eliza (Mrs.)	D	194	Auckland.	Thomas, Violet Vera	D	209	Hawke's Bay.
Martin, Frederick William, M.A., B.Sc.	B	82*	Wellington.	Thomas, William (ii), B.A.	B	197*	Otago.
Mason, Reweti Oratosh	B	203	Otago.	Thompson, Herbert Walter	C	206	Southland.
Mathew, Kathleen Annie	B	205	Auckland.	Thomson, Lawrence Frederick	B	163	Canterbury.
Mayell, Eric Ebenezer	B	166	Auckland.	Thwaites, Irene Evelyn	D	225	Wellington.
Maysmor, Olive Edna (Mrs.)	D	179	Wellington.	Tidd, Florence Emily Pretoria	C	209	Auckland.
Mayville, Mary Janet	C	215	Otago.	Tills, Harry Hilton Hare	D	200	Auckland.
Miller, James McKerrow	C	185	Southland.	Torkington, Agnes Mary	D	227	Auckland.
Mirrielees, Kathleen Joan	C	210	Auckland.	Tulloch, Lena Maude	C	214	Auckland.
Money, Herbert	B	206	Canterbury.	Udrill, Lauris Reta	D	223	Canterbury.
Montgomery, Jessie Dunn (Mrs.)	D	201	Canterbury.	Vague, Rosa	C	186	Canterbury.
Moore, Neville Arthur, B.A.	B	186*	Canterbury.	Valentine, Hilda Mary Florence, M.A.	A	202	Canterbury.
Morgan, Leonard Owen	C	203	Auckland.	Vickery, Rosa Olga (Mrs.)	D	221	Southland.
Munro, Edna Frances	B	200	Wellington.	Wagstaff, Wilfred Llewellyn	B	101	Taranaki.
Newhook, Clara Frances, L.L.A.	B	134	Auckland.	Wallace, William	C	210	Otago.
Noble, Violet Annie	C	220	Auckland.	Ward, Reginald James	C	221	Auckland.
Noone, Isabella	D	133	Otago.	Ward, Richard Dudley	C	189	Hawke's Bay.
O'Callaghan, Agnes Josephine Cecilia	D	210	Auckland.	Watkins, Charles Claude, B.A.	B	150	Canterbury.
O'Halloran, Kevin Howard	B	204	Auckland.	Watson, Harold Clement Nel- ham, M.A.	B	59	Canterbury.
O'Neill, Oenone Jean Marie	D	214	Auckland.	Watson, Jane Dieudonné May	C	210	Otago.
O'Sullivan, Margaret Mary	D	204	Nelson.	Watson, Robert Aloysius	C	207	Auckland.
Partridge, Alice Louisa	D	109*	Canterbury.	Webb, Richard George	B	204	Otago.
Paterson, James Edgar Rankin, B.A.	B	202	Otago.	Webb, Williamina Innes (Mrs.)	D	212	Southland.
Pearson, Robert Steele	C	52	Canterbury.	Williams, Annie Marion	C	210	Canterbury.
Penlington, Dorothy May	B	206	Canterbury.	Wilson, Ella Catherine, M.A.	A	182	Wellington.
Pigott, Emily Leonora	B	150	Wanganui.	Wilson, Ellen	D	221	Otago.
Pitt, Alfred Wilson	B	128	Canterbury.	Wilson, John McVean	B	129	Otago.
Place, Mildred Mary	D	228	Auckland.	Wise, Herbert Percival, M.A.	A	192	Canterbury.
Price, Francis Mathew, M.A.	A	132	Auckland.	Wiseman, Ivy Ethel	D	224	Hawke's Bay.
Prideaux, Avice Catherine	C	218	Auckland.	Wright, Jessie Isabel	D	220	Otago.
Pugh, Eileen Mary	D	209	Hawke's Bay.	Wyllie, Ellen Mary	B	207	Otago.
Purchas, Elizabeth Margaret	B	210	Canterbury.	Yates, Otho Henry Edward, M.A.	A	184	Wanganui.
Rains, Catherine Maud	D	186	Wellington.	York, Evan Plas	C	178	Auckland.
Rawstorn, Albert John	B	184	Nelson.	Young, Sarah Mildred Jane	D	146*	Wellington.
Reid, John (iv), B.A.	B	61*	Otago.				
Reid, Rita Jean	C	221	Auckland.				
Rice, Dorothy Jewell	D	213	Auckland.				
Rich, Eileen Winifred	D	224	Auckland.				
Robertson, Myrtle Janet	C	211	Otago.				
Robertson, Nancy Leah	C	214	Auckland.				
Robins, Isobel Rito Dumont	B	193	Auckland.				
Robins, Zellie Duprey	B	208	Auckland.				
Robinson, Mary Honora (Mrs.)	D	140	Taranaki.				
Rodgers, John	B	84	Wellington.				
Rogers, Maurice Newton, M.Sc.	A	209*	Wellington.				
Ronayne, May Belle	C	213	Auckland.				
Rowley, Lilian Ruth	C	196	Auckland.				
St. John, Edmund	B	209	Canterbury.				
Scholes, Olive Isabel (Mrs.)	D	171	Wellington.				
Scott, Janet	D	238	Auckland.				
Seay, Margaret Jean Adele	D	223	Canterbury.				
Shepherd, Frank Medland	C	184	Auckland.				
Short, Raymond	C	209	Wellington.				
Silcock, Harold Frederick Stanley	C	208	Wellington.				
Sim, Mary Wilson	C	215	Otago.				
Simpson, Mary Beryl Coronvia Annie	C	220	Auckland.				
Singleton, Charles Horace	C	215	Auckland.				
Sligo, Alexander James	B	202	Otago.				
Smallfield, Roy	B	194	Auckland.				

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*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kaikohe on  
26th September, 1923.*

Registrar's Office,  
Auckland, 17th August, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Kaikohe on the 26th day of September, 1923, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

Notice is hereby also given that the Court will adjourn if necessary and sit at Ohaeawai.

[Tokerau, 1923-11.] E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

## SCHEDULE.

## COMPENSATION UNDER PUBLIC WORKS ACT.

No.	Applicant.	Name of Land.	Nature of Application.
34	Minister of Public Works	Omapere 1B, Omapere 3, Papakauri D, Omapere 1B, and Omapere 3	Assessment of compensation for area taken for a railway and road.

## Vital Statistics of Urban Areas.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of August, 1923. :-

	Estimated Population 1st April, 1923.	Total Births registered, August, 1923.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1923.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 1923.
				Males.			Females.				
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
Auckland City	86,105	142	1.65	7	..	54	1	..	39	101	1.17
Remainder of Urban Area ..	81,655	172	2.11	7	..	36	2	1	34	80	0.98
Total for Auckland Urban Area	167,760	314	1.87	14	..	90	3	1	73	181	1.08
Wellington City ..	92,590	141	1.52	8	2	33	4	2	63	112	1.21
Remainder of Urban Area ..	19,480	35	1.80	..	1	14	1	..	8	24	1.23
Total for Wellington Urban Area	112,070	176	1.57	8	3	47	5	2	71	136	1.21
Christchurch City ..	79,450	136	1.71	10	..	30	5	1	39	85	1.07
Remainder of Urban Area ..	33,950	59	1.74	2	..	11	1	..	10	24	0.71
Total for Christchurch Urban Area	113,400	195	1.72	12	..	41	6	1	49	109	0.96
Dunedin City ..	60,325	95	1.57	6	..	50	5	..	40	101	1.67
Remainder of Urban Area ..	14,725	20	1.36	1	..	9	..	1	4	15	1.02
Total for Dunedin Urban Area	75,050	115	1.53	7	..	59	5	1	44	116	1.55
Hamilton Borough ..	12,920	36	2.79	1	2	3	1	..	7	14	1.08
Remainder of Urban Area ..	2,430	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total for Hamilton Urban Area	15,350	36	2.35	1	2	3	1	..	7	14	0.91
Gisborne Borough ..	11,520	28	2.43	..	..	10	..	1	4	15	1.30
Remainder of Urban Area ..	3,600	5	1.39	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.28
Total for Gisborne Urban Area	15,120	33	2.18	..	..	10	..	1	5	16	1.06
Napier Borough ..	14,940	26	1.74	2	..	12	..	2	8	24	1.61
Remainder of Urban Area ..	2,930	4	1.37	..	..	6	..	..	1	7	2.39
Total for Napier Urban Area	17,870	30	1.68	2	..	18	..	2	9	31	1.73
Hastings Borough ..	9,735	21	2.16	1	..	3	..	2	4	10	1.03
Remainder of Urban Area ..	3,995	3	0.75	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.25
Total for Hastings Urban Area	13,730	24	1.75	1	..	3	..	2	5	11	0.80
New Plymouth Borough ..	12,630	24	1.90	..	1	11	1	..	6	19	1.50
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,300	3	2.31	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	1.54
Total for New Plymouth Urban Area	13,930	27	1.94	..	1	13	1	..	6	21	1.51
Wanganui Borough ..	17,165	38	2.21	5	..	8	1	..	9	23	1.34
Remainder of Urban Area ..	7,285	20	2.75	2	1	3	1	..	4	11	1.51
Total for Wanganui Urban Area	24,450	58	2.37	7	1	11	2	..	13	34	1.39
Palmerston North Borough ..	16,545	41	2.48	3	..	10	2	..	8	23	1.39
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,265	3	2.37	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	2.37
Total for Palmerston North Urban Area	17,810	44	2.47	3	..	13	2	..	8	26	1.46
Nelson City ..	9,820	19	1.93	1	1	9	..	..	7	18	1.83
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,420	1	0.70	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.70
Total for Nelson Urban Area	11,240	20	1.78	1	1	10	..	..	7	19	1.69
Timaru Borough ..	14,975	15	1.00	2	..	8	1	..	9	20	1.34
Remainder of Urban Area ..	1,475	1	0.68	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.68
Total for Timaru Urban Area	16,450	16	0.97	2	..	9	1	..	9	21	1.28
Invercargill Borough ..	16,060	36	2.24	1	1	7	..	..	5	14	0.87
Remainder of Urban Area ..	4,120	2	0.49	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	0.49
Total for Invercargill Urban Area	20,180	38	1.88	1	1	7	..	..	7	16	0.79
Grand totals ..	634,410	1,126	1.79	59	9	334	26	10	313	751	1.18

The total births registered for the urban areas amounted to 1,126, as against 1,047 in July—an increase of 79. The deaths in August were 751, a decrease of 29 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 402, females 349. One hundred and four of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 13·85 per cent. of the whole number. Eighty-five of these were under one year of age.

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

Urban Area.	Birth Rate.		Death Rate.	
	August, 1922.	August, 1923.	August, 1922.	August, 1923.
Auckland .. .. .	1·49	1·87	0·99	1·08
Wellington .. .. .	1·53	1·57	0·92	1·21
Christchurch .. .. .	1·53	1·72	1·13	0·96
Dunedin .. .. .	1·71	1·53	1·14	1·55
Hamilton .. .. .	1·67	2·35	1·07	0·91
Gisborne .. .. .	2·14	2·18	0·67	1·06
Napier .. .. .	1·98	1·68	1·25	1·73
Hastings .. .. .	3·25	1·75	0·59	0·80
New Plymouth .. .. .	2·15	1·04	0·67	1·51
Wanganui .. .. .	2·03	2·37	0·91	1·39
Palmerston North .. .. .	2·17	2·47	0·34	1·46
Nelson .. .. .	1·56	1·78	1·19	1·69
Timaru .. .. .	1·37	0·97	0·94	1·28
Invercargill .. .. .	1·53	1·88	0·66	0·79
Totals for all areas .. .. .	1·66	1·79	0·98	1·18

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

Age-group.	URBAN AREAS.										Total.	
	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Others		Males.	Females.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
Under 5 years ..	14	4	11	7	12	7	7	6	24	12	68	36
5 and under 10 years ..	2	..	4	..	1	..	3	..	3	1	13	1
10 " 15 " ..	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	4
15 " 20 " ..	..	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	3	5
20 " 25 " ..	2	3	1	2	..	..	1	..	5	4	9	9
25 " 30 " ..	1	1	..	4	2	..	..	1	2	3	5	9
30 " 35 " ..	4	1	2	5	1	2	1	..	1	4	9	12
35 " 40 " ..	5	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	3	10	13	15
40 " 45 " ..	8	..	2	4	2	2	1	..	2	4	15	10
45 " 50 " ..	1	3	3	2	3	2	2	3	1	3	10	13
50 " 55 " ..	8	2	6	3	2	3	2	3	5	5	23	16
55 " 60 " ..	5	7	4	6	6	5	2	3	3	3	20	24
60 " 65 " ..	11	5	1	4	2	7	5	2	8	4	27	22
65 years and over ..	41	46	21	38	19	25	40	30	63	34	184	173
Totals ..	104	77	58	78	53	56	66	50	121	88	402	349

The deaths of 357 persons of 65 years and upwards were registered for the urban areas during the month of August, 1923. The following table shows the classification:—

Age.	URBAN AREAS.										Total	
	Auckland.		Wellington.		Christchurch.		Dunedin.		Others.		Males.	Females.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
65	3	3	3	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	7	7
66	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	6	..	9	2
67	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	4
68	2	1	3	3	..	1	3	..	2	2	10	7
69	5	2	1	1	2	1	2	..	1	..	11	4
70	2	2	..	2	..	1	3	1	5	4	10	10
71	2	2	2	1	..	1	4	3	5	2	13	9
72	..	2	3	5	1	..	3	1	1	1	8	9
73	4	3	1	1	..	..	1	1	3	1	9	8
74	1	3	..	2	3	..	..	1	4	2	8	8
75	..	2	1	..	1	..	2	3	3	..	7	5
76	2	3	..	1	1	1	3	2	2	3	8	10
77	2	3	..	4	1	..	3	..	4	1	10	8
78	..	2	..	1	..	2	2	1	1	2	3	8
79	1	3	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	6	9
80	3	2	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	3	5	6
81	..	1	..	1	1	2	2	1	4	2	7	7
82	1	3	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	3	9
83	2	2	1	2	2	1	4	3	..	1	9	9
84	4	..	..	..	1	4	..	2	1	..	6	6
85	3	1	1	..	..	1	2	1	3	..	9	3
86	1	..	..	4	..	1	..	2	3	..	4	7
87	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	1	..	1	1	5
88	1	2	..	1	..	1	1	2	3	1	5	7
89	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	5	2
90	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	2	2
91	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	3	1
92	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
93	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
94	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
95	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
98	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
99	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..
Total ..	41	46	21	38	19	25	40	30	63	34	184	173

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons in the Urban Areas, registered during August, 1923.

Causes of Death	Auckland Urban Area.		Wellington Urban Area.		Christchurch Urban Area.		Dunedin Urban Area.		Others.		Total.
	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	
<b>I.—EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES.</b>											
7. Measles .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
9. Whooping Cough .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2
10. Diphtheria .. .. .	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
11. Influenza .. .. .	..	21	1	13	2	6	..	8	1	22	74
23. Lethargic Encephalitis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
30. Erythrasmia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
31. Tuberculosis of Respiratory System .. .. .	..	12	..	4	..	7	..	4	..	5	32
32. Tuberculous Meningitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	3
34. Tuberculosis of Joints .. .. .	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	4
37. Disseminated Tuberculosis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
41. Purulent Infection, Septicæmia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. .. .	..	36	1	22	2	16	..	14	3	29	123
<b>II.—GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED ABOVE.</b>											
43. Cancer of Buccal Cavity .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
44. " Stomach and Liver .. .. .	..	2	..	6	..	1	..	2	..	4	15
45. " Peritoneum, Intestines, and Rectum .. .. .	..	2	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	2	8
46. " Female Genital Organs .. .. .	..	5	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	7
47. " Breast .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	3	8
48. " Skin .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
49. " Bladder .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Bronchi .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
49. " Fauces .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Glands .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
49. " Mediastinum .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Neck .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
49. " Prostate .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
49. Disseminated Cancer .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
49. Cancer (undefined) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
51. Acute Rheumatic Fever .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
52. Chronic Osteoarthritis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
57. Diabetes Mellitus .. .. .	..	3	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	7	16
58. Pernicious Anæmia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
60. Diseases of the Thyroid Gland .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
63. Addison's Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
66. Alcoholism (acute or chronic) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2
Totals .. .. .	..	19	..	15	1	11	..	10	..	23	79
<b>III.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.</b>											
71. Cerebrospinal Meningitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
73. Other Diseases of Spinal Cord .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
74. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy .. .. .	..	11	..	9	..	5	..	7	..	14	46
75. Hemiplegia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	..	6
76. General Paralysis of Insane .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
77. Other Forms of Mental Alienation .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
78. Epilepsy .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	4
79. Convulsions (5 years and over) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
80. Convulsions of Infants .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	4
83. Cerebral Softening .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
84. Other Diseases of the Nervous System .. .. .	..	5	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	8
Totals .. .. .	..	20	..	12	1	9	1	14	1	19	77
<b>IV.—DISEASES OF CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.</b>											
87. Pericarditis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2
88. Acute Endocarditis and Myocarditis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	3
89. Angina Pectoris .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	4
90. Other Diseases of Heart .. .. .	..	34	..	15	..	21	..	23	..	26	119
91. Diseases of Arteries .. .. .	..	4	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	2	11
Totals .. .. .	..	39	..	16	..	28	..	26	..	30	139
<b>V.—DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.</b>											
99. Bronchitis .. .. .	..	5	..	11	..	4	..	9	2	12	43
100. Broncho-pneumonia .. .. .	3	2	2	5	1	..	..	1	2	5	21
101. Pneumonia .. .. .	..	5	..	1	..	3	..	1	..	9	19
102. Pleurisy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	1	4
103. Congestion of Lungs .. .. .	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	6
105. Asthma .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	3
107. Other Diseases of the Respiratory System .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Totals .. .. .	3	12	2	22	1	9	..	14	4	31	98
<b>VI.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.</b>											
109. Diseases of Pharynx and Tonsils .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
110. Stricture of Oesophagus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
111. Ulcer of Stomach and Duodenum .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
112. Other Diseases of Stomach .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	1	..	4

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons in the Urban Areas, registered during August, 1923—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland Urban Area.		Wellington Urban Area.		Christchurch Urban Area.		Dunedin Urban Area.		Others.		Total.
	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 Year and over.	
VI.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM—continued.											
113. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (under 2 years)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
114. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (2 years and over)	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
117. Appendicitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2
118. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction .. ..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	6
119. Other Diseases of Intestines .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
122. Cirrhosis of Liver .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
123. Biliary Calculi .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
124. Cholecystitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
126. Peritonitis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
Totals .. ..	1	7	..	8	..	3	..	2	1	9	31
VII.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.											
128. Acute Nephritis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
129. Chronic Nephritis .. ..	..	3	..	4	..	6	..	4	..	7	24
131. Other Diseases of Kidneys and Annexa .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	..
133. Chronic Pyelocystitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
135. Diseases of Prostate .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
141. Subovarian Cysts .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	4	..	5	..	6	..	8	..	11	34
VIII.—PUERPERAL STATE.											
146. Puerperal Septicæmia .. ..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
147. Puerperal Embolism .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
148. Puerperal Nephritis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	7
IX.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.											
151. Gangrene .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
153. Cellulitis of Face .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3
X.—DISEASES OF BONES AND OF THE ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.											
155. Osteomyelitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
XI.—MALFORMATIONS.											
159. Congenital Heart-disease .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
159. " Hydrocephalus .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
159. " Edema of Lungs .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
159. " Pyloric Stenosis .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2
159. " Spina Bifida .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. ..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	..	2	1	7
XII.—EARLY INFANCY.											
160. Congenital Debility, Icterus, and Sclerema .. ..	5	..	6	..	3	..	1	..	3	..	18
161. Injury at Birth .. ..	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4
161A. Premature Birth .. ..	5	..	2	..	4	..	6	..	8	..	25
162. Other Diseases peculiar to Early Infancy .. ..	..	..	1	..	4	..	2	..	2	..	9
Totals .. ..	12	..	10	..	12	..	9	..	13	..	56
XIII.—OLD AGE.											
164. Senility .. ..	..	18	..	12	..	7	..	12	..	17	66
XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.											
167. Suicide by Poisonous Gas .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
168. " Hanging .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
169. " Drowning .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
177. Accidental Poisoning .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
181. " Absorption of Deleterious Gases .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
182. " Drowning .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
183. Traumatism by Firearms .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
188. Accident—Railway .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
188. " Automobile .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	5
188. " Other Vehicles .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
201. Fractures (cause not specified) .. ..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	5
202. Other External Violence (cause specified) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
Totals .. ..	1	6	..	5	..	2	..	4	..	10	28
XV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.											
205. Cause ill-defined .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Grand totals .. ..	17	164	13	123	18	91	12	104	25	184	751

*Public Works Department.—List of Accepted Tenders.*

Public Works Department, Wellington, 12th September, 1923.

THE undermentioned list of accepted tenders is published for general information.

F. W. FURKERT, Engineer-in-Chief.

Contract.	Successful Tenderer.	Price.
		£ s. d.
Waikato Scheme: Material for screens .. .. .	J. Duthie and Co. .. .. .	80 0 0
Khandallah Substation erection .. .. .	Fletcher Construction Company .. .. .	13,357 0 0
W. and O. Rivers Improvement: Electrical equipment for dredge .. .. .	Turnbull and Jones .. .. .	1,566 0 6
Rotorua Water-supply pipes .. .. .	J. Duthie and Co. .. .. .	10,154 11 7
Lawrence-Roxburgh Railway: Plate girder spans .. .. .	Cory-Wright and Salmon .. .. .	2,393 0 0

*Amendments and Additions to the Special Regulations affecting Officers of Prisons made by the Public Service Commissioner.*

IN pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred on him by the Public Service Act, 1912 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Commissioner, with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, doth hereby, in respect of the special regulations affecting prisons and the officers employed therein, made on the seventeenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and gazetted on the twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and the amendments made from time to time under the provisions of the said Act, make the amendments shown in the Schedule hereto. Such amendments shall have effect on and after the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two.

## SCHEDULE.

REGULATION 19 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

## TRAVELLING-ALLOWANCES AND TRAVELLING-EXPENSES.

19. All salaried officers shall receive travelling-allowance for personal expenses at the following rates:—

- (a.) Officers drawing salaries not exceeding £145 per annum: Actual expenses. Per Diem.
- (b.) Officers drawing salaries exceeding £145 and not exceeding £370 per annum .. .. . s. d.  
12 6
- (c.) Officers drawing salaries exceeding £370 and not exceeding £470 per annum .. .. . 15 0
- (d.) Officers drawing salaries exceeding £470 and not exceeding £565 per annum .. .. . 17 6
- (e.) Officers drawing salaries exceeding £565 per annum 20 0

Provided that while at sea, if the time occupied is more than twenty-four hours, the allowance shall be—

- For the first day of absence from headquarters .. .. . 10 0  
For subsequent days .. .. . 2 6

The following new regulation is hereby made:—

## RELIEVING-ALLOWANCES.

22A. Officers called upon to perform relieving duty which necessitates their absence at night from home shall be paid allowances at the following rates:—

- To officers drawing salaries not exceeding £145: Actual and reasonable expenses. Per Diem.
- To officers drawing salaries exceeding £145 and not exceeding £295 .. .. . s. d.  
10 0
- To officers drawing salaries exceeding £295 and not exceeding £470 .. .. . 12 6
- To officers drawing salaries exceeding £470 .. .. . 15 0

Officers entitled to lodging-allowance, when appointed to relieving duty involving separate payment for such duty, will not be entitled to claim lodging-allowance for a longer time than one week after the relieving duty commences.

Officers are not entitled to draw travelling-allowance for any time during which they perform relieving duty, except as follows: When in performing relieving duty an officer is not required to stay more than three nights in the place where such duty is performed, he may be paid travelling-allowance instead of relieving-allowance.

But travelling-allowance may be paid for the day occupied in travelling to or from headquarters, provided that the time occupied exceeds six hours on each occasion.

In any special case the Commissioner may authorize payment of an allowance at a higher rate.

An allowance in accordance with this regulation shall be granted only in cases where an officer is required to perform purely relieving duty.

A relieving-allowance shall not be paid to an officer for any period in excess of one month without the previous approval of the Commissioner thereto.

As witness my hand this 10th day of July, 1923.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,  
Public Service Commissioner.

In pursuance of the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, approves the foregoing regulations.

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

Approved in Council this 3rd day of September, 1923.

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

*Notice by the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its Amendments (Unclaimed Lands).*

To the owner of the following land, that is to say: All that piece of land situate in the Parish of Ruatangata, County of Marsden, in the Provincial District of Auckland, in New Zealand, being Allotment 117, containing 58 acres. Bounded on the north-east by a road 100 links wide, 3403 links; on the south-east by a road 100 links wide, 1018 links; on the south-west by Allotment 118, 3100 links; and on the north-west by the Wairua River: be all the several admeasurements a little more or less: and being the land granted by Crown grant 68478 to Thomas Wilks, of Kaihu, Kaipara, Labourer.

WHEREAS, after due inquiry, the owner of the above-described land cannot be found: And whereas the said owner has no known agent in New Zealand:

Now, the Public Trustee hereby calls upon such owner, within six months of the date of the publication of this notice in this *Gazette*, to establish to the satisfaction of the Public Trustee his title to the said land, and if he fails or neglects so to do the Public Trustee will exercise, as regards the said land, the powers and authorities granted to him in and by the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (Part II), and its amendments.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1923.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

*Notice to Mariners.—No. 51 of 1923.*

WEATHER REPORTS.

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

A FURTHER agreement has been completed between the Marine and the Post and Telegraph Departments whereby the former supplies to the latter daily at the Auckland and Awanui Wireless Stations a weather report of ten places as follows:—

Cape Maria Van Diemen.	Wellington.
Manukau Heads.	Napier.
Auckland.	Farewell Spit.
East Cape.	Greymouth.
Cape Egmont.	Cape Campbell.

Shipmasters navigating the coasts of the Dominion and desiring a weather report regarding any of the above-mentioned places may obtain same by calling up any of the wireless stations referred to above, it being understood, of course, that any wireless charges involved are matters for adjustment between the shipmasters or shipowners and the Post and Telegraph Department.

A. D. PARK, Secretary.

*Notice to Mariners.—No. 52 of 1923.*

COOK STRAIT.—JACKSON'S HEAD LIGHT-BEACON.—TEMPORARY LIGHT DURING STRUCTURAL ALTERATIONS.

Marine Department,

Wellington, N.Z., 11th September, 1923.

MARINERS are hereby notified that on and after the night of Wednesday, 19th September, 1923, the existing flashing light on Jackson's Head light-beacon will temporarily be discontinued for the purpose of carrying out structural alterations.

A temporary fixed white light, arc uninterrupted, visible about 3 miles in clear weather, will be exhibited from the top of the beacon whilst the structural alterations are in progress.

The temporary light should not implicitly be relied upon, as during the course of the work there may be occasions when it will be impossible to exhibit it.

Due notice will be given regarding the date on which the original light is to be re-established.

*Charts, &c., affected.*—Admiralty Charts Nos. 2685, 2054, 3629, and 695; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, page 309 and view facing; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1923, page 162, No. 37; "Admiralty List of Lights," Part VI, 1922, page 407, No. 2999.

A. D. PARK, Secretary.

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

I, LEONARD GRAY TUCK, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The Society of Armha (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on operations and has no assets, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved, in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.

Dated at Dunedin this 1st day of September, 1923.

L. G. TUCK,  
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

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

I, WILLIAM GREER FLETCHER, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that The Hamilton Male Choir (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 Auckland this 5th day of September, 1923.

WM. G. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.



*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 10th September, 1923.

THE St. Francis Xavier's Branch, No. 729, situated at Whangarei, is registered as a branch of the New Zealand District Hibernian-Australasian Catholic Benefit Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 10th day of September, 1923.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 11th September, 1923.

THE Immaculate Conception Branch, No. 728, situated at Stratford, is registered as a branch of the New Zealand District Hibernian-Australasian Catholic Benefit Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 10th day of September, 1923.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 11th September, 1923.

THE St. Francis de Sales Branch, No. 727, situated at Island Bay, Wellington, is registered as a branch of the

New Zealand District Hibernian-Australasian Catholic Benefit Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 11th day of September, 1923.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 11th September, 1923.

THE Richmond United Branch, No. 6, situated at Grey Lynn, Auckland, is registered as a branch of the Grand United Order of Oddfellows Friendly Society of New Zealand, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 10th day of September, 1923.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 11th September, 1923.

THE Hinemoa Lodge, No. 109, situated at Helensville, is registered as a branch of The Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 10th day of September, 1923.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

*Lands in North Auckland Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 6th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by the North Auckland Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure and Lease No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Name.	Area.	Reason.
S.T.L. 536 ..	178	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	R. Barnett ..	A. R. P. 17 3 24	Non-signature of lease.
O.R.P. 5350 ..	9, 10, 20, 21	XV, XVI	Waoku .. ..	E. G. Anderson	424 2 0	Non-compliance.
O.R.P. 3892 ..	3	XIII	Punakitere ..	H. Parker ..	790 2 0	At request.
S.T.L. 525 ..	322, 323	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	W. J. McHugh	30 1 17	"
O.R.P. 5454 ..	3	I	Hukerenui ..	W. S. Dobbs ..	178 1 28	"
O.R.P. 5525 ..	45	V	Opoe .. ..	A. Mason ..	30 3 0	Abandoned.
R.L. 1447 ..	286	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	W. Eales ..	87 2 14	At request.
O.R.P. 5536 ..	14	VIII	Opoe .. ..	R. A. McCulloch	30 0 24	Non-signature of lease.
Cash 3094 ..	6	XI	Hohoura East ..	M. Vujcich ..	45 1 22	Non-compliance.
S.T.L./S. 366	24s	..	Remuera Settlement	R. Stoupe ..	140 1 15	At request.
O.R.P. 5323 ..	244	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	Mrs. E. H. Weber	22 0 30	"
R.L. 814 ..	4A	I	Punakitere ..	E. J. R. Penney	515 1 12	"
S.T.L./S. 419	4s	..	Upokonui Settlement	A. G. Mason ..	337 0 0	"
O.R.P. 5534 ..	20	VII	Opoe .. ..	N. L. Death ..	24 1 32	"
S.T.L./S. 298	11s	..	Remuera Settlement	S. J. Haynes ..	88 3 30	"
R.L./D.S. 318	2	XIV	Takahue .. ..	W. V. Morey	286 0 0	"
O.R.P. 1113 ..	136	..	Wairau Parish ..	R. R. Taylor	78 0 0	"
S.T.L./S. 287	17, 19	..	Remuera Settlement	L. V. O'Shea	368 3 17	Abandoned.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD, for Minister of Lands.

*Town Lands in Canterbury Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 6th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at 11.30 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 17th October, 1923, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

*Waimate County.—Waitaki Survey District.—Glenavy Township.*

SECTIONS 67 and 68, each containing 1 rood; upset price, £14.

TERMS OF SALE.

The highest bidder shall be the purchaser.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, together with valuation for improvements and Crown-grant fee of £1, and the balance of the purchase-money within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit shall be forfeited and the sale of the land declared null and void.

Titles will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1908.

Full particulars may be ascertained on application to this office.

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Pastoral Run in Southland Land District open for License by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Invercargill, 3rd September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 10.30 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 31st October, 1923, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—STEWART ISLAND COUNTY.

RUN No. 536, Anglem and Mason Survey Districts: Area, 12,900 acres; upset annual rent, £5.

Term, twenty-one years.

The run is at Stewart Island, and access is by boat about seventeen miles from Half-moon Bay. The greater part of the area is low-lying and wet, covered with rushes, scrub, &c.; generally unsuitable for grazing, but a small area about the centre of the run grows coarse red tussock and would carry a few sheep.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS.

1. Term of lease, twenty-one years from 1st March, 1924.
2. Applicants must be over twenty-one years of age, except in the case of discharged soldier applicants.
3. One half-year's rent, £1 ls. license fee, and statutory declaration to be deposited by successful applicant.
4. No person may hold more than one run, except on the recommendation of the Land Board and with the approval of the Minister. If a purchaser holds a run, his wife is deemed to be a runholder, and *vice versa*.
5. Rent is payable half-yearly in advance on 1st March and 1st September in each year. If not paid within thirty days of due date a penalty of 10 per cent. is added.
6. Term of license to be as stated hereon, with contingent right of renewal over the whole or a subdivision of the run for a similar term.
7. Licensee to prevent destruction or burning of timber, burning of snow-tussock, burning of other tussock, except in July, August, and September; to prevent growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbrier, or other noxious weeds or plants; to keep down rabbits; and to refrain from burning grass during such months as the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall from time to time determine.
8. Licensee to have no right to the timber or flax on the land comprised in the license.
9. With the permission of the Land Board the licensee may—
  - (a.) Cultivate a portion of the run and grow winter feed thereon;
  - (b.) Plough and sow in grass any area not exceeding 3,000 acres;
  - (c.) Clear of bush or scrub any portion of the run and sow same in grass;

(d.) Surface sow in grass any portion of the run.

On expiry of license the value of licensee's improvements will be protected.

10. License is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

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

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

R. S. GALBRAITH,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Land in Canterbury Land District for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Christchurch, 10th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that a lease of the undermentioned land will be submitted for sale by public auction, under section 130 of the Land Act, 1908, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, on Wednesday, 17th October, 1923, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—AMURI COUNTY.—LYNDON SURVEY DISTRICT.

SECTION 38, Block II: Area, 78 acres 2 roods 22 perches; upset annual rental, £7 17s. 6d.

All stony tussock flat, rather poor soil. About a mile from Hanmer by formed road.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, five years from day of sale; but subject to resumption at any time in the event of the land being required by the Government.
2. The rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance.
3. The land shall be used for grazing purposes only, and shall not be broken up unless it is necessary to renew the grass, in which case it shall be laid down in grass and clover in a satisfactory manner with a small quantity of oats for shelter, the oats to be fed off and not harvested. No crop of any kind shall at any time be taken off the land.
4. Residence and improvements are not compulsory. No compensation shall be claimed by the lessee, nor shall any be allowed by the Government, on account of any improvements effected by the lessee, nor on account of the afore said possible resumption, nor for any other cause.
5. The lessee shall have no right to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land comprised in the lease without the written consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands first had and obtained.
6. The lessee shall prevent the growth and spread of gorse, broom, and sweetbrier on the land comprised in the lease, and he shall with all reasonable despatch remove, or cause to be removed, all gorse, broom, sweetbrier, or other noxious weeds or plants, as may be directed by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
7. The lease shall be liable to forfeiture in case the lessee fails to fulfil any of the conditions of the said lease within thirty days after the date on which the same ought to have been fulfilled.

Possession will be given on the day of sale. The present lessee has the right to remove all fences erected by him within one month from the day of sale.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

G. H. BULLARD,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

*Education Reserve in Nelson Land District for Lease by Public Auction.*

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Nelson, 12th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that the education reserve described in the Schedule hereto will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 17th October, 1923, under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—TAKAKA COUNTY.—TAKAKA SURVEY DISTRICT.

PART 2 of Section 165, Block II, Takaka Survey District: Area, 59 acres 1 rood. Upset annual rental, £15.

Weighted with £10, valuation for half cost of fencing.

Situated four miles and a half from Takaka by good formed road. About half the area is good quality river-flats, balance poor land of pakihi formation, covered with fern and manuka, resting on papa formation, well watered.  
Altitude, 200 ft. to 300 ft. above sea-level.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. The highest bidder shall be the purchaser.
2. A half-year's rent at rate offered, and lease and registration fees (£2 2s.), together with valuation for improvements, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.
3. Term of lease, twenty-one years from date of sale, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.
4. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire new lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee, less any sum due to the Crown.
5. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of Land Board.
6. Lessee to clear land of weeds, and keep open creeks, drains, and watercourses.
7. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent more than thirty days in arrear.
8. Buildings on land to be kept in good order, repair, and condition.
9. No gravel to be removed from town or suburban land without consent of Land Board.
10. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade which may be a nuisance.
11. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before making improvements.
12. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.
14. The right is reserved to the Land Board to resume possession at any time of an area not exceeding 5 acres in the section offered, the lessee to be compensated for loss of improvements in the event of such existing on resumed area.

Full particulars may be ascertained on application to this office.

N. C. KENSINGTON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICES.

*Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.—Southland Forest-conservation Region.*

State Forest Service,  
Invercargill, 6th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned lots of milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Invercargill, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 17th October, 1923.

SCHEDULE.

Lot 1.

ALL the milling-timber on that parcel of land known as Sawmill Area No. 5 (containing approximately 373 acres), situated in State Forest No. 10, Blocks XI and XV, Waiau Survey District, estimated to contain 2,042,400 superficial feet, being kahikatea 633,200, rimu 337,100, matai 586,600, totara 160,000, beech 325,500.

Upset price, £2,405.

Ground rent, £18 13s. per annum.

Term of license, five years.

The timber is situated about three miles from Pukemaori, to where the railway will shortly be completed.

Lot 2.

All the milling-timber on that portion of Section 32, Block XVII, Waikawa Survey District, known as Sawmill Area No. 10 (containing approximately 198 acres), estimated to contain 924,600 superficial feet, being rimu 880,400 and miro 44,200.

Upset price, £732.

Ground rent, £9 18s. per annum.

Term of license, three years.

The timber is situated about six miles from Waikawa Wharf.

*Terms of Payment.*

Lot 1.—A marked cheque for one-tenth of the purchase-price, together with a half-year's ground rent and £1 1s. license fee, must accompany the tender, and the balance be paid by twelve equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid one year after the date of the sale.

Lot 2.—A marked cheque for one-fifth of the purchase-price, together with a half-year's ground rent and £1 1s. license fee, must accompany the tender, and the balance be paid in four equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid nine months after the date of the sale.

In addition, the successful tenderer shall continue to pay such ground rent half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

All instalment-payments shall be secured by "On demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at current bank rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the terms of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and the following conditions.

2. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

3. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale, and no contract for the purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, or kind than as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

4. The promissory notes will be presented at intervals as indicated in the terms of payment, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if it is found that more than a due proportion of the timber has been cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Conservator the interests of the Crown are being jeopardized.

5. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for each species. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

6. A return, verified by affidavit, giving the number of logs cut of each species and their contents, must be made quarterly by the licensees each quarter ending on the last day of March, June, September, and December respectively in each year. A return, similarly verified, must be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species.

7. The licensees shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other sawmill refuse.

8. The licensees shall take all reasonable precautions by way of providing such safeguards as may be required by the Conservator for the prevention of damage to the adjacent bush by fires, whether caused by sparks from locomotives, log-haulers, or otherwise, and shall be liable for any damage thereto in consequence of any negligence or disregard of these conditions on the part of the licensees or their workmen, such damage to be assessed by the Conservator of Forests.

9. All timber must be cut to the best advantage, and milling must be carried on regularly and generally in a manner approved of by the Conservator. The Crown reserves the right to withdraw from the licensees such areas as from time to time are cleared of merchantable timber, and as areas are withdrawn ground rent will be reduced *pro rata*.

10. No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of any lot or in these conditions.

11. The settlement of any disputes shall be effected by the Conservator of Forests, and there will be a right of appeal to the Commissioner of State Forests, whose decision in all cases shall be final. Should the licensees fail to fulfil any and every obligation incumbent upon them the licenses will be subject to cancellation.

12. The Commissioner of State Forests may authorize the laying-down and working of tram-lines through the land by other persons than the licensees.

13. The successful tenderers will be granted licenses to cut the timber for the periods stated herein, and such licenses will not be extended. The licenses will not be transferable, except with the consent of the Commissioner of State Forests. Cutting operations must commence within twelve months of the date of the licenses.

14. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing-date for receipt of tenders.

15. If no tenders are accepted for the timber herein mentioned, it will remain open for application until further notice.

16. The successful tenderers shall be permitted to cut timber on private lands and Warden's licenses simultaneously with the lots mentioned herein by obtaining permission from the Commissioner of State Forests.

17. The successful tenderers shall have the right to cut, use, sell, or otherwise dispose of any species of timber not included in the Schedule herein on terms and conditions to be agreed upon, and provided the written consent of the Conservator be first had and obtained.

18. Tenders should be addressed "Conservator of Forests, Invercargill," and envelopes endorsed "Tender for Timber."

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the Head Office, State Forest Service, Wellington, or to the undersigned.

D. MACPHERSON, Conservator of Forests.

*Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.—Nelson-Marlborough Forest-conservation Region.*

State Forest Service,  
Blenheim, 10th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned lots of milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Blenheim, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 17th October, 1923.

SCHEDULE.

An approximate area of 186 acres, situated in State Forest N.M. 13, Block V, Wakamarina Survey District, about one mile and a half from Flat Creek on the Nelson-Blenheim Road.

Estimated quantity of milling-timber, 1,018,600 superficial feet, comprising rimu 864,000, matai 37,100, miro 67,800, beech 49,700.

Upset price, £845.

Ground rent, £9 6s. per annum.

Four years will be allowed in which to remove the timber.

*Terms of Payments.*—A marked cheque for one-tenth of the purchase-money, together with a half-year's ground rent and £1 ls. license fee, plus exchange, must accompany the tender, and the balance be paid by ten equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid three months after date of sale.

In addition, the successful tenderer shall continue to pay such ground rent half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

All instalment-payments shall be secured by "On demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at current bank rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the terms of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and the following conditions.

2. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

3. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale, and no contract for the purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, or kind than as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

4. The promissory notes will be presented at intervals as indicated in the terms of payment, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if it is found that more than a due proportion of the timber has been cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Conservator the interests of the Crown are being jeopardized.

5. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for each species. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

6. A return, verified by affidavit, giving the number of logs cut of each species and their contents, must be made quarterly by the licensee each quarter ending on the last day of March, June, September, and December respectively in each year. A return, similarly verified, must be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species.

7. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other sawmill refuse.

8. The licensee shall take all reasonable precautions by way of providing such safeguards as may be required by the Conservator for the prevention of damage to the adjacent bush by fires, whether caused by sparks from locomotives, log-haulers, or otherwise, and shall be liable for any damage

thereto in consequence of any negligence or disregard of these conditions on the part of the licensee or his workmen, such damage to be assessed by the Conservator of Forests.

9. All timber must be cut to the best advantage, and milling must be carried on regularly and generally in a manner approved of by the Conservator. The Crown reserves the right to withdraw from the license such areas as from time to time are cleared of merchantable timber, and as areas are withdrawn ground rent will be reduced *pro rata*.

10. No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of any lot or in these conditions.

11. The settlement of any disputes shall be effected by the Conservator of Forests, and there will be a right of appeal to the Commissioner of State Forests, whose decision in all cases shall be final. Should the licensee fail to fulfil any and every obligation incumbent upon him the license will be subject to cancellation.

12. The Commissioner of State Forests may authorize the laying down and working of tram-lines through the land by other persons than the licensee.

13. The successful tenderer will be granted a license to cut the timber for the period of four years, and such license will not be extended. The license will not be transferable, except with the consent of the Commissioner of State Forests. Cutting operations must commence within twelve months of the date of the license.

14. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing-date for receipt of tenders.

15. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned, it will remain open for application until further notice.

16. The successful tenderer shall be permitted to cut timber on private lands and Warden's licenses simultaneously with the lot mentioned herein by obtaining permission from the Commissioner of State Forests.

17. The successful tenderer shall have the right to cut, use, sell, or otherwise dispose of any species of timber not included in the Schedule herein on terms and conditions to be agreed upon, and provided the written consent of the Conservator be first had and obtained.

18. Tenders should be addressed "Conservator of Forests, State Forest Service, Blenheim," and envelopes endorsed "Tender for Timber."

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the State Forest Service, Nelson, the Head Office, Wellington, or to the undersigned.

JOHN COOK, Conservator of Forests.

*Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.—Auckland Forest-conservation Region.*

State Forest Service,  
Auckland, 11th September, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Auckland, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 17th October, 1923.

SCHEDULE.

ALL the milling-timber branded X situated in Block XIII, Takahue Survey District (State Forest No. 1), near Herekino, and estimated in superficial feet as follows: Kauri, 784 green and dry trees, 1,925,450 ft.

Upset price, £5,875.

Ground rent, £20 per annum.

Two years and a half will be allowed in which to remove the timber.

*Terms of Payments.*—A marked cheque for one-eighth of the purchase-money, together with half-year's ground rent and £1 ls. license fee, plus exchange, must accompany the tender, and the balance be paid by seven equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid three months after date of sale.

In addition, the successful tenderer shall continue to pay such ground-rent half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

All instalment-payments shall be secured by "On demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at current bank rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the terms of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and the following conditions.

2. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

3. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purposes of this sale, and no contract for the purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, or kind than as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

4. The promissory notes will be presented at intervals as indicated in the terms of payment, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if it is found that more than a due proportion of the timber has been cut, or should any breach of the conditions occur, or if in the opinion of the Conservator the interests of the Crown are being jeopardized.

5. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for each species. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

6. A return, verified by affidavit, giving the number of logs cut of each species and their contents, must be made quarterly by the licensee each quarter ending on the last day of March, June, September, and December respectively in each year. A return, similarly verified, must be made on the same dates showing the output of sawn timber of each species.

7. The licensee shall not put, throw, or place, or allow to be put, thrown, or placed, into any river, stream, or watercourse, or into any place where it may be washed into any river, stream, or watercourse, any sawdust or other sawmill refuse.

8. The licensee shall take all reasonable precautions by way of providing such safeguards as may be required by the Conservator for the prevention of damage to the adjacent bush by fires, whether caused by sparks from locomotives, log-haulers, or otherwise, and shall be liable for any damage thereto in consequence of any negligence or disregard of these conditions on the part of the licensee or his workmen, such damage to be assessed by the Conservator of Forests.

9. All timber must be cut to the best advantage, and milling must be carried on regularly and generally in a manner

approved of by the Conservator. The Crown reserves the right to withdraw from the license such areas as from time to time are cleared of merchantable timber, and as areas are withdrawn, ground rent will be reduced *pro rata*.

10. No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of any lot or in these conditions.

11. The settlement of any disputes shall be effected by the Conservator of Forests, and there will be a right of appeal to the Commissioner of State Forests, whose decision in all cases shall be final. Should the licensee fail to fulfil any and every obligation incumbent upon him the license will be subject to cancellation.

12. The Commissioner of State Forests may authorize the laying-down and working of tram-lines through the land by other persons than the licensee.

13. The successful tenderer will be granted a license to cut the timber for the period stated, and such license will not be extended. The license will not be transferable, except with the consent of the Commissioner of State Forests. Cutting operations must commence within twelve months of the date of the license.

14. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing-date for receipt of tenders.

15. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned, it will remain open for application until further notice.

16. The successful tenderer shall be permitted to cut timber on private lands and Warden's licenses simultaneously with the lot mentioned herein by obtaining permission from the Commissioner of State Forests.

17. The successful tenderer shall have the right to cut, use, sell, or otherwise dispose of any species of timber not included in the Schedule herein on terms and conditions to be agreed upon, and provided the written consent of the Conservator be first had and obtained.

18. Tenders should be addressed "Conservator of Forests, Auckland," and envelopes endorsed "Tender for Timber."

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned, or to the Head Office, State Forest Service, Wellington.

R. D. CAMPBELL, Conservator of Forests.

### BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANK FORREST ADAM, formerly of Puni, but now of Mititai, Farm Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 17th day of September, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock.

6th September, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN CRAVEN GARDEN, of Pukekohe, Auctioneer and Produce Merchant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 12th day of September, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

6th September, 1923.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED HUGH CRAWFORD, of Horotiu, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summons a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 17th day of September, 1923, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

7th September, 1923.

V. H. SANSON,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES BEATTIE, of Opotiki, Motor-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury Room on Wednesday, the 12th day of September, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

28th August, 1923.

C. BLACKBURN,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that KIATITIA RATIMA, of Tongio, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 18th day of September, 1923, at 11 o'clock a.m.

4th September, 1923.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of JOHN RAY, of Carterton, Labourer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second dividend of 4s. 6d. in the pound is now payable at my office, Church Street, Masterton, on all proved and accepted claims.

6th September, 1923.

ARTHUR D. LOW,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that first and final 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:—

Poninghouse, Bertram Diedrich William, of Papanui,

Engineer: 2s. 5d. in the pound.

Smith, Fred Thomas, of Christchurch, Builder: 2s. 5d. in the pound.

Norrie, Robert Thompson, of Christchurch, Farmer: 4s. 7d. in the pound.

Goodall, Charles James, of Christchurch, Engineer: 11d. in the pound.

Oakley, George Alfred, of Christchurch, Taxi-cab Proprietor: 4s. in the pound.

A. W. WATTERS, Official Assignee.

Christchurch, 7th September, 1923.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ISAAC HENRY ATKINSON, of Invercargill, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 13th day of September, 1923, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,  
31st August, 1923. Deputy Official Assignee.

### LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 15th October, 1923.

6937. FOOTE'S BUILDINGS (LIMITED).—Part Allotment 14, Section 15, City of Auckland, containing 22.7 perches, fronting Albert Street and Elliot Street. Occupied by applicant. Plan 16049.

7046. WILLIAM KANE and ANNIE BARKER.—Part Allotment 22, Section 28, City of Auckland, containing 19.2 perches, fronting Vincent Street. Occupied by Catherine Barker and James Bray. Plan 16673.

7102. JOSEPH ROBERTS.—Part Allotment 6A, Parish of Tuakau, containing 32 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 16701.

7111. FREDERICK PUSSELL.—Part Allotment 55A, Parish of Karaka, containing 23 acres 2 roods 26 perches. Occupied by Edward William Prince. Plan 7692.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

LEASE 2932, of part Kawhia X No. 1 Block, Kawhia North Survey District, ISABELLA MARIA MARGARET NESBIT, of Kawhia, Married Woman, lessor, to EDWARD CHARLES FALWASSER, of Auckland, Native Interpreter, lessee; and Lease 8964, of Lot 2 of Section 3 on deposited plan 242, being part Allotment 36 and others of Section 8 of the Suburbs of Auckland, GEORGE WILLIAM READ, of Auckland, Cabinetmaker, lessor, to JAMES McMAHON, ANDREW McMINN, and REGINALD JUMP, all of Auckland, Cabinetmakers, lessees:

The above-named lessors having re-entered and recovered possession of the respective parcels of land above described for non-payment of rent, it is my intention to notify such re-entry upon the Register-books on the expiration of one month from 13th September, 1923.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office at Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificates of title, (a) Vol. 168, folio 75, for part of Allotment 57 of Section 1 of the Town of Tauranga, in favour of FREDERIC HANSON ALLEN, of Wanganui, Farmer; and (b) Vol. 173, folio 116, for Section 91A of the Parish of Horotiu, in favour of CHARLES ALBERT LOUGHNAN, of Palmerston North, Solicitor, and JOSHUA MATHERS, of Te Rapa, Flax-miller, having been lodged with me, together with applications for provisional certificates of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue such provisional certificates of title accordingly on the expiration of fourteen days from the 13th September, 1923.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office at Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of Memorandum of Mortgage No. 58382, of Subdivision A of Allotment 3, Block 16, of the Otorohanga Native Township, and being the land in Lease No. 6336, from MARTIN SHIVNAN, of Otorohanga, Blacksmith, as mortgagor, to THOMAS DOUGLAS BAILLIE, Farmer, and ROBERT THOMSON GOULDING, Licensed Surveyor, both of Otorohanga, as mortgagees, having been lodged with me, together with an application to register a transmission and discharge of the said mortgage and discharge of Sub-Mortgage No. 63901, without requiring the production of the outstanding duplicate Mortgage No. 58382, notice is hereby given of my intention to register the said transmission

and discharges, in terms of section 40 of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, on the expiration of fourteen days from 13th September, 1923.

Dated this 10th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office at Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

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

Application No. 1511 (plan, provisional, No. 2203). JOHN WHITE FOREMAN.—305 acres 3 roods 2 perches, being part of Section 24, Tikorangi District. Occupied by Henry Albert Foreman, Charles Foreman, and applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 7th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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

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

5175. MARY ELLEN YOUNG.—18.68 perches, part Section 904, City of Wellington. Occupied by Blandford and Harrison. D.P. 6402.

5177. THOMAS WILLIAM HOWIE.—242 acres 1 rood 36 perches, part Sections 126, 127, 128, 178, and 270, Left Bank Wanganui River. Occupied by applicant. D.P. 6410.

5178. ELLEN BENNINGTON WELLINGTON.—1 rood 38.9 perches, part Section 20, Town of Masterton. Occupied by Masterton Masonic Lodge, Ye Chong, and Elizabeth A. Keetley. D.P. 6392.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

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

Application 1621. ELIZA GREEN.—Parts of Section 44, Square 141, District of Westport Suburban, containing 4 acres. Occupied by applicant. Plan 1231.

Application 1625. ALFRED JAMES WATERHOUSE.—Part of Section 236, City of Nelson, containing 15.3 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 925.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Nelson.

J. CARADUS, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land hereinafter described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 15th day of October, 1923.

No. 13146. CHARLES WILLIAM BELL and ISOLA ELSIE HAVEGAL THOMPSON.—Rural Sections 1022 and 1036, Block VI, Rangiora Survey District, deposit plan No. 6615. Occupied as to parts by Martha Amelia Morris, Mary Moffat, C. D. Gibson, and Heinrich Johan Albert Benjes.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1923, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me to register a transmission and a discharge of Mortgage No. 91703, affecting Sections 29 and 30, Kinloch Settlement, Block VI, Akaroa Survey District, Register-book, Vol. 157, folios 108 and 109, whereof HENRY RICHARD TRACEY MATSON, LEICESTER MATSON, and DAVID THOMAS MATSON, all of Christchurch, Land and Estate Agents, are the registered mortgagees, and evidence having been furnished of the loss

of the outstanding duplicate of the said memorandum of mortgage, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to register such transmission and discharge of mortgage, dispensing with the production of the said outstanding duplicate, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch, this 11th day of September, 1923.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, Vol. 93, folio 262, for Rural Section 32235, Block X, Pigeon Bay Survey District, whereof ANNA MUNRO WHITE, of Pigeon Bay, a Minor, is the registered proprietor, and evidence having been furnished of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch, this 11th day of September, 1923.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of provisional certificates of title, in favour of THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF WINTON, for Sections 5, Block VIII, 15, Block IX, 14, Block X, 11, Block XIV, 12, Block XV, 10, Block XVI, 12, Block XVII, 15, Block XVIII, 10 and 18, Block XIX, 7, Block XX, 24, Block XXI, 10, Block XXII, and 4, Block XXIII, all in the Town of Winton; Sections 1 and 8, Block I, 5 and 16, Block II, 16 and 17, Block III, 1 and 6, Block IV, 6 and 26, Block V, 5 and 21, Block VI, 1 and 37, Block VII, and 18, Block VIII, all in the Town of East Winton; and Section 53, Wairaki District; being all the land in certificates of title, Vol. 18, folios 230, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, and 243, Vol. 35, folios 74 and 75, and Vol. 20, folio 132; and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificates of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue provisional certificates of title, as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill, the 4th day of September, 1923.

J. A. FRASER, District Land Registrar.

### ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

**T**AKE 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:—

Haslam and Company (Limited). 1919/5.

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

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

**T**AKE notice that the undermentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company dissolved:—

The Kongahu Flax-milling Company (Limited). 1915/4.

Given under my hand at Hokitika this 8th day of September, 1923.

E. C. ADAMS,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

### RESOLUTION.

**T**HE following regulations were laid before the members of the Carterton Racing Club at a meeting held on the 25th day of August, 1923, at Carterton, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. Henry Archer Bunny, 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 Archer Bunny, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. Charles Reid 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:—

#### CARTERTON 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 Carterton 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 22nd day of February, 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 Clareville, and known as the Clareville 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 Carterton Racing Club were made and passed by such club on the 25th day of August, 1923, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary

H. ARCHER BUNNY, Chairman.  
J. B. BAIRSTOW, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Carterton Racing Club are hereby approved this 3rd day of September, 1923.

887 JELLCOE, Governor-General.

### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between GEORGE SWINBURNE D'EMDEN, ALEXANDER VICTOR EVANS, and JAMES ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, carrying on business in Taranaki Street, Wellington, under the style or firm of "d'Emden, Evans, and Company," has been dissolved as from the 20th day of August, 1923, so far as regards the said George Swinburne d'Emden, who retires from the firm. The business will in future be carried on under the style of "Evans and Company" by the said ALEXANDER VICTOR EVANS and JAMES ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, who will discharge all liabilities of the late firm, and to whom all debts due to the late firm should be paid.

Dated at Wellington this 20th day of August, 1923.

GEO. D'EMDEN.

Signed by the said George Swinburne d'Emden in the presence of—F. J. Courtney.

A. V. EVANS.

Signed by the said Alexander Victor Evans in the presence of—F. J. Courtney.

J. A. ROBERTSON.

Signed by the said James Alexander Robertson in the presence of—G. Kitching.

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## DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between SIDNEY HAROLD GALLAGHER and LESLIE RICHARD HOWE, carrying on business as Taxi-car Proprietors at King Street, Pukekohe, has been dissolved as from the 11th day of July last.

All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid by Mr. E. WILKINSON, Accountant, Pukekohe, to whom all accounts against the late firm should be addressed within thirty days from the date hereof, otherwise creditors will not participate in the distribution of the assets of the late firm.

Dated this 3rd day of September, 1923.

S. H. GALLAGHER.

Witness to the signature of Sidney Harold Gallagher—  
C. Osmond Mahony, Solicitor, Auckland.

L. R. HOWE.

Witness to the signature of Leslie Richard Howe—Percy H. Basley, Solicitor, Pukekohe. 889

## FRANKLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING A SPECIAL RATE AS SECURITY FOR PATUMAHOE—HUNTER'S (NEW) ROAD SPECIAL RATING AREA LOAN OF £1,200.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of one thousand two hundred pounds (£1,200), authorized to be raised by the Franklin County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of the survey, legalization, and construction of the Patumahoe to Hunter's (New) Road, the said Franklin County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and one third of a penny (1½d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Patumahoe—Hunter's (New) Road Special Rating Area in Franklin County, comprising the land described in the Schedule hereto; 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 July 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.

## SCHEDULE.

## Patumahoe—Hunter's (New) Road Special Rating Area.

Description of Property.	Area.	
	A.	R. P.
Part of Lots 2 and 3 and Lot 4 of Section 11, Waiaiu Parish, Lots 49 and 50 of Section 1, Patumahoe Settlement .. .. .	150	0 0
Lot 5 of Section 11, Waiaiu Parish .. .. .	43	3 32
Lot 6 of Section 11, Waiaiu Parish .. .. .	61	2 0
Lot 1 on D.P. 12338 of Lot 15 on D.P. 10637 of Section 60, &c., Karaka Parish .. .. .	148	3 4
Lot 2 on D.P. 12338 of Lot 15 on D.P. 10637 of Section 60, &c., Karaka Parish .. .. .	52	2 24
Part of Lots 8, 9, and 10 of Section 38, Pukekohe Parish .. .. .	77	2 20

All the said land being situated in Block X of the Drury Survey District, Franklin County.

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ALAN P. DAY, County Clerk.

## HOKIANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.—Re 10 PER CENT. ADDITIONAL ON HOKIANGA HOSPITAL AND RAWENE WATER-SUPPLY LOAN OF £4,000.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the amendments thereto, for the purpose of providing the interest and sinking fund on a loan of £400, being 10 per cent. additional on a loan of £4,000 for the supply of water to the Hokianga Hospital and Rawene Township, the Hokianga County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth part of a penny in the pound on all rateable property in the County of Hokianga; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of April and October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is finally paid off. And that it be submitted for confirmation at the ordinary meeting of the Council to be held on Wednesday, the 4th day of July, 1923, at 12 noon.

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L. BUISSON, County Clerk.

## HOKIANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE.—Re 10 PER CENT. ADDITIONAL ON RAWENE RIDING LOAN OF £5,000.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the amendment thereto, for the purpose of providing the interest and sinking fund on a loan of £500, being 10 per cent. additional on a loan of £5,000 for the formation and metalling of roads in the Rawene Riding, the Hokianga County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth of a penny (½d.) in the pound upon all rateable property in the Rawene Riding in the County of Hokianga; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 30th day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is finally paid off. And that it be submitted for confirmation at the ordinary meeting of the Council to be held on Wednesday, the 4th day of July, 1923, at 12 noon.

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L. BUISSON, County Clerk.

## MANGAWARA RIVER BOARD.

## SPECIAL ORDERS MAKING SPECIAL RATES.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the River Boards Act, 1908, the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and by section 79 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1922, and of all other powers (if any) thereunto enabling, the Mangawara River Board hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Mangawara River Board Treasury Repayment Loan of £650, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Mangawara River Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of repaying to the Minister of Finance an advance of £650 made by him to the said Board to enable it to carry out certain river-works, the said Mangawara River Board hereby makes and levies a special rate on the full rateable capital value of all rateable property in the Mangawara River District on a graduated scale according to the classification shown on the general classification list of the Board as follows:—

On lands classified "A": One-fourteenth of a penny (1/14d.) in the pound (£).

On lands classified "B": Five ninety-eighths of a penny (5/98d.) in the pound (£).

On lands classified "C": Three ninety-eighths of a penny (3/98d.) in the pound (£).

And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first days of July and January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period not exceeding thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

N. G. GRIBBLE,

Clerk to the Mangawara River Board.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the River Boards Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and of all other powers (if any) thereunto enabling, the Mangawara River Board hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Mangawara River Board Special Loan of £12,000, 1923, authorized to be raised by the Mangawara River Board, under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of deepening, widening, diverting, impounding, cleaning, and generally improving the Mangawara Stream and banks thereof upstream from its junction with the Tauhei Stream to that point known as the Confiscation Line, and to provide for the erection of bridges, landings, fences, crossings, or defences against water, compensation for or purchase or hire or occupation of land, plant, machinery, and material, or for any other purpose or thing necessary to the carrying-out of the said improvement-works, and for the payment of engineering and other necessary expenses arising therefrom, the said Mangawara River Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of—

On lands classified "A": Threepence (3d.) in the pound;

On lands classified "B": Twopence and one-seventh of a penny (2d. and 1/7d.) in the pound;

On lands classified "C": One penny and two-sevenths of a penny (1d. and 2/7d.) in the pound;



according to the classification as shown on the general classification list of the Board, upon the total rateable capital value of all rateable property comprising all the lands situated and contained in the Central and Eastern Subdivisions of the Mangawara River District, as such are described and set out in a special order passed by the Board at its meeting on the 24th November, 1921.

And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of July and the first day of January in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period not exceeding thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

N. G. GRIBBLE,

Clerk to the Mangawara River Board.

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NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of section 302 of the Companies Act, 1908, that an office of ROBERT BRYCE AND COMPANY (PROPRIETARY) LIMITED, a company incorporated outside New Zealand, is situated at 22 Hall of Commerce, High Street, in the City of Auckland.

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

H. C. McTAGGART,

Attorney in New Zealand  
for Robert Bryce and Coy. (Pty.) Ltd.

Witness to the signature of Hugh Crawford McTaggart—  
D. Niven. 8 4

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of JAMES AND COMPANY (LIMITED), in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special resolution was duly passed by an entry being made in the company's minute-book on the 6th day of September, 1923, and duly signed by all the shareholders of the company:—  
“Resolved that the company go into voluntary liquidation as from this date, and Mr. A. HAWORTH to be Liquidator.”

E. R. JAMES.

D. C. CAMERON.

A. HAWORTH, Liquidator.

Wanganui, 9th September, 1923.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of THE CHELTENHAM COLLEGIATE SCHOOL, in Liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of section 230 of the said Companies Act, a general meeting of the company will be held at 83 Albert Road, Devonport, on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, 1923, at 7.30 p.m., for the purpose of receiving from the Liquidator of the company an account showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of.

Dated at Devonport this 3rd day of September, 1923.

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C. W. ORAM, Liquidator.

#### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between NORMAN JAMES LOCKWOOD WATSON and SUSAN ELIZABETH MANUEL, trading as “Watson and Manuel,” Advertising Agents, of New Plymouth, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by NORMAN JAMES LOCKWOOD WATSON, to whom all accounts are to be addressed.

Dated at Wellington this seventh day of September, 1923.

McDONALD AND CROKER,

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Solicitors for the Parties.

#### STAR OIL COMPANY (LIMITED).

THE following resolution, duly signed by all shareholders of the company, has been entered in the company's minute-book:—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that Mr. D. G. JOHNSTON, Public Accountant, of Wellington, be appointed Liquidator.” 8 8

HENRY KING, DECEASED.

PURSUANT to 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of Henry King, late of George Street, Haveria, New Plymouth, who

died there on the 21st day of April, 1914, and to whose estate letters of administration were granted to William Henry Brightman on the 19th day of December, 1921, are required to send to us particulars thereof in writing on or before the 21st day of December, 1923, after which date the administration will distribute the estate having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have notice.

Dated this 6th day of September, 1923.

KING, WIGG, AND BRIGHTMAN,

11 Queen Victoria Street, London E.C. 4, England,

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Solicitor for the Administrator.

#### WAIMARINO COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND IN BLOCK XIII, MANGANUI SURVEY DISTRICT, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FORMATION OF A ROAD.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to take the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of formation of a road. And notice is hereby further given that the plans of the land so required to be taken are deposited in the office of the Waimarino County Council at Raetihi, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said lands should, if they have any well-grounded objection to the taking of the said lands or to the execution of the proposed works, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Chairman of the Waimarino County Council at Raetihi.

#### SCHEDULE.

Approximate total area of pieces of land required to be taken, 16 acres 3 roods and 10 perches; being those parts of Sections 1, 2, 3, 11, and 13, Block XIII, Manganui Survey District, in the Wellington Land District, as are more particularly delineated on the aforesaid plans deposited in the office of the Waimarino County Council at Raetihi, and therein coloured red, yellow, blue, neutral, and purple respectively.

As witness my hand at Raetihi this 5th day of September, 1923.

P. C. MURRAY,

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Chairman of the Waimarino County Council.

#### MATAMATA TOWN BOARD.

##### RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £5,000, authorized to be raised by the Matamata Town Board, under the above-named Act, for the completion of water-supply works, the said Matamata Town Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/5d. in the pound upon the capital value of all rateable property of the Matamata Town District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off. 901

#### SOUTH HAUTAPU DRAINAGE BOARD.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the South Hautapu Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £400, authorized to be raised by the South Hautapu Drainage Board, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of piping 13 chains, reconstructing the balance of drain, and the taking over of two new drains, the said South Hautapu Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 7/8ths of a penny on Class A, 7/16d. on Class B, 1/3d. on Class C, upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the South Hautapu Drainage Board, comprising the whole of the area of the South Hautapu Drainage District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 31st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Cambridge, 4th September, 1923.

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## MANAWATU DRAINAGE BOARD.

## RANGIOTU DRAIN RESERVE LOAN, £200.—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 Manawatu Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of two hundred pounds (£200), authorized to be raised by the Manawatu Drainage Board, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of constructing flood-gate and stop-bank and reforming drain running through lands known as 3G 2B Lower Aorangi, Block IV, Mount Robinson Survey District, the said Manawatu Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-tenths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property within the Rangiotu Drain Reserve Special Rating District comprising the following area: Commencing at junction of road known as Foxton Line with the Oroua River, and proceeding in an easterly direction by southern boundary of said road to junction with drain reserve known as joint outlet; thence in a southerly direction by western boundary of said reserve to junction with Manawatu River; thence in a southerly and westerly direction by western bank of said river to junction with Oroua River; thence in a northerly direction generally by eastern bank of said river to junction with Foxton Line.

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 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.

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F. W. CONNELL, County Clerk.

## RANGITIKEI COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—LOAN OF £2,500.—WANGAEHU RIVER BRIDGE AT KAUANGAROA.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £2,500, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of providing the Council's contribution towards the cost of constructing a bridge over the Wangaehu River at Kauangaroa, on the Fordell-Kauangaroa Road, on the boundary between the Rangitikei and Wanganui Counties, adjoining Kauangaroa No. 1 Block, in Block V, Wangaehu Survey District, Wellington Land District, the said Rangitikei County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one two-hundred-and-fortieth of a penny (1/240d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property situate within the whole of the County of Rangitikei, exclusive of the Town District of Lethbridge; 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 May in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six years and a half (36½ years), or until the loan is fully paid off.

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BEN. P. LETHBRIDGE, Chairman.  
HAROLD H. RICHARDSON, County Clerk.

## COUNTY OF TARANAKI.

## RESOLUTION LEVYING SPECIAL RATE OF SEVEN-EIGHTHS OF A PENNY IN THE POUND TO SECURE UPPER BARRETT ROAD SPECIAL LOAN OF £100.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £100, authorized to be raised by the Taranaki County Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of forming and metalling the Upper Barrett Road, the said Taranaki County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven-eighths pence in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Upper Barrett Road Special Rating District, being Sections part 89,

69, 74, Block 1, Egmont Survey District, part 81, 86, 79, and part 81, Block 8, Paritutu Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the first day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

ROBERT ELLIS, County Clerk.

New Plymouth, 6th September, 1923.

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## OTOROHANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1920, and the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Otorohanga County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the formation of a road; and for the purposes of such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Clerk to the said Council situate in Maniapoto Street, Otorohanga, and is open for inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours.

All persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such lands, who have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said lands, must state their objections in writing, and send the same, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the County Clerk at the Council Chambers.

## SCHEDULE REFERRED TO.

APPROXIMATE area of parcels of land required to be taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being or portion of
11	1	22	Section 12, Block XIV; coloured on plan red.
0	2	15.2	} Orahiri 3B Section 2; coloured blue.
1	2	23	
2	3	27	Tapuahounuku B No. 3B; coloured yellow.
3	1	21	Orahiri 3A; coloured purple.
2	3	10	Orahiri 3B Section 1; coloured sepia.
0	0	12	Orahiri 3C; coloured purple.
1	0	10	Orahiri No. 2 Section 7B; coloured yellow.

Situate in the Survey District of Pirongia.

Dated this 4th day of September, 1923.

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CLIVE TUCKER, County Clerk.

## DUNEDIN CITY COUNCIL.

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LANDS FOR ROAD-WIDENING PURPOSES IN THE CITY OF DUNEDIN.

In the matter of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and of the Public Works Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council of the City of Dunedin proposes, under the provisions of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, to take, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, the lands mentioned and described in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of widening Cargill Road in the City of Dunedin. And notice is hereby further given that a plan showing the lands required to be taken, together with the names of the owners and occupiers of such lands so far as they can be ascertained, is deposited in the office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, situate in the Octagon in the said city, and is open for public inspection (without fee) by all persons during ordinary office hours; and that all persons affected by the taking of the said lands shall, if they have any well-grounded objection to the taking of such lands, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the said City Council addressed to the Town Clerk at the offices of such Council situate in the Octagon aforesaid.

## SCHEDULE.

All that parcel of land situated in the Township of South Kensington, containing 3 poles, be the same a little more or less, being part of Allotment numbered ten (10) on plan of the said township deposited in the Land Registry Office at Dunedin as No. 7.

Dated this seventh day of August, 1923.

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G. A. LEWIN, Town Clerk.

In the matter of W. M. BANNATYNE AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

At an extraordinary general meeting of the above-named company duly convened and held at 77 Customhouse Quay, Wellington, on Monday, the 27th day of August, 1923, the following resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on Tuesday, the 11th day of September, 1923, the same resolution was duly confirmed, as a special resolution, namely:—

That the company be wound up voluntarily; and that CHARLES MOORE BOWDEN, of Wellington, Accountant, be and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated at Wellington this 12th day of September, 1923.

ARTHUR YOUNG,  
Chairman of Directors.

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#### MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, ELIZABETH PRETORIA LUMSDEN, M.B., Ch.B., now residing in Hornby, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 2nd October, 1923, 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 Christchurch.

ELIZABETH PRETORIA LUMSDEN,

Hornby.

Dated at Christchurch 11th September, 1923. 910

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