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*Land set apart as a Permanent 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 permanent State forest.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—AUCKLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

*State Forest Part No. 13.*

ALL that area, containing by admeasurement 867 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Waipoua No. 2B No. 3D No. 2B Block, Block VI, Waipoua Survey District. As the same is more particularly delineated on forest atlas No. 007, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon washed green, with green 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 18th day of February, 1924.

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

Approved in Council.

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

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

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the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of stopped Government roads declared Crown land:—

A. R. P.			Adjoining or passing through	
			P.W.D. 58384.	
6	3	11·6	Pastoral Run No. 15, Block X.	
2	3	1·5	"	"
0	2	8·9	"	"
			P.W.D. 58385	
0	3	10·1	Pastoral Run No. 5, Block X.	
0	0	3·4	"	"
			(S.O. 633, green.)	
1	1	16·9	Pastoral Run No. 5, Block X.	
3	3	17·8	"	"
3	3	10·6	"	"
1	0	2·8	"	"
0	0	6·1	"	"
0	0	1·4	"	"
			(S.O. 634, green.)	
0	3	30	Pastoral Run No. 5, Block VII.	
0	0	0·4	"	XI.
4	1	4	"	VII.
1	2	0	"	VII.
1	1	8	"	XI.
1	1	8	"	VII.
0	0	10	"	XI.
1	0	1	"	VII.
0	0	11	"	XI.
0	2	16	"	VII.
0	0	6	"	VII.
0	0	17	"	XI.
2	0	0	"	VII.
0	1	5	"	VII.
			(S.O. 676, green.)	
0	0	6	Lot 3 (D.P. 3421). Block XII.	
0	0	8	"	"
0	0	6	"	"
0	0	0·5	"	"
0	3	37	"	"
			(S.O. 675, green.)	

Situated in Mohaka Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). In the Hawke's Bay Land District: as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked as above men-

tioned, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of February, 1924.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VI Ruakaka 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 Ruakaka 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	1	25	Lot 25, D.P. 919, being part Allotment 103; coloured pink.
0	0	32	Allotment 103, D.P. 4344; coloured yellow.
0	0	26	Lot 25, D.P. 919, being part Allotment 103; coloured pink.
(Parish of Mangapai.)			

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

##### ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 2 roods 18 perches.

Adjoining or passing through portion of Allotment 103, D.P. 4344, Lot 25, D.P. 919, Mangapai Parish, and Lot 24, D.P. 919, Ruakaka Parish; coloured green.

All situated in Block VI, Ruakaka Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 21739.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 58676, 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 22nd day of February, 1924.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XV, Tangihua 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 Tangihua 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	22	Portion of Allotment 60; coloured neutral.
0	2	34	" S.W. 63; coloured blue.
0	2	38	" W. 63; coloured red.

#### SECOND SCHEDULE.

##### ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed 2 acres 0 roods 15 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Allotment S.E. 2, N.W. 2, S.E. 3, W. 63, S.W. 63 and 60; coloured green.

All situated in Waikiekie Parish, Block XV, Tangihua Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 20987.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 58120, 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 22nd day of February, 1924.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Block II, Otago Peninsula Survey District, Portobello Road 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 Otago Peninsula Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

#### SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 1 acre 1 rood 5·9 perches.

Portion of closed road between Sections 23, 24, 25, Block VII, Portobello Survey District, and Sections 1, 2, 74, 79, Block II, Otago Peninsula Survey District. (Otago R.D.).

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 58783, 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 21st day of February, 1924.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.*

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

#### A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

TAUMARUNUI Native Township, Subdivision "Y" 5, being Lots 11, 12, and 13, Block XIVa: Approximate area, 2 roods 34·1 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 23rd day of February, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Authorizing the Native Trustee to accept a Special Trust in favour of Natives.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 12th day of February, 1924.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by section twenty-four of the Native Trustee Act, 1920, it is enacted that the Native Trustee may, with the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council, accept and hold in trust for any person or persons of the Native race any land or other property that may be transferred to him by the owners or other persons lawfully entitled to create such trust :

And whereas Tutira Waaka Hakaraia, of Parewanui, Aboriginal Native, is desirous of transferring to the Native Trustee the sum of eight hundred pounds being the proceeds of the sale of certain Native land known as Kai Iwi 5E 3 upon certain trusts :

And whereas the Native Trustee is prepared to accept and hold such moneys upon the said trusts for the persons entitled thereto being persons of the Native race :

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 Native Trustee accepting and holding in trust for the persons of the Native race entitled thereto the aforesaid sum of eight hundred pounds.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*Declaring Portion of the Haurangi Block Road in the Featherston County to be a County Road.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present :

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road, known as the Haurangi Block Road, in the Wellington Land District, Featherston County, commencing at a point opposite the north-western boundary of Section 7, Block XII, Haurangi Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction adjoining or passing the said Section 7, Block XII, and Section 3, Block XVI, Haurangi Survey District, and terminating at a point in the said Section 3, Block XVI, Haurangi Survey District, being a distance of 2 miles 24 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 58861, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Declaring Portion of the Taiaroa Heads Road in the Otago Heads Road District to be a District Road.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present :

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by

and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a district road.

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the road known as Taiaroa Heads Road in the Otago Land District, Otago Heads Road District, commencing at a point on the south-western boundary of Lot 48, Block A 2, Otago Heads Native Reserve, and proceeding thence generally in a northerly direction adjoining or passing through the said Lot 48 and part Lot 49, Block A 2, Otago Heads Native Reserve ; thence in a north-easterly direction generally through part of the said Lot 49, Block A 2, and Lots 32 and 27, Block A 1, and terminating at the southern boundary of the defence reserve in the said Lot 27, Block A 1, Otago Heads Native Reserve, being a distance of 53 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 56646, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*Declaring Taumatotara Block Access Road in the Kawhia County, to be a County Road.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present :

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

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that road known as the Taumatotara Block Access (Dent's Access) Road, commencing at a point approximately 23 chains east of the Waiharakeke Estuary on Awaroa-Waiharakeke Road and on the northern boundary of Section 4, Block XIV, Kawhia North Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction through the said Section 4 and Hautu West No. 2, Section 1, Block XIV, Kawhia North Survey District, to its junction with the Waiharakeke Stream ; thence proceeding along the eastern bank of the said Waiharakeke Stream and along the western boundaries of Hauturu West No. 2 Section 1, Blocks XIV, Kawhia North, and II, Kawhia South Survey Districts, Section 1 E.R. and Hauturu West B No. 2, Block II, Kawhia South Survey District, and the south-western boundary of Section 9, Block II, Kawhia South Survey District ; and terminating at the Mahoe Stream Bridge, in the said Section 9, Block II, Kawhia South Survey District, being a distance of 3 miles 31 chains, more or less.

In the Auckland Land District, Kawhia County ; as the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 58878, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Takamatua Domain.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present :

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section forty of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion

of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby appoint

Antonie Joseph Kotlowski,  
George Armstrong,  
William Benjamin Jarden,  
Harold Odell, and  
Frederick Charles Aldridge

to be the Takamatua Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Monday, the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at one-thirty o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Takamatua Co-operative Dairy Factory as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### TAKAMATUA DOMAIN.

(Formerly German Bay Domain.)

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 roods 31 perches, more or less, being reserve numbered 189, situate in Block IV, Akaroa Survey District, and bounded as follows: Northward by part of Rural Section 186, 377.2 links; eastward by a public road, 181.3 links; southward by part of Rural Section 186, 359.7 links; and westward by the road reserved along the high-water mark of Takamatua Bay, in the Harbour of Akaroa, 195.6 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 12/952A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

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

*Domain and Recreation Reserves in Marlborough Land District brought under Part II of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 18th day of February, 1924.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

#### SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Marlborough Land District, situated in Block XII, Wakamarina Survey District, containing by admeasurement 11 acres 3 roods, more or less, being Sections 26 and 27 of the District of Havelock Suburban. Bounded towards the north-west by the Havelock-Nelson Main Road; towards the north-east generally by a public road; and towards the south-west by Section 5, Block XII aforesaid.

Also all that area in Block XII aforesaid, containing by admeasurement 95 acres 0 roods 19 perches, more or less, being Sections 2, 22, 23, 138, 139, 140, and 141 of the District of Havelock Suburban. Bounded towards the north generally by the Havelock-Nelson Main Road; towards the east by Section 20 (Havelock Suburban); again towards the north by Sections 3, 8, 9, 12, 13, 16, 17, 19, and 20 (Havelock Suburban); towards the west by Section 3 (Havelock Suburban); again to the north by Section 1 (Havelock Suburban); again to the east and towards the south-east and south-west by a public road; and towards the west by Section 24 (Havelock Suburban).

Also all that area in Block XII aforesaid, containing by admeasurement 92 acres 2 roods 27 perches, more or less, being Sections 142, 143, 144, 145, and 149 of the District of Havelock Suburban. Bounded towards the north-west by a

public road; towards the north-east generally by Section 98 (Havelock Suburban), a public road, and by Section 64 (Town of Havelock); towards the south-east by Section 146 (Havelock Suburban); and towards the south-west by Section 5, Block XII aforesaid.

Also all that area in Block XII aforesaid, containing by admeasurement 34 acres 1 rood 23 perches, more or less, being Sections 147, 148, and 150 of the District of Havelock Suburban. Bounded towards the north, east, and south by public roads; and towards the south-west by Section 5, Block XII aforesaid.

Also all that area in Block XII aforesaid, containing by admeasurement 19 acres 0 roods 30 perches, more or less, being Section 151 of the District of Havelock Suburban. Bounded towards the north by a public road; towards the east and south-east by Sections 215, 216, 217, 218, and 219 (Town of Havelock); and towards the south-west by Section 5, Block XII aforesaid.

As the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 1/777, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

*Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Matiere Domain.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 18th day of February, 1924.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

John Hannan,  
Thomas de Vere Hunt,  
Robert William Dench,  
John Jones Roberts,  
John Gray,  
Herbert Turner,  
Walter Charles Mildenhall,  
Ernest Price, and  
Nicholas John Dougherty

to be the Matiere Domain Board, having control of the land described in the Schedule hereto; and doth hereby appoint Saturday, the twenty-second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at eight o'clock p.m., as the time when, and the Public Hall, Matiere, as the place where, the first meeting of the Board shall be held.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### MATIERE DOMAIN.—TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SUBURBAN Section 32, Matiere Village, Aria Survey District: Area, 6 acres 0 roods 12 perches.

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

*Licensing John Waling Jones to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Purakanui as a Site for a Boat-shed.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present:

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

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, John Waling Jones, of Dunedin (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at Purakanui, as a site for a boat-shed, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 5760 (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. 5760, 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 the plan marked M.D. 5760, 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 the licensee's 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 the licensee, within a reasonable time to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, the licensee 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, 1923, 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 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 the licensee's 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.

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

*Licensing Alfred Berridge and Albert Jones to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore, at the Narrows, Hokianga River, as a Site for a Shed.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present:

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

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Alfred Berridge and Albert Jones, of Rawene (hereinafter called "the licensees"), have applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at the Narrows, Hokianga Harbour, as a site for a shed, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 5798, 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 licensees 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 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 foreshore on which the said shed is to be erected, as shown on plan marked M.D. 5798, deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structure 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 that part of the foreshore occupied by the said shed as shown on the plan marked M.D. 5798.

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 £1 in advance, payable on the 1st day of April each year, the proportionate part of such rental in respect of the period from the date hereof until the 31st of March following to be paid on the licensees 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 shed without payment.

5. The licensees shall maintain the above-mentioned shed in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at the licensees' 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 shed and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such shed, requiring the licensees within a reasonable time to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, the licensees shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

7. 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 with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1923, 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 licensees 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 licensees may be required to remove the shed, at the licensees' cost, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the licensees 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 licensees in New Zealand.

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

11. In case the licensees 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 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 either 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 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, and upon such revocation the Minister may cause the said shed to be removed, and may recover the cost incurred by any such removal from the licensees.

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

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

*Licensing Albert Stirling to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Paremata Harbour as a Site for a Boat-shed.*

JELLICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present:

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

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Albert Stirling, of Paremata (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at Paremata Harbour as a site for a boat-shed, to be built in the posi-

tion and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 5797, 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. 5797, 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 the plan marked M.D. 5797.

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 the licensee's 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 the licensee, within a reasonable time to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, the licensee 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, 1923, 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 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 the licensee's 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.

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

*Licensing Peter Hohua MacDonald to occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark in Endeavour Inlet, as a Site for a Jetty.*

**JELLICOE, Governor-General**

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 18th day of February, 1924.

Present :

**THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.**

**WHEREAS**, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Peter Hohua MacDonald (hereinafter called "the licensee"), of Endeavour Inlet, has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Endeavour Inlet, in order to erect and maintain thereon a jetty ; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-seventy-first section of the said Act, has deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 5800, sheets 1 and 2) showing the place where it is intended to erect such jetty, the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark to be occupied for such purpose, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the said jetty : And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the proposed work will not be or tend to the injury of navigation ; and the said plans have, prior to the making of this Order in Council, been approved by the Governor-General in Council, without modification or addition : And whereas it is expedient that a license under the said Act, for the purpose aforesaid, should be granted and issued to the licensee, on the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto :

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 which are particularly shown and delineated on the plans marked M.D. 5800 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of constructing or erecting thereon a jetty, 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 necessary for the erection of such jetty which are shown on the plans marked

M.D. 5800 (sheet 2), 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 licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £1 in advance, payable on the first 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, over, and out of the said jetty without payment.

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

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned jetty in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at the licensee's 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.

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said jetty and view the state of repair thereof ; and upon the 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 jetty, requiring the licensee, within a reasonable time, to be therein prescribed, to make good the same, the licensee shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made, as the case may be.

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 with any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1923, 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 jetty shall be taken away by the licensee and deposited above high-water mark, or at such places 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 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.

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 jetty at the licensee's own 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 jetty may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the licensee's 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 jetty for a period of thirty days ;
- (3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions ; or
- (4.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy,—

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every license, 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 and 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 jetty to be removed, and may recover the cost incurred by any such removal from the licensee.

14. The erection of the said jetty 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 Joseph Augustus Perano to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark in Tory Channel and to reclaim such Land.*

JELLCOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 18th day of February, 1924.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), Joseph Augustus Perano of Picton (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the said Act to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark in Tory Channel in order to reclaim such land; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-seventy-first section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 5773), showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be reclaimed and occupied and the manner in which it is proposed to reclaim such land :

And whereas it has been made to appear to the Governor-General in Council that the proposed 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 expedient that a license should be granted and issued to the licensee under the said Act, for the purposes 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 occupy and reclaim that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark, as shown on the plan M.D. 5773 so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of reclaiming the land aforesaid; 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 necessary for the said reclamation, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 5773, 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 licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £3 in advance, payable on the 1st day of April in each year, the proportional 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 persons 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 reclamation without payment.

5. The licensee shall keep any retaining-wall which the licensee may construct for the purpose of reclaiming the land included in this license in good order and condition, and shall provide and maintain all necessary outlets for storm-water.

6. The licensee shall keep the land included in this license free from noxious weeds.

7. The licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any right, power, or privilege granted by this license without the previous written consent of the Minister of Marine.

8. The rights, powers, and privileges, conferred by this Order in Council shall continue 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.

9. If the licensee commits or suffers a breach of any of the conditions of this license, the license may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council; and publication of a notice of such revocation in the *New Zealand Gazette* shall be sufficient notice thereof to the licensee, and all persons concerned or interested in this license, that it has been revoked and determined.

10. The occupation of the said area to be reclaimed 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.

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Otaki River Board in respect of Two Loans of £750 each, authorized to be raised for River Protective Works.*

JELLCOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments, it is provided 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 rate-payers 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, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the Otaki River Board has been authorized to borrow two sums of seven hundred and fifty pounds for river protective works :

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 Otaki River Board in respect of the said two loans of seven hundred and fifty pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Otaki River Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said two sums of seven hundred and fifty pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Term for which the Wairarapa Electric-power Board may borrow the Sum of £50,000, authorized to be raised for financing Intending Consumers and purchasing Stock.*

JELLCOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 18th day of February, 1924.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments, it is provided 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, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council :



And whereas the Wairarapa Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of fifty thousand pounds for financing intending consumers and purchasing stock, &c., to be repaid within forty years from the raising of the same:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the said fifty thousand pounds may be borrowed be five years:

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 Wairarapa Electric-power Board may borrow the said sum of fifty thousand pounds shall be five years, and the said Wairarapa Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of fifty thousand pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Mount Albert Borough Council in respect of £1,300, being a Further Part of a Loan of £100,000 authorized to be raised for Road-works and the Purchase of Plant.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 18th day of February, 1924.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments it is provided 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, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council.

And whereas the Mount Albert Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of one hundred thousand pounds for roadworks and the purchase of plant, and is now desirous of borrowing one thousand three hundred pounds, being a further part of the loan of one hundred 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 one 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 Albert Borough Council in respect of the said sum of one thousand three hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Mount Albert Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of one thousand three hundred pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Uawa County Council in respect of £6,000 authorized to be raised for providing Electric Light and Power for the Township of Tolaga Bay.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 18th day of February, 1924.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments, it is provided that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in any Act or in any rule

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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, as may be prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council:

And whereas the Uawa County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six thousand pounds for providing electric light and power for the Township of Tolaga Bay:

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

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

*Appointing a Member of the Havelock Harbour Board.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

WHEREAS it is provided by section 38 of the Harbours Act, 1923, that, in the event of an extraordinary vacancy in the office of a non-elective member of a Harbour Board, the Governor-General shall, by Warrant under his hand, appoint some qualified person in his place:

And whereas Harcourt Williams, a non-elective member of the Havelock Harbour Board, has resigned his office by writing under his hand delivered to the Secretary of the Board, and an extraordinary vacancy in the membership of the Board has been created, and it is desirable to appoint a qualified person in his place:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, doth hereby appoint William George Twidle to be a member of the Havelock Harbour Board in the place of Harcourt Williams, resigned.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 21st day of February, 1924.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I, Richard Francis Bollard, Minister of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

Charles Ernest Seabright

to be a Ranger under the said Act for the Taranaki Acclimatization District.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 20th day of February, 1924

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Officer for the Purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 23rd February, 1924.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Charles Ernest Seabright

to be an Officer for the purposes of Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Appeal Board appointed under Municipal Corporations Act.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased, in terms of section 335, Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, to appoint

Felix Hector Levein, Esquire, Stipendiary Magistrate, Russell,

William J. Worthington, Esquire, Engineer, Kaikohe, and Charles Nisbet, Esquire, Farmer, Auckland,

to be a Board for the purpose of hearing an appeal lodged by Messrs Dickeson Bros. (Limited), against the decision of the Kaikohe Town Board in respect of an application for the approval of that Board to a proposed subdivision of certain land in the Kaikohe Town District.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Members of Domain Boards appointed.*

Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 27th February, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 41 of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Peter Christopher Murray

to be a member of the Waipahi Domain Board, in place of Robert Melrose, resigned.

William Francis David Fox

to be a member of the Frasertown Domain Board, in place of Robert Steed, resigned.

William John Osborne

to be a member of the Apiti Domain Board, in place of William John Viles, resigned.

William Dixon Taylor

to be a member of the Mangatainoka Domain Board, in place of Francis Charles John Walkley, resigned.

John Alexander Crawford

to be a member of the Templeton Domain Board, in place of John Frederick Franks, resigned.

Henry Goodwin Kingsland

to be a member of the Wakefield Domain Board, in place of Conrad Lyell Baigent, resigned.

William John Burrows

to be a member of the Methven Domain Board, in place of Thomas Solomon Harrison, who is now an *ex officio* member of the Board representing the Mount Hutt Riding of the Ashburton County.

Isaac Jenkins and  
George Edward Robertson

to be members of the South Invercargill Domain Board, in place of George Robert Brown, resigned, and James Douglas.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

*Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 27th February, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Harold Vincent Jerred

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Hurunui and Ellesmere, *vice* J. R. Sansom, on leave.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

*Justice of the Peace resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 22nd February, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the resignation by

Henry James Harris, Esq.,

of Blenheim, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

*Visiting Justice appointed.*

Prisons Department,  
Wellington, 23rd February, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Charles Emanuel Bellringer, Esq.,

to be a Visiting Justice to His Majesty's Prison at New Plymouth.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Justice.

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—  
Notice No. Ag. 2356.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 22nd February, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

George Whitaker King,

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the Patea County, the appointment to date as from the 20th day of February, 1924.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—  
Notice No. Ag. 2357.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 22nd February, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Daniel Moloney

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the Westport Borough, the appointment to date as from the 20th day of February, 1924.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

*Appointment of Officers under Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

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

Percy Mornington Clark, of Raurimu, and  
Frederick William Savell, of Pipiriki,

to be officers for the purposes of Part II of the first-mentioned Act, in respect of the Waimarino Acclimatization District.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

*Inspector of Sea-fishing appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

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

Thomas O'Dowd,

of Port Nelson, Police Constable, to be an Inspector of Sea-fishing for the purposes of Part I of the first-mentioned Act.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

*Registrar of Brands for the Purposes of the Stock Act, 1908, appointed.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

**T**HE Public Service Commissioner has made the following appointment in the Public Service:—

George Blair, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Brands under the Stock Act, 1908, for the Nelson and Golden Bay Branding Registration Districts, as from the 1st February, 1924.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Stratford appointed.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

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

Henry Hector Scott, Esq.,

to be the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Stratford for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 20th day of February, 1924.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris appointed.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

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

(Miss) Emily Numia Churton

to be Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Te Kopua, as from the 12th February, 1923.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Deputy Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 26th February, 1924.

IT is hereby notified that the undermentioned person has been appointed to be the Deputy of the Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district set opposite his name, viz.:—

William James Minogue .. .. Feilding.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.*

Wellington, 21st February, 1924.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

WAIPIKURAU BOROUGH COUNCIL.

*Result of Polls.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll was duly held and taken on Thursday, 17th January, 1924, of the ratepayers of the Borough of Waipukurau on a proposal to raise a special loan of £2,500 for additional work in connection with the erection and equipping of a municipal theatre and shops.

At such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows: For the proposal, 112; against the proposal, 30; majority for proposal, 82.

Wherefore I declare the said proposal to be carried.

I ALSO give notice that a poll was duly held and taken on 17th January, 1924, of the ratepayers of the Borough of Waipukurau on a proposal to raise a special loan of £2,000 for the purpose of financially assisting the owners of premises within the borough to connect with the borough sewer.

At such poll the number of votes recorded was as follows: For the proposal, 121; against the proposal, 20; informal, 1; majority for proposal, 101.

Wherefore I declare the said proposal carried.

E. A. GOODGER, Mayor.

*Results of Polls on Proposals to establish Bridge Rates.*

Wellington, 21st February, 1924.

THE following notices, received from the Chairman of the Council of the County of Kaitieke, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

KAITIEKE COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to establish a Bridge Rate over the Manganui, Raurimu, Oio, and Retaruke Ridings.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers

of the Manganui, Raurimu, Oio, and Retaruke Ridings of the County of Kaitieke, taken on the 31st day of January, 1914, on the proposal of the Kaitieke County Council to make and levy, under section 23 of the said Act and its amendments, a special rate, to be called a "bridge rate," for the purpose of providing funds for the reconstruction of bridges exceeding 20 ft. in span on the roads under the jurisdiction of the Council in the said four ridings,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 64; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 6.

The total number of valid votes recorded for the proposal being at least three-fifths of the total valid votes recorded at the poll, I therefore declare the proposal carried.

*Result of the Poll on Proposal to establish a Bridge Rate over the Owango, Hunua, and Kirikau Ridings.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Owango, Hunua, and Kirikau Ridings of the County of Kaitieke, taken on the 31st day of January, 1924, on the proposal of the Kaitieke County Council to make and levy, under section 23 of the said Act and its amendments, a special rate, to be called a "bridge rate," for the reconstruction of bridges exceeding 20 ft. in span on the roads under the jurisdiction of the Council in the said three ridings,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 75; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 20.

The total number of valid votes recorded for the proposal being at least three-fifths of the total valid votes recorded at the poll, I therefore declare the proposal carried.

THOS. H. CROCKER, Chairman.

*Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.*

Wellington, 21st February, 1924.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

WAIMAIRI COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Result of Polls on North Beach Roading Loan, £16,000; and Bryndwyr Channelling Loan, £4,800.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, notice is hereby given that at a poll of ratepayers of the Waimairi County Council taken on the 24th January, 1924, on the above proposals the number of votes recorded were as follows:—

*North Beach Roading Loan.*—For the proposal, 23; against the proposal, 6; total, 29.

*Bryndwyr Channelling Loan.*—For the proposal, 16; against the proposal, 6; total, 22.

I therefore declare that both of the above proposals were carried.

R. W. HAWKE, Chairman.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 21st February, 1924.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

COUNTY OF KAIKOURA.

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

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Peninsula Riding of the County of Kaikoura, taken on the 28th day of January, 1924, on the proposal of the Kaikoura County Council to borrow the sum of £1,370 for the purpose of extending the lines along Beach Road, Hawthorne's Road, Rorrison's Road, Ludstone Road, South Bay Road, Killarney Street, Torquay Street, Deal Street, Scarborough Street, and Fyfe Quay; to make alterations, where necessary, in consequence of the said line and extension, to the existing lines; to provide for house-service connections to the main; to provide spare parts, tools, and instruments; and to provide for the cost of raising the loan,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 37, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 0.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 7th day of February, 1924.

JAMES BOYD, County Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 21st February, 1924.  
THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Council of the County of Waitemata, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

COUNTY OF WAITEMATA.

Result of Proposal on Proposed Loan.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the Kumeu Riding, in the County of Waitemata, was taken on the 12th day of December, 1923, on the proposal of the Waitemata County Council to borrow the sum of £30,000 for the purpose of road-construction, bridge and culvert building and constructing, and metalling roads in the Kumeu Riding in the County of Waitemata, as follows :—

SCHEDULE.	£
1. Purchase of plant and machinery .. ..	2,500
2. Main Helensville—Auckland Road, Taupaki to Rewiti (widening and culverts) .. ..	1,000
3. Pomona Road (metalling 60 chains from southern end) .. ..	750
4. Kumeu Riverhead Road (metalling 3 miles) ..	3,000
5. Kumeu Station Access Road (metalling 120 chains) .. ..	1,500
6. Huapai Riverhead Road (metalling 40 chains from Matua Road) .. ..	500
7. Huapai Estate Roads— .. ..	£
Huapai Road (metalling 180 chains) ..	2,250
School Road (metalling 80 chains at northern end) .. ..	1,000
Taha Road (metalling 65 chains from eastern end) .. ..	800
Mahana Road (metalling 44 chains from eastern end) .. ..	550
Foster Road (metalling 50 chains from eastern end) .. ..	600
Awa Road (metalling 40 chains from northern end) .. ..	500
Matua Road (metalling 80 chains from southern end) .. ..	1,000
Koraha Road (metalling 51 chains) ..	600
Station Road (metalling 40 chains from northern end) .. ..	500
Tawa Road (metalling 120 chains from eastern end) .. ..	1,500
9,300	
8. Old North Road (metalling 40 chains between Kumeu—Riverhead and Kumeu—Brigham's Creek Roads) .. ..	500
9. Farrand Road (formation, culverts, and bridges) .. ..	250
10. Riverhead—Brigham's Creek Road (earthwork and culvert) .. ..	500
11. Taupaki to Cottles (metalling 40 chains in continuation of present metal) .. ..	500
12. Hanham's Road (metalling 80 chains from Pomona Road Junction) .. ..	1,000
13. Waimauku West Coast Road (metalling 2 miles in continuation of present metal) .. ..	1,750
14. Waikoukou Bridge (rebuilding in concrete) ..	1,000
15. Waikoukou—Ararimu Road (metalling 120 chains from Waikoukou Bridge and rebuilding wooden bridge) .. ..	2,000
16. Waikoukou—Helensville Road (two concrete-pipe culverts at Waikoukou, and formation of Paehoka) .. ..	750
17. Motutara Road (metalling 30 chains through bush) .. ..	500
18. Muriwai Bridge to Motutara Settlement via Muriwai Road (widening formation, and culverts) .. ..	500
19. Maungakura Road (metalling 40 chains, and wooden bridge at Maungakura Stream) .. ..	1,000
20. Museum Endowment Roads (metalling 20 chains on Valley Road, formation and compensation on Mountain Road) .. ..	500
21. Footpath-construction (roads approaching Waimauku Station, £250; roads approaching Kumeu Station, £250) .. ..	500
Contingencies .. ..	200
£30,000	

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 188; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 101; informal, 6.  
I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.  
Dated at Auckland, this 15th day of December, 1923.  
PETER THEET, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 21st February, 1924.  
THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Manawatu Drainage Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

MANAWATU DRAINAGE BOARD.

Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Manawatu Drainage District taken on the 7th day of February, 1924, on the proposal of the Manawatu Drainage Board to borrow the sum of four thousand eight hundred pounds (£4,800) for the purpose of widening, deepening, diverting, straightening, putting in flood-gates, and doing all such other works and acts as may be necessary for the purposes of improving the Joint Outlet, Whiskey Creek, Burke's Drain, Boundary Drain, and Main Drain,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 194; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 25.  
I therefore declare the proposal was carried.  
Dated this 7th day of February, 1924.

E. WOOD, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 21st February, 1924.  
THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Council of the City of Christchurch, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL.

Result of Loan Poll.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the City of Christchurch was taken on the 23rd day of January, 1924, on the proposal of the Christchurch City Council to borrow the sum of £77,250 for the extension of the city water-supply,—  
The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 1,111. The number of votes recorded against the proposal was 1,168, and I declare the proposal to be rejected.  
Dated this 25th day of January, 1924.

J. A. FLESHER, Mayor.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 22nd February, 1924.  
THE following notices, received from the Chairman of the Council of the County of Hauraki Plains, are published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

COUNTY OF HAURAKI PLAINS.

Results of Polls on Proposal to raise Loans.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the Turua—Orongo Road Special-rating Area, taken on the 7th day of November, 1923, on the proposal of the Hauraki Plains County Council to borrow the sum of £4,520 for the purpose of constructing a bitumen road in the said area,—  
The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 2, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.  
Dated this 30th day of January, 1924.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Horahia Riding Roads Loan Special-rating Area, taken on the 12th day of December, 1923, on the proposal of the Hauraki Plains County Council to borrow the sum of £28,600 for the purpose of constructing bitumen roads in the said area,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 55; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 20.  
I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.  
Dated this 30th day of January, 1924.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Netherton Riding Special-rating Area taken on the 7th day of November, 1923, on the proposal of the Hauraki

Plains County Council to borrow the sum of £46,190 for the construction of bitumen roads in the said area.—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 18; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 62.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1924.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Machinery Loan No. 2 Special-rating Area, taken on the 12th day of December, 1923, on the proposal of the Hauraki Plains County Council to borrow the sum of £25,000 for the purpose of acquiring machinery and plant,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 158; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 124.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 30th day of January, 1924.

JAMES C. MILLER,  
Chairman of the County.

#### Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 23rd February, 1924.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

#### BOROUGH OF LOWER HUTT.

##### Notice of Result of Poll on Proposals to raise Loans.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Lower Hutt was taken on the 18th day of December, 1923, on the proposals of the Lower Hutt Borough Council to borrow the sums as set out hereunder:—

No. 1: *Borough Improvement Loan, 1923, of £42,000.*—For the proposal, 289; against the proposal, 151; informal, 5; total, 445.

No. 2: *Fire Prevention Loan, 1923, of £31,620.*—For the proposal, 267; against the proposal, 169; informal, 9; total, 445.

No. 3: *Plunket Rooms and Dental Clinic Loan, 1923, of £2,300.*—For the proposal, 288; against the proposal, 150; informal, 7; total, 445.

I therefore declare the three proposals duly carried.

W. T. SHAND, Mayor.

Dated at Lower Hutt this 19th day of December, 1923.

#### Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 26th February, 1924.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

#### OHURA COUNTY COUNCIL.

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

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers in the Ohura-Toitoto Special-rating District, taken on the 19th day of January, 1924, on the proposal of the Ohura County Council to raise a loan of £600 for reforming, culverting, and metalling a portion of the Ohura Main Road from the end of the present metal to Kopuha North Road and about 20 chains of the Kopuha North Road to the Toitoto Railway-siding,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 32, and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 4.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Ohura this 23rd day of January, 1924.

F. H. SIMS, Chairman.

#### Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 26th February, 1924.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

#### KAIRANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

##### Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan, Fitzherbert Riding.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Fitzherbert Riding of the County of Kairanga, taken on the 31st day of January, 1924, on the proposal of the Kairanga County Council to borrow the sum of £2,000 for the purpose of renewing culverts and bridges in the Fitzherbert Riding,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 16; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 6.

I therefore declare the proposal was carried.

Dated this 31st day of January, 1924.

P. J. SMALL, Chairman of County.

##### Approval of Fees for Licensing of Vehicles fixed by By-laws.—Ashburton County Council.

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 23rd February, 1924.

IT is hereby notified, in accordance with section 109 of the Counties Act, 1920, that so much of the by-laws made by the Ashburton County Council and sealed on the 1st day of February, 1924, as appoints the several sums to be paid to the Ashburton County funds for the licensing of vehicles plying for hire has this day been approved by His Excellency the Governor-General.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

##### Result of Election of Members of Taieri River Trust.

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

THE following result of the election of members of the Taieri River Trust has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913.

J. HISLOP, Under-Secretary.

West Taieri Subdivision: Ninian Thomas Reid.  
Momonā Subdivision: Ian George Lindsay.  
Snow Subdivision: John Miller.  
Lee Creek Subdivision: Alexander Peter Fleming.  
Lakes Subdivision: Richard Arnold Kempshell.

N.B.—The above notice is published in substitution for that published on page 545 of *New Zealand Gazette* No. 11, of the 21st February, 1924.

##### Result of Election of a Trustee of a Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 15th February, 1924.

THE following result of the election of a trustee of a drainage district has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

J. HISLOP, Under-Secretary.

Tumu Kaituna District, County of Tauranga—  
Edwin Lowther Broad.

##### Prohibition of Money-order and Postal Correspondence for J. R. Scott, Melbourne.

THE Postmaster-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having reasonable ground for supposing that the person whose name and addresses are shown in the Schedule hereunder is engaged in promoting or carrying out a lottery or scheme of chance, it is hereby ordered, under section 28 of the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908, that no money-order in favour of the said person shall be issued, and that no postal packet addressed to the said person (either by his own or any fictitious or assumed name), or addressed to either of the addresses in the Schedule hereunder without a name, shall be either registered or forwarded by the Post Office of New Zealand.

#### SCHEDULE.

J. R. Scott, Box 1632, G.P.O., Melbourne.  
J. R. Scott, Box 733, G.P.O., Melbourne.

Dated this 27th day of February, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Postmaster-General.

Notice as to Statutory Closing-days under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.

WHEREAS the local authorities of the respective separate districts mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto have failed to decide what working-day in the week shall be the statutory closing-day for shops in their respective districts:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 18 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint as the statutory closing-day for shops in each such district on and from the 10th day of March, 1924, the respective working-days set opposite their respective names in the second column of the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.			
The Boroughs of—			
North Island.			
First Column.		Second Column.	
Dannevirke .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Levin .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Ohakune .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Waihi .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Waipawa .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Whakatane .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
South Island.			
Akaroa .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Alexandra .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Arrowtown .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Brunner .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Hampden .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Hokitika .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Motueka .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Waikouaiti .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
The Town Districts of—			
North Island.			
Havelock North .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Helensville .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Hikurangi .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Hunterville .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Huntly .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Kaitiaki .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Kaponga .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Kawhia .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Lethbridge .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Mangaweka .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Manurewa .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Mercer .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Normanby .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Norsewood .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Ohaupo .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Ormondville .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Patutahi .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Raglan .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Rangataua .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Taradale .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Te Karaka .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Turua .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
South Island.			
Edendale .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Nightcaps .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Outram .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Takaka .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
The Road Districts of—			
Akaroa-Wainui, Akaroa County .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Anama, Ashburton County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Ashburton Upper, Ashburton County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Cambridge, Waikato County .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Coldstream, Ashburton County .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Dovedale, Waimea County .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Huntly, Waikato County .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Le Bon's Bay, Akaroa County .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Longbeach, Ashburton County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Mount Somers, Ashburton County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Mount Wellington, Eden County .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Moutere Upper, Waimea County .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Okain's Bay, Akaroa County .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Omaka, Marlborough County .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
One Tree Hill, Eden County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Orakei, Eden County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Orapiu, Waiheke Island .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Ostend, Waiheke Island .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Otago Heads, Peninsula County .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Panmure Township, Eden County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Pelorus, Marlborough County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Peninsula, Peninsula County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Pigeon Bay, Akaroa County .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	

First Column.		Second Column.	
Rangitata, Ashburton County .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Riwaka, Waimea County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Spring Creek, Marlborough County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Stoke, Waimea County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Tamahere, Waikato County .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Taupo, Taupo County .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Tomahawk, Peninsula County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Wairau, Marlborough County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Wakanui, Ashburton County .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Whangamarina, Waikato County .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
The Counties of—			
North Island.			
Akitio .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Castlepoint .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Clifton .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Coromandel .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Dannevirke .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Eden .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Eketahuna .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Featherston .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Franklin .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Great Barrier Island .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Hawke's Bay .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Hobson .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Hokianga .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Horowhenua .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Inglewood .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Kaitieke .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Kawhia .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Manawatu .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Manukau .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Masterton .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Matamata .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Mauriceville .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Ohinemuri .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Ohura .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Opotiki .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Oroua .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Otorohanga .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Pahiatua .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Patangata .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Piako .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Pohangina .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Stratford .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Taranaki .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Taumarunui .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Taupo .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Tauranga .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Thames .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Waikato .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Waikohu .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Waimarino .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Waipa .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Waipawa .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Waipukurau .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Wairoa .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Waitemata .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Waitomo .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Waitotara .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Wanganui .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Weber .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Whakatane .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Woodville .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
South Island.			
Akaroa .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Ashburton .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Ashley .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Awatere .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Bruce .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Buller .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Collingwood .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Eyre .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Fjord .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Geraldine .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Grey .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Halswell .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Kowai .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.	
Lake .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Levels .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Malvern .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Marlborough .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Mount Herbert .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Oxford .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Paparua .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Peninsula .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Selwyn .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	
Sounds .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.	
Springs .. .. .	.. .. .	"	
Stewart Island .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.	



First Column.	Second Column.
Takaka .. .. .	Wednesday.
Tuapeka .. .. .	"
Waikouaiti .. .. .	"
Waipara .. .. .	"

Dated at Wellington this 26th day of February, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, for Minister of Labour.

*Notice as to Statutory Closing-days under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22.*

WHEREAS the Mayors or Chairmen, as the case may be, of the local authorities of the respective separate districts mentioned in the first column of the Schedule hereto have duly notified me that the days decided on as the statutory closing-days in their respective districts, pursuant to the provisions of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, are the days set opposite their respect names in the second column of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by the said Act, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint that the said respective days shall be the statutory closing-days for shops in the said respective districts on and from the 10th day of March, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

The Boroughs of—

First Column.	North Island.	Second Column.
Eastbourne .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Foxton .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Morrinsville .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Paeroa .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Pahiatua .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Patea .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Raetihi .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Rotorua .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Shannon .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Taihape .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Te Awamutu .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Thames .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Woodville .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.

South Island.

Balclutha .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Bluff .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Cromwell .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Gore .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Kumara .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Lawrence .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Mataura .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Naseby .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
New Brighton .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Palmerston .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Queenstown .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Richmond .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Riverton .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Ross .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Roxburgh .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Sumner .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Tapanui .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Temuka .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Waimate .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Winton .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.

The Town Districts of—

First Column.	North Island.	Second Column.
Bull's .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Howick .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Kaikohe .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Kawakawa .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Kihikihi .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Kohukohu .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Manaja .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Matamata .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Ohura .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Onerahe .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Opunaki .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Otane .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Rawene .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Rongotea .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Russell .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Te Puke .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Tuakau .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Upper Hutt .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Warkworth .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Waverley .. .. .	.. .. .	"

South Island.

First Column.	Second Column.
Amberley .. .. .	Saturday.
Clinton .. .. .	"
Leeston .. .. .	"
Pleasant Point .. .. .	Thursday.
Southbridge .. .. .	Saturday.
Wynndham .. .. .	Wednesday.

The Road Districts of—

Mount Hutt, Ashburton County .. .. .	Saturday.
Mount Roskill, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Picton, Marlborough County .. .. .	Saturday.
Portobello, Peninsula County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Rakaia South, Ashburton County .. .. .	Saturday.
Suburban North, Waimea County .. .. .	"
Tamaki West, Eden County .. .. .	Wednesday.
Waimea West, Waimea County .. .. .	Saturday.

The Counties of—

North Island.

Bay of Islands .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Cook .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Egmont .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Eltham .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Hauraki Plains .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Hawera .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Hutt .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Kairanga .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Kiwitea .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Makara .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Matakaoa .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Mongonui .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Otamatea .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Patea .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Raglan .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Rangitikei .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Rodney .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Rotorua .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Uawa .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Waipapu .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Waimate West .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Wairarapa South .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Whangamomona .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Whangarei .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Whangaroa .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.

South Island.

Amuri .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Cheviot .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Clutha .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Ellesmere .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Heathcote .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Inangahua .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Kaikoura .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Mackenzie .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Maniototo .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Murchison .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Rangiora .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Southland .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Taieri .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Tawera .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Vincent .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Waihemo .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Waimairi .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Waimate .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Waimea .. .. .	.. .. .	Saturday.
Wairewa .. .. .	.. .. .	Thursday.
Waitaki .. .. .	.. .. .	"
Wallace .. .. .	.. .. .	Wednesday.
Westland .. .. .	.. .. .	"

Dated at Wellington this 26th day of February, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, for Minister of Labour.

*Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, as to the Statutory Closing-day in the Combined District of Otahuhu and Papatoetoe.*

WHEREAS the local authorities of the Borough of Otahuhu and the Town District of Papatoetoe, comprising the combined district of Otahuhu and Papatoetoe, have failed to decide what working-day in the week shall be the statutory closing-day for shops in their district:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 18 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour,

do hereby appoint Saturday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said combined district of Otahuhu and Papanui.

Dated at Wellington this 26th day of February, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, for Minister of Labour.

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, as to the Statutory Closing-day in the Combined District of Gisborne and Mangapapa.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the chairman of the conference of delegates of all the local authorities of the combined district of Gisborne and Mangapapa, as constituted for the purpose of that Act, and comprising the Borough of Gisborne and the Town District of Mangapapa, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Thursday to be the statutory closing-day for shops in the said combined district of Gisborne and Mangapapa.

Dated at Wellington this 26th day of February, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, for Minister of Labour.

Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, as to the Statutory Closing-day in the Combined District of Taumarunui and Manunui.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, and in terms of notice in writing duly received by me from the chairman of the conference of delegates of all the local authorities of the combined district of Taumarunui and Manunui, as constituted for the purpose of that Act, and comprising the Borough of Taumarunui and the Town District of Manunui, I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, do hereby appoint Wednesday to be

the statutory closing-day for shops in the said combined district of Taumarunui and Manunui.

Dated at Wellington this 26th day of February, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, for Minister of Labour.

Officiating Ministers for 1924.—Notice No. 5.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 26th February, 1924.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information :—

Presbyterian Church of New Zealand.

The Reverend Ivo Edgar Bertram, M.A.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

THE Rata Rebekah Lodge, No. 21, situated at Kennington, is registered as a branch of The Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 20th day of February, 1924.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,

Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

THE Whareroa Lodge, No. 91, situated at Paraparaumu, is registered as a branch of The Grand Lodge of the North Island of New Zealand of the United Ancient Order of Druids Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 20th day of February, 1924.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,

Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Letters of Naturalization granted.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that letters of naturalization, or endorsement of letters of naturalization, in accordance with the provisions of the Aliens Act, 1908, have been granted to the persons named and described hereunder.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD, Minister of Internal Affairs.

Name.	Nationality.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Naturalization.
Ahlstrom, Jahan Albin .. ..	Finnish .. ..	Nelson .. ..	Carpenter .. ..	5/2/24.
Gorslitz, Frederick .. ..	German .. ..	Halcombe .. ..	Settler .. ..	"
Mrzljak, Josip .. ..	Serbian .. ..	Raetihi .. ..	Plasterer .. ..	"
Pijacun, Mick .. ..	" .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Labourer .. ..	"
Alach, Frank .. ..	" .. ..	Wairere Falls .. ..	Farmer .. ..	18/2/24.
Dodd, William Henry Madill .. ..	American .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Carpenter .. ..	"
Early, Charles .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..	" .. ..	"
Frankovich, Andrew .. ..	Serbian .. ..	Frankton Junction .. ..	Joiner .. ..	"
Kokich, Mate .. ..	" .. ..	Kokopu .. ..	Merchant .. ..	"
Kuljish, John .. ..	" .. ..	Aranga .. ..	Labourer .. ..	"
Luckhurst, William Parker .. ..	American .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Ironmoulder .. ..	"
Majstrovich, George .. ..	Serbian .. ..	Aranga .. ..	Labourer .. ..	"

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	Carr, Annie .. ..	Nightcaps .. ..	Married woman .. ..	2/12/23	18/2/24	Testate	Invercargill.
2	Davidson, Isabella Archer .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Widow .. ..	10/11/23	21/2/24	Intestate	Auckland.
3	Howard, Kate .. ..	Manurewa .. ..	Married woman .. ..	22/12/23	21/2/24	Testate	"
4	Stiller, Jan or John or Johann, also known as Stille, Jan or John or Johann .. ..	Litice in Czecho-Slovakia .. ..	Labourer .. ..	28/10/20	21/2/24	Intestate	Wellington.
5	McDonald, John .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	Labourer .. ..	12/11/23	21/2/24	Testate	Dunedin.
6	Roberts, Ernest .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	Painter .. ..	30/11/18	21/2/24	Intestate	Christchurch.
7	Wiesen, John .. ..	Bethnal Green, Middlesex, England .. ..	Not known .. ..	28/1/22	18/2/24	Testate	Wellington.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 25th February, 1924.

E. O. HALES, Deputy of the Public Trustee.



RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of New Zealand during the QUARTER ended 31st December, 1923—continued.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Gisborne.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau (including Pleton).	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	TOTALS.		Correspond- ing Quarter, 1922.
																					Quantities.	Revenue.	
Totals—																							
General Tariff ..	..	326540	..	22915286	..	16272	5579	23663	299214	31532	4396	8106	2344	8250	1399	156860	13534	921	117711	24674	..	£	*less 11 933,667
Preferential Tariff ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£	1,056,510
South African Tariff ..	..	253504	..	1725907	..	9489	1489	10067	229758	15556	1298	4261	891	1658	337	105763	16076	3115	82772	14956	..	£	757,069
Primaige ..	..	891	..	636	..	25	..	14	487	146	..	5	..	49	..	803	..	..	308	106	..	£	2,876
Special duty on goods from coun- tries having depreciated currency	..	41595	8	15636	..	1437	112	1295	31534	2528	182	595	186	296	39	15515	1831	326	11526	2732	..	£	112,378
Dumping duty ..	..	1455	..	18	..	53	3	59	1428	68	..	24	..	2	..	682	37	..	348	127	..	£	4,304
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	£	2,425
Grand totals	..	623985	8	42221873	..	27276	7183	35098	562421	49830	5876	12991	3421	10255	1775	279623	31478	4362	212665	32595	..	£	1,938,137
Corresponding quarter, 1922 ..	..	509619	..	47117655	..	21707	6679	30052	485279	39530	5129	11352	3393	10410	1934	246784	22897	3519	179767	30516	..	£	1,626,693

\* Old Tariff.

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF CUSTOMS DUTIES for the YEARS 1923 and 1923.

	Year 1923 ..	Year 1922 ..
	2246907	1734677
	23143778795	34142158310
	9616628087127024	7075123697
	210103318198631048	1580888
	469621369440848	1291251691237532
	64101085355100797	490182451555201
	15970941620153100	10385623284106576

EXCISE DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Lyttelton.	Dunedin.	Other Ports.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1922.
							Quantities.	Revenue.	
Beer ..	..	35,144	15,164	28,394	63,959	37,609	3,734,057 gal.	180,270	169,181
Tobacco ..	..	442	708	459	484	185	9,570 lb.	2,278	2,758
Cigars and Snuff ..	..	371	..	..	..	..	1,855 "	371	320
Cigarettes, made by hand ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medicinal Preparations containing more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit ..	..	6,011	7,563	2,179	3,250	..	71,880 lb.	19,003	21,868
Culinary and Flavouring Essences ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Perfumed Spirits ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Toilet Preparations ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals ..	..	41,968	23,435	31,032	67,693	37,794	..	201,922	..
Corresponding quarter, 1922 ..	..	42,316	25,770	29,987	57,068	38,986	..	..	194,127

(a) Minimum, 11½d. per gallon, increasing by ½d. for every unit of specific gravity above 1047.

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF EXCISE DUTIES for the YEARS 1923 and 1923.

	Year 1923 ..	Year 1922 ..
	152,967	153,091
	86,732	86,325
	108,620	102,203
	225,082	198,456
	138,333	139,880
	711,734	..
	..	679,905

Customs Department, Wellington, 27th February, 1924.

GEO. CRAIG, Comptroller of Customs.

Population of the Dominion.\*

RETURN of the Population of the Dominion of New Zealand and Mandated Territory on 31st December, 1923.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Population (exclusive of Maoris) of New Zealand proper on 31st December, 1922 ..	645,524	619,873	1,265,397
Increase during 1923—	Males.	Females.	
Excess of births over deaths .. .. .	8,102	8,366	
Excess of arrivals over departures† .. .. .	3,944	3,424	
Total net increase during 1923 .. .. .	12,046	11,790	23,836
Population (exclusive of Maoris) of New Zealand proper on 31st December, 1923 ..	657,570	631,663	1,289,233
Estimated Maori population on 31st December, 1923 .. .. .	28,390	25,410	53,800
Estimated population of Cook Islands and Niue on 31st December, 1923 .. .. .	6,820	6,625	13,445
Estimated population of the Mandated Territory of Western Samoa on 31st December, 1923 .. .. .	19,950	18,040	37,990
Total population of the Dominion of New Zealand and Mandated Territory on 31st December, 1923	712,730	681,738	1,394,468

\* Subject to revision.      † Including crews.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

The numbers and rates of births and deaths for the last ten years are as under:—

Year.	Numbers.		Rate per 1,000 of the Mean Population..	
	Births.	Deaths.	Births.	Deaths.
1914 .. .. .	28,338	10,148	25·99	9·31
1915 .. .. .	27,850	9,965	25·33	9·06
1916 .. .. .	28,509	10,596	25·94	9·64
1917 .. .. .	28,239	10,528	25·69	9·58
1918 .. .. .	25,860	16,364	23·44	14·84
1919 .. .. .	24,483	10,808	21·42	9·46
1920 .. .. .	29,921	12,109	25·09	10·15
1921 .. .. .	28,567	10,682	23·34	8·73
1922 .. .. .	29,006	10,977	23·17	8·77
1923* .. .. .	27,976	11,508	21·95	9·03

\* Subject to revision.

The birth-rate for the year 1923 is, with the exception of that for the year 1919, the lowest ever recorded in the Dominion. The death-rate for 1923 is also low.

Census and Statistics Office,  
Wellington, 25th February, 1924.

MALCOLM FRASER,  
Government Statistician.

*Defence Rifle Club disbanded.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 20th February, 1924.

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

Kanieri Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Kanieri.

Date of disbandment, 21st January, 1924.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, for Minister of Defence.

*Notice to Mariners No. 12 of 1924.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 26th February, 1924.

**T**HE following Notices to Mariners which have been received from the Hydrographic Office, London, and the Hydrographic Office, Washington, are published for general information.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

*ENGLAND, EAST COAST.—RIVER THAMES ENTRANCE.**Mouse Light-vessel.—Alteration in Light.*

*Former Notice.*—No. 1724 of 1923 [Preliminary]; hereby cancelled.

*Position.*—Lat. 51° 31' N., long. 0° 58' E. (approx.).

*Abridged description.*—Fl. R. ev. 29 sec., 32 ft., 11 m.

*Details.*—The colour of the flashing light has been altered from green to red and the power increased to 56,000 candles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

*WALES, SOUTH COAST.—BRISTOL CHANNEL.**Cardiff Grounds.—Existence of Shoal; Extension of Banks.**(1.) Existence of shoal:*

*Position.*—At a distance of 1.6 miles 011° from Monkstone Lighthouse. Lat. 51° 26' N., long. 3° 05' W. (approx.).

*Depth.*—2½ fathoms (5m0), rock.

*Remarks.*—The 3 fathom (5m5) line enclosing this shoal is to be left open towards the north-eastward and the 2½ fathom (6m9) depth close south-eastward of the above position is to be expunged from the charts.

*(2.) Extension of Banks:*

*Caution.*—Extension of the Cardiff grounds for a considerable distance to the eastward has been revealed by a recent survey and the following notes are to be inserted on the charts in the positions indicated:—

(a.) Between the shoal described in (1) above and the bank to the westward:—

“Banks extended considerably to the eastward (1923).”

(b.) Against the eastern edge of the drying portion of Cardiff grounds situated between positions about 8 cables westward and 9 cables south-westward of Cardiff Spit buoy:—

“Eastern edge of drying bank is now nearly half a mile eastward of charted position (1923).”

*IRELAND, SOUTH-EAST COAST.**Tuskur Rock Light.—Amended Period.*

*Position.*—Lat. 52° 12' N., long. 6° 12' W. (approx.).

*Abridged Description.*—Lt. Alt. Fl. W. R. ev. 2 min., 108 ft., vis. 16 m.

*Alteration.*—The period of the alternating flashing white and red light is two minutes.

(Notice No. 1989 of 1923, dated 13th December.)

*UNITED STATES, ATLANTIC COAST.—MAINE.**Cape Elizabeth South-western Light.—Alteration in Character.*

*Position.*—Lat. 43° 34' N., long. 70° 12' W. (approx.).

*New Abridged Description.*—F. 130 ft., 17 m.

*Alteration.*—The character of the south-western light has been altered from fixed and flashing white to fixed white.

*Remarks.*—The power is now 12,000 candles. In other respects the light is unaltered.

*UNITED STATES, ATLANTIC COAST.—MASSACHUSETTS.**Great Round Light-vessel.—Alteration in Character of Light.*

*Position.*—Lat. 41° 24' N., long. 69° 55' W. (approx.).

*Abridged Description.*—F. 11 m.

*Alteration.*—The occulting white light has been replaced by two fixed white lights.

*Remarks.*—The visibility of these lights is 11 miles. The elevation of the lights and their arrangement are not stated.

*CALIFORNIA.**Sea-coast.—San Francisco and Blunts Reef Light Vessels.—Radio Fog-signals.—Information.*

Radio fog-signals on the San Francisco light-vessel and on the Blunts Reef light-vessel in the Eighteenth Lighthouse District sound the station characteristic, on 1,000-meter wave length, when there is a fog or thick haze within a distance of approximately 10 miles from the light-vessel. The signal may be heard by vessels at a distance of 25 miles or more from the light-vessel.

Radio fog-signals on the San Francisco and Blunts Reef light-vessels in the Eighteenth Lighthouse District will be sounded on 1,000-meter wave length upon request of a vessel desiring to test or calibrate its radio compass or to check its position.

At about 8 a.m., 12 noon, and 8 p.m. daily, each light-vessel will broadcast, on 600-meter wave length, weather reports pertaining to existing weather conditions in the immediate vicinity of the light-vessel, and will furnish such weather reports at other times to vessels requesting them. These reports cover only actual weather conditions as forecasts cannot be furnished.

Masters of vessels are advised that there is only one radio operator on light-vessels and that he is on watch and listens-in during the first fifteen minutes of each hour from 8 a.m. until 8.15 p.m. daily, when there is no fog, and therefore requests, on 600-meter wave length, that the signal to be sounded should be made at such times.

(See Notices to Mariners 19 (1699) of 1922 and 20 (1689) of 1923.)

*Sea-coast.—Blunts Reef Light-vessel.—Radio Fog-signal.—Information.*

Beginning 1st January, 1924, the radio fog-signal on Blunts Reef light-vessel will be operated during clear weather for the first fifteen minutes of each even hour from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. The radio operator on this vessel maintains watch on 600-meter wave length during the first fifteen minutes of each hour from 8 a.m. to 8.15 p.m. daily, except during foggy weather, and will transmit the vessel's radio fog-signal for a reasonable length of time upon request from any vessel desiring to obtain bearings by radio compass.

Masters of vessels making use of the radio fog-signals transmitted during clear weather are requested to advise the Superintendent of Lighthouses, San Francisco, California, by letter if the increased service is of value to them and if they desire to have such service continued or extended to cover more frequent periods in the future.

Approx. position: 40° 26' 04" N., 124° 30' 14" W.

*HAWAIIAN ISLANDS.**Oahu Island.—Honolulu Harbour Entrance.—Characteristic of Light to be changed.*

About 16th February, 1924, the characteristic of Honolulu Channel Light No. 3 will be changed from fixed to flashing white every second, flash 0.3 second, eclipse, 0.7 second, without other change.

The light will be unwatched.

Approx. position: 21° 18' N., 157° 52' 30" W.

*PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.—KAGAYANES.**Sultana Bank.—Information re Rock and Shoals.*

(a.) *Position.*—At a distance of 15.5 miles 011° from Manukan Islet lighthouse. Lat. 9° 53' N., long. 121° 24' E. (approx.).

*Depth.*—5½ fathoms (10m1).

*Remarks.*—The 24 fathom (43m9) depth close northward of this position on Chart No. 2578 is to be expunged.

(b.) *Position.*—At a distance of 19.1 miles 018° from Manukan Islet lighthouse.

*Depth.*—7 fathoms (12m8), coral.

(c.) *Position.*—At a distance of 18.9 miles 005½° from Manukan Islet lighthouse.

*Details.*—The symbol for a rock with a depth of less than 6 ft. (1m8) is to be substituted for the 2½ fathom (4m6) depth shown on Chart No. 2578 in this position.

(d.) *Position.*—At a distance of 22.2 miles 005° from Manukan Islet Lighthouse.

*Details.*—A depth of 1½ fathoms (2m7) is to be substituted for the 3 fathom (5m5) depth shown on Chart No. 2578 in this position.

*BAY OF BENGAL.—BURMA, GULF OF MARTABAN.**Rangoon River Approach.—Alteration in Light on Light-bouy.*

*Position.*—At a distance of about 5 miles eastward of China Bakir Lighthouse (destroyed). Lat. 16° 17' N., long. 96° 17' E. (approx.).

*Details.*—The light on “Fairway” light-bouy has been altered from occulting white to flashing white.



## Notice to Mariners No. 13 of 1924.

ERRATA.—TABLES FOR AZIMUTHS, GREAT CIRCLE SAILING AND REDUCTION TO THE MERIDIAN, 1923, VOL. (1).

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 26th February, 1924.

FOR para. (6), page 387, substitute the following:—

"If longitude is required on a given parallel of latitude, enter the traverse table with bearing of object as a course and *intercept* as dep., and take out the corresponding dist.: this will be the correction in dep. which must be converted into d-long.; this d-long. cor. applied to the D.R. longitude used in deducing the H.A. for the calculation of Z.D. will give the longitude for the given parallel of latitude."

Page 411: Under heading 2nd Observation P.M., 12th line Az. S. 79½ W. (dist.) 27.1 W., should read Az. S. 79½ W. (dist.) dep. 17.2 = d-long. 27.1 W.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

*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 Auckland Provincial Registered Plumbers Association (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 21st day of February, 1924.

WM. G. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies.

## CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

*Land in Nelson Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 26th February, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Nelson Land District, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908 and amendments.

## SCHEDULE.

## NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

LEASE No. RL. 582. Section 1, Block XII, Totaranui Survey District. Formerly held by Francis Henry Holyoake. Reason for forfeiture: Non-payment of rent.

D. H. GUTHRIE, Minister of Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Nelson, 26th February, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned land will be offered for lease by public auction at this office at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 2nd April, 1924, under the provisions of section 132 of the Land Act, 1908, and amendments.

## SCHEDULE.

## NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—ONETAUA SURVEY DISTRICT.

FAREWELL SPIT, Blocks III, IV, VII, VIII, and VI: Area, 4,397 acres; upset annual rental, £10; term, ten years.

Weighted with £300, valuation for improvements.

## LOCALITY AND DESCRIPTION.

This land occupies the whole of Farewell Spit, with the exception of a Marine Reserve of 531 acres at the northern extremity.

There are approximately 600 acres of good grazing, the balance being principally sand-dunes sparsely covered with vegetation, consisting of marram-grass, lupins, tawhine, flax, and tumutukuri.

There is no permanent water, but numerous pools in the hollows (which seldom dry up) provide sufficient water, except in times of drought, for stock. Water may also be obtained by sinking shallow wells in the hollows.

## IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements consist of the planting of lupins, marram-grass, clovers, and generally stabilizing the soil with vegetation.

## ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, ten years.
2. One half-year's rent, rent for broken period, £1 ls. lease fee and valuation for improvements to be deposited by the purchaser on the fall of the hammer.
3. Rent is payable half-yearly in advance on the 1st January and 1st July in each year.
4. Lessee to have no right to flax on the land comprised in the lease.
5. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions violated.

## SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

It shall be compulsory for the successful applicant for this land to plant annually an area of not less than 10 acres with marram-grass or other suitable sand-binding grass or clovers to be approved and 15 acres with lupins to be fenced off and protected from stock, such area or areas of his run as may be approved by the Commissioner of Crown Lands.

The Commissioner of Crown Lands must be duly notified in writing when planting begins and also when completed.

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

Full particulars may be ascertained on application to this office.

N. C. KENSINGTON,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

## STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICE.

*Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.*

State Forest Service,

Whakarewarewa, 27th February, 1924.

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, Whakarewarewa, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 26th March, 1924.

## SCHEDULE.

ROTORUA FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.—AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber on that parcel of land, containing approximately 86 acres, situated about 14 miles from Taurangi on portion of Section 28s, Ohauti Settlement, Block VIII, Otanewainuku Survey District (Provisional State Forest 69). The total estimated quantity of timber is 893,500 super. feet, as follows:—

502,100	super. ft. rimu.
120,200	„ miro.
67,850	„ kahikatea.
203,350	„ tanekaha.

Upset price, £1,362.

Ground rent, £4 6s. per annum.

Time for removal of timber: Two years from date of acceptance of tender.

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

1. A marked cheque for one-eighth of the purchase-money, together with one 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.

2. 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.

3. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Forests Act, 1921–22, the regulations in force thereunder, and these conditions.

4. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.

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. 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.

7. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned, it will remain open for application at the upset price until further notice.

8. Tenders should be on the special form obtainable from any office of the State Forest Service and should be enclosed in envelopes addressed "Conservator of Forests, Whakarewarewa," and endorsed "Tender for Timber."

The following conditions will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser:—

9. The aforementioned qualities, quantities, 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 as stated herein or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber.

10. The promissory notes will be presented at intervals as indicated in clause 1, but they may be presented for payment at earlier dates if it is found that more than a due proportion of 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.

11. 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.

12. 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.

13. 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.

14. All timber must be cut to the best advantage, and milling must be carried on regularly and generally in a manner approved 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*.

15. No compensation will be given, nor shall any be claimed, for any error, discrepancy, or misdescription whatever in respect of the lot or in these conditions.

16. The settlement of any dispute 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.

17. The Commissioner of State Forests may authorize the laying-down and working of tram-lines through the land by other persons than the licensee.

18. The license will not be transferable, except with the consent of the Commissioner of State Forests. Cutting operations must commence within six months of the date of the license.

19. The licensee 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.

20. The licensee 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.

Further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Head Office, State Forest Service, Wellington.

H. A. GOUDIE, Conservator of Forests.

### BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that BERTRAM GEORGE MORTON BENNETT, of Takapuna, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 26th day of February, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.  
10th February, 1924.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DONALD MALCOLM McLEOD, of Auckland, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.  
22nd February, 1924.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE DONALD MALCOLM, of Gisborne, Auctioneer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury-room, on Tuesday, the 4th day of March, 1924, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

C. BLACKBURN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
16th February, 1924.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the Estate of HENRY TOMOANA HUTANA, of Porangahau, Farmer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 2s. 5½d. in the pound is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, Dickens Street, Napier.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
19th February, 1924.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN TINSLEY HORTON, of Hastings, Linesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Thursday, the 6th day of March, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
21st February, 1924.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN DONALD MACFARLANE, of Opoutama, Sheep-farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, 1924, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
22nd February, 1924.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of FREDERICK GEORGE WILMER, of Port Ahuriri, Grocer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second and final dividend of 6d. (making a total of 2s. 6d. in the pound) is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, Dickens Street, Napier.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
25th February, 1924.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that ALBERT EDWIN WILTON, of Opunake, Motor-lorry Driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, at 10 Regent Street, Hawera, on Tuesday, the 4th day of March, 1924, at 2 o'clock.

ROBERT S. SAGE,  
Deputy Official Assignee.  
20th February, 1924.

*In Bankruptcy.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that JAMES MINHINNICK, of Oeo, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, at 10 Regent Street, Hawera, on Thursday, the 28th day of February, 1924, at 2 o'clock.

21st February, 1924. **ROBERT S. SAGE,**  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

**N**OTICE is hereby given that JAMES BLACKSTOCK, of Hawera, Motor-garage Proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office, at 10 Regent Street, Hawera, on Friday, the 4th day of March, 1924, at 2 o'clock.

23rd February, 1924. **ROBERT S. SAGE,**  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that FREDERIC RICHARDSON, of Maxwelltown, Farm Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 27th day of February, 1924, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

20th February, 1924. **F. J. HILL,**  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

**N**OTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR MOTLEY, of Ohakune, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Ohakune, on Thursday, the 6th day of March, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m.

22nd February, 1924. **C. MASTERS,**  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

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

- W. J. Gett, of Wellington, Merchant, first dividend of 6s. 7d. in the pound.  
H. Gastein, of Wellington, Furniture-manufacturer, first dividend of 4s. in the pound.  
P. Cosgrove, of Wellington, Ex-hotelkeeper, first and final dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound.  
J. Hamilton (deceased), late of Levin, Storekeeper, fourth and final dividend of 2s. 4d. in the pound (making 11s. 6½d. in the pound).  
J. F. Barry, of Kilbirnie, Wellington, Grocer, first and final dividend of 5½d. in the pound.

Wellington, 20th February, 1924. **S. TANSLEY,**  
Official Assignee.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.**

**N**OTICE 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 on or before 29th March, 1924.

7142. EILEEN ELIZABETH McLIVER.—Parts of Allotment 64, Parish of Titirangi, containing together 11 acres 3 roods 2 perches, fronting Cracroft Street, Blake Street, Manukau Road, and Church Street, in the Borough of Avondale. Occupied by Henry William Hall, Edwin Charles Spurr, and the applicant. Plan 16862.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 25th day of February, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

**A. V. STURTEVANT,** District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE 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 calendar month from the

date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

1521 (deposited plan No. 4400). **ERNEST ALBERT UPSON.**—120 acres 2 roods, being Section 43 and part of Section 44, Hua and Waiwakaiho Hundred. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 25th day of February, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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

**E**VIDENCE having been supplied of the loss of certificate of title Vol. 72, folio 73, for Sections 33 and 34, Meeanee Spit, Town of Napier, whereof **WILLIAM BRAMWELL BOOTH**, of London, General of the Salvation Army, is the registered proprietor, and application having been made to me to issue a provisional certificate of title for the said land, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional title after the 14th day of March, 1924.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Napier, this 25th day of February, 1924.

**W. JOHNSTON,** District Land Registrar.

**A**PPPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by **FREDERICK ROLLAND HUNTLEY**, of Matamau, Farmer, lessor under lease 6305, affecting part Te Ohu Block, being Lot 9 on plan 2773, whereof **HENRY FARNAN** is the registered lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry after the expiration of one month from the 29th February, 1924.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Napier this 26th February, 1924.

**W. JOHNSTON,** District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE 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 calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

5200. **HANNAH JENNESS.**—14 acres 3 roods 25 perches, part Section 75, Hutt District. Occupied by applicant. D.P. 6575.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 27th day of February, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

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

**N**OTICE 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 calendar month of the issue of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

13211. **AMELIA HAYHURST.**—Rural Sections 4153 and 4154, Block III of the Arowhenua Survey District, Lot 1, deposit plan No. 6799, White's Road. Occupied by Albert Dennis Crossman.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 26th day of February, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

**F. W. BROUGHTON,** District Land Registrar.

**ADVERTISEMENTS.****THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 264 (1).****NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF COMPANY.**

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the affidavit and application of **AH MOON**, Manager of **W. WONG WAI (LIMITED)**.

**I** HEREBY notify that no objection to such application having been made and lodged with me, as by the said Act required, I do now declare such company to be dissolved.  
Dated at Auckland this 18th day of February, 1924.

**WM. G. FLETCHER,**  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the names of the under-mentioned companies have been struck off the Register, and the companies dissolved:—

- 1871/84. The Waitohi Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 1904/85. The New Zealand Laundry Company (Limited).  
 1909/6. New Waitaia Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 1910/51. The Auckland Brickmakers' Association (Limited).  
 1911/81. The Golden Bell Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 1912/39. The National Piano Company (Limited).  
 1914/44. The Electricity Supply Corporation (N.Z.), Limited.  
 1914/57. The Te Kuiti Picture Company (Limited).  
 1914/70. Waihou Valley Dairy Company (Limited).  
 1914/77. Colledge, Fulljames, and Hollyer (Limited).  
 1914/89. Bay of Plenty Shipping Company (Limited).  
 1915/47. The Sunlight Washing Machine Company (Limited).  
 1915/57. The Chase Tourist Sight Seeing Company (Limited).  
 1916/4. Hague-Smith Limited.  
 1916/6. The Helensville Transport and Engineering Company (Limited).  
 1916/11. The Waipa Farmers' Lime Crushing Company (Limited).  
 1917/7. Spear and Fawcett (Limited).  
 1918/4. Advertisers Limited.  
 1918/13. The Torehape Flax Milling Company (Limited).  
 1918/15. The Oversea Sales Agency (Limited).  
 1918/23. A. R. McNeil and Co. (Limited).  
 1918/24. The Star Hotel Limited.  
 1918/41. Turners and Growers (Limited).  
 1918/51. Murray's O.K. Cleanser Company (Limited).  
 1919/14. Radio Manures Limited.  
 1919/63. Caravel Company of New Zealand (Limited).  
 1920/36. The New Zealand Chemical Import and Manufacturing Company (Limited).  
 1920/45. Mataia Limited.  
 1920/57. St. Hippo Gold-mining Company (No Liability).  
 1920/75. Albert Hotel Limited.  
 1920/76. Princes Hotels Limited.  
 1920/77. Counties Hotels Limited.  
 1920/90. Anchor Hotels Limited.  
 1920/91. Te Aroha Hotels Limited.  
 1920/92. Victoria Hotel Limited.  
 1920/107. Whangarei Hotels Limited.  
 1920/108. Waipa Hotels Limited.  
 1920/109. Marsden Hotels Limited.  
 1920/137. Aoroa Gum Company (Limited).  
 1920/149. The City and Suburban Motor Company (Limited).  
 1921/69. The Waipa Supply Company (Limited).  
 1911/55. Empire Motor Company (Limited).  
 1912/20. Griffiths, Fraser, and Co. (Limited).  
 1912/45. The Auckland Rimu Timber Company (Limited).  
 1913/87. F. M. King Limited.  
 1912/32. The Hokianga Meat Supply Company (Limited).  
 1907/21. The May Queen Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
 1915/52. Walter Cathro Proprietary (Limited).  
 1916/32. The Waima Lands Limited.  
 1917/12. Bray Bros., Auckland (Limited).  
 1920/5. The Richardson Piano and Importing Company (Limited).

Given under my hand at Auckland this 21st day of February, 1924.

WM. G. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

TAKE notice that the name of the undermentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company dissolved.

The Gisborne Hotel Company (Limited). 1913/8.

Given under my hand at Gisborne this 19th day of February, 1924.

R. F. BAIRD,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

M. Russell (Limited). 1914/65.

Dated at Wellington this 27th day of February, 1924.

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Wholesale Indents (N.Z.), Limited. 1920/54.

Dated at Wellington this 25th day of February, 1924.

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Deighton Scott Baker Fisher and Company (Limited). 1919/18.

Given under my hand at Christchurch this 25th day of February, 1924.

J. MORRISON,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

TAKE notice that at the expiration of three months from the 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:—

T. H. Baker and Company (Limited). 1911/39.

Given under my hand at Christchurch this 26th day of February, 1924.

J. MORRISON,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

TAKE notice that at the expiration of three months from the 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.

Edlin and Company (Limited). 1920/70.

Given under my hand at Christchurch this 26th day of February, 1924.

J. MORRISON,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Kapitea Goldfields (Limited). 1916/2.

Given under my hand at Hokitika this 18th day of February, 1924.

E. C. ADAMS,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

## THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited) proposes to commence to carry on business at No. 184A Karangahape Road, Newton, in the City of Auckland.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1924.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED)  
By its attorney,

E. P. YALDWYN.

Witness—Leonard O. H. Tripp, Solicitor, Wellington.

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In the matter of Part IX of the Companies Act, 1908 and its amendments, and in the matter of the UNION MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in England under the Companies Act, 1862.

NOTICE is hereby given that THE UNION MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED) proposes to carry on business in New Zealand in the following places—namely, Auckland, Wellington, Christchurch, and Dunedin.

The offices or places of business of the said company for service of legal process or delivery of notices in the above-mentioned places will be as hereunder described:—

- (1.) Auckland: Offices of Messrs. A. B. Wright and Son (Limited), 13 Commerce Street.
- (2.) Wellington: Offices of Phoenix Assurance Company (Limited), Lambton Quay.
- (3.) Christchurch: Offices of Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society (Limited), 162 Manchester Street.
- (4.) Dunedin: Offices of Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society (Limited), 105 High Street.

Dated this 12th day of February, 1924.

THE UNION MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).  
By its Attorney,

A. W. H. PADFIELD.

Witness—Leonard O. H. Tripp, Solicitor, Wellington.  
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#### NOTICE OF SITUATION OF OFFICE IN NEW ZEALAND OF MINIMAX LIMITED.

MINIMAX LIMITED, whose registered office is situated at Staines Road, Feltham, County of Middlesex, England, hereby give notice, under section 302 of the Companies Act, 1908, by its attorney in New Zealand, JAMES-FREDERICK ALEXANDER, of Wellington, Company Manager, that the company proposes to and will commence and carry on business in New Zealand at its office or place of business at Number 65 Thorndon Quay, in the City of Wellington where legal process and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered.

A copy of the power of attorney under which the said attorney acts is deposited at the Supreme Court Office at Wellington aforesaid.

Dated this 18th day of February, 1924.

J. F. ALEXANDER,  
Attorney in New Zealand for Minimax Limited.

Witness—J. F. B. Stevenson, Solicitor, Wellington. 235

PARSONS TRADING COMPANY hereby gives notice of its intention, at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, to cease carrying on business in New Zealand.

Dated the 20th day of February, 1924.

PARSONS TRADING COMPANY,  
By its Attorney,  
CHAS. H. MIRAMS.

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#### ONE TREE HILL ROAD DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the body corporate of inhabitants of the One Tree Hill Road District, under the powers vested in it by sections 18 and 19 of the Public Works Act, 1908, requires to take for a public road the land described in the Schedule hereto. A plan showing the said land required to be taken is open for inspection at the office of the One Tree Hill Road Board in Manukau Road, Auckland.

All persons affected by the taking of the said land are hereby required to set forth in writing any well grounded objections to the taking of the said land and to send such writing to the said body corporate within forty days from the date hereof.

Dated at Auckland this 20th day of February, 1924.

#### THE SCHEDULE.

ALSO, that piece of land situated in the One Tree Hill Road District, in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing one rood and three decimal seventy-three perches, more or less, being part of Lots Seventy-three, Seventy-four, Seventy-five, Seventy-six, Seventy-seven, Seventy-eight, Twenty-one, and Twenty-two of part of Allotment One of Section Twelve, Suburbs of Auckland, Bounded on the south-west by Great South Road, three hundred and ninety-two decimal fourteen links and five hundred and twenty-eight decimal sixty-two links; on the north-east by other parts of said Lots Seventy-three, Seventy-four, and Seventy-five, two hundred and forty-seven decimal forty-nine links; by other parts of said Lots 75, 76, and 77, two hundred and eighty-two decimal twenty-one links; and by other parts of said Lots 77, 78, 22 and 21, three hundred and ninety-one decimal sixty-seven links.

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WM. HODGE, Clerk.

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#### UAWA COUNTY COUNCIL.

##### SPECIAL RESOLUTION.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £700 authorized to be raised by the Uawa County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the erection of a worker's dwelling in the county, the said Uawa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-ninetieth of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the County of Uawa Special-rating District, comprising all the rateable properties in the County of Uawa; 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 a period equal to the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off. The rate of interest to be four and one-half per cent.

E. B. BOLAND, Chairman.  
239 F. T. ROBINSON, Clerk.

#### WHANGAREI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whangarei Borough Riverside Streets Improvement Loan, 1923, of £2,200, authorized to be raised by the Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of widening and improving the side streets in the Riverside District, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of fourpence (4d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Whangarei East (over the Hatea River) Special-rating District contained within the following boundaries—Commencing at the north-west corner of Section M, portion Parahaki No. 1, R. 293/438 on the bank of the Hatea River, thence by the northern and eastern boundaries of that section to the north-western corner of Section 47, Deeds Plan No. 60; thence easterly along the northern boundaries of Sections 47 and 55A to a public road, across that road; and thence by a right line intersecting Parahaki No. III Block to the northernmost corner of Allotment 2, Parahaki Parish; thence by the north-western and south-western boundaries of that allotment to the western boundary of an allotment containing 7 acres 1 rood 35·6 perches, being part of Allotment 1, Parahaki Parish; thence by that western boundary and the eastern boundary of Lot 23, to a public road, across that road to the Whangarei Harbour; thence westerly by high-water mark of the Whangarei Harbour; and northerly by the eastern bank of the Hatea River to the point of commencement; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan.

L. J. BRAKE, Councillor.  
240 C. L. GRANGE, Town Clerk.

#### WHANGAREI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whangarei Borough Drainage Connections No. 2 Loan, 1923, of £2,200, authorized to be raised by the Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of financing drainage installations and for sewer-service connections, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-thirteenth of a penny (1/13d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property within the Borough of Whangarei; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan.

L. J. BRAKE, Councillor.  
241 C. L. GRANGE, Town Clerk.

## WHANGAREI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whangarei Borough Electricity No. 3, Loan, 1923, of £6,500, authorized to be raised by the Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of erecting a workshop and store and extending the electricity-main reticulation of the borough, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five twenty-seconds of a penny (5/22d.) in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property within the Borough of Whangarei; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan.

L. J. BRAKE, Councillor.  
C. L. GRANGE, Town Clerk.

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## WHANGAREI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whangarei Borough Street Construction Loan, 1923, of £5,200, authorized to be raised by the Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of constructing a road from Manse Street to Powhiri Avenue at a cost of £1,900, and for widening and improving the Parua Bay Road at a cost of £3,300, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of two-elevenths of a penny (2/11d.) in the pound on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property within the Borough of Whangarei; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan.

L. J. BRAKE, Councillor.  
C. L. GRANGE, Town Clerk.

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## WHANGAREI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Whangarei Borough Waterworks Extension No. 2 Loan, 1923, of £8,200, authorized to be raised by the Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of enlarging and extending the water-main reticulation of the borough, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of nine thirty-firsts of a penny (9/31d.) in the pound sterling, on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Borough of Whangarei; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off, and be payable yearly on the first day of June in each and every year during the currency of such loan.

L. J. BRAKE, Councillor.  
C. L. GRANGE, Town Clerk.

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## BOROUGH OF AVONDALE.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE AS SECURITY, DRAINAGE LOAN OF £14,000.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Avondale Borough 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 £14,000 authorized to be raised by the Avondale Borough Council under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for constructing a main sewer with manholes and appliances in and for the Borough of Avondale, the Avondale Borough

Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of two-thirds of one penny in the one pound, upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Avondale; and resolves that such special rate be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, and be payable annually on the 15th day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, to expire on the 1st day of June, 1960, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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WM. JOHN TAIT, Mayor.

## WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £200 authorized to be raised by the Waipa County Council under section 18 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of the completion of the metalling of the Puahue Road (being 10 per cent. additional on a special loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Parawera Road Board (now merged in the Waipa County Council) by consent of the ratepayers of the Puahue Special-rating District, for the purpose of metalling the Puahue Road, the said loan of £2,000 having proved insufficient for the said purpose, the Waipa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/25d. in the pound on the rateable (capital) value of all rateable property in the Puahue Special-rating Area as described in the resolution gazetted on page 1928 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1921; and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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CHAS. BOWDEN, County Clerk.

## MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

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

DENNIS DOUGLAS M'CARTHY.

Dated at Dunedin, 16th February, 1924.

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## MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, ERIC JESSE RAWNSLEY, Bachelor of Medicine and of Surgery, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 17th March next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand, and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

ERIC JESSE RAWNSLEY,

Dated at Dunedin, 18th February, 1924.

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## RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Horotiu Sports Club at a meeting held on the 8th day of February, 1924, at Horotiu, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. W. Wright, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by His Excellency the Governor-General, in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. W. Wright, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. A. Stanaway 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 :—

## HOROTIU SPORTS 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



Horotiu Sports Club, a trotting club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulations dated the 8th day of February, 1924, 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 Raglan, and known as the Ngauawahia Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

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

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

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

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

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

The foregoing regulations of the Horotiu Sports Club were made and passed by such club on the 8th day of February, 1924, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

W. WRIGHT, Chairman.  
H. B. GRAHAM, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Horotiu Sports Club are hereby approved this 15th day of February, 1924.

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## STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Muir's Gold Reefs (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: As private company, 16th August, 1917; public company, 14th May, 1920.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Muir's Reefs, Te Puke; Sidney L. Smith.  
Nominal capital: £40,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £40,000.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £40,000.  
Paid up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 40,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 40,000.  
Amount paid per share: One pound sterling.  
Amount called up per share: One pound sterling.  
Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: Private company, 10; public company, 12.  
Present number of shareholders: 116.  
Number of men employed by company: 136 (average for the year).  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Gold, 16,177·033 oz., £73,682 16s. 5d; silver, 7,416·495 oz., £1,042 17s. 6d.

Total produced since registration: £162,338 10s. 10d.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £71,084 18s. 3d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £274,291 12s. 11d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of cash in bank: Nil.  
Amount of cash in hand: £7 17s.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: £3,683 9s. 6d.  
Amount of debts considered good: The whole amount.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £5,000, N.Z. Government subsidy (£1 for £1 basis) repayable from future profits from milling-ore developed by the shaft at present being sunk.  
Amount of debts owing by company: Ordinary creditors, £21,003 12s. 10d.; directors' fees voted, not paid, £3,953 8s. 6d.; loans by shareholders, £24,344 3s. 6d.; N.Z. Government loan, £10,650; Bank of New Zealand, overdraft, £8,768 5s. 1d.; bills payable, £2,320 10s. 6d.; wages accrued, £40 15s. 11d.: total, £71,080 16s. 4d.

I, Sidney L. Smith, of Muir's Reefs, Te Puke, the Secretary of Muir's Gold Reefs (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as at the 31st December, 1923; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

SIDNEY L. SMITH.

Declared at Muir's Reefs, Te Puke, this 20th day of February, 1924, before me—Jas. R. Noble, J.P. 250

## MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, JAMES DEWAR HUNTER, Bachelor of Medicine and of Surgery, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying, on the 20th March next, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Dunedin.

JAMES DEWAR HUNTER.

Dated at Dunedin, 21st February, 1924. 251

## COUNTY OF HAURAKI PLAINS.

### RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, section 39 of the Finance Act, 1921-22, and by and with the consent of the Governor-General in Council, the Hauraki Plains County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of two thousand pounds (£2,000) authorized to be raised by the Hauraki Plains County Council under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of discharging an existing liability of £2,000 for the purchase of land at Hikutaia for quarry purposes, the said Hauraki Plains County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-thirtieth of a penny (1/30d.) in the pound (£1) upon the rateable value (unimproved) of all rateable property of the special-rating area comprising the whole of the County of Hauraki Plains; 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; to Ernest Walton, County Treasurer, at the County Office, Ngatea.

252 JAMES C. MILLER, County Chairman.  
ERNEST WALTON, County Clerk.

## COUNTY OF HAURAKI PLAINS.

### 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 Hauraki Plains County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £7,750 authorized to be raised by the Hauraki Plains County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the construction of bitumen roads in the Turua District Roads Loan Special-rating Area, the said Hauraki Plains County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of fivepence (5d.) in the pound (£1) upon the rateable

value (unimproved) of all rateable property in the Turua District Roads Loan Special-rating Area, comprising all that area of land in the Turua District Roads Loan Special-rating Area bounded as follows : commencing at a point being the south-eastern corner of the Turua Town District, bounded towards the south by a line proceeding in a south-westerly direction along the southern boundary of the Turua Town District; thence along the southern boundary of Section 19 of Turua Estate to the eastern boundary of Lot 2 of Section 7 of Block II of the Waihou Survey District; thence bounded towards the west by a line proceeding in a northerly direction along the eastern boundary of the said Lot 2 of Section 7, Block II of the Waihou Survey District, to and across the Piako Road, and along the eastern boundary of Section 14 of Block II of the Waihou Survey District to a point 10 chains 50 links north of the southern boundary of Oparia Block No. 1; thence towards the north proceeding in an easterly direction by a right line to the north-westerly corner of the Turua Town District in the said Oparia Block No. 1, and thence along the northern boundary of the Turua Town District to the Waihou River; and thence towards the east proceeding in a southerly direction by the eastern boundary of the Turua Town District to the point of commencement: 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, to Ernest Walton, County Treasurer, at the County Office, Ngatea.

JAMES C. MILLER, County Chairman.  
ERNEST WALTON, County Clerk.

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LOWER HUTT BOROUGH COUNCIL.

FIRE PREVENTION LOAN, £31,620, SPECIAL SECURITY RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Lower Hutt Borough Council hereby resolves as follows :—  
That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £31,620, authorized to be raised by the Lower Hutt Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act for providing the following—(1) Purchase of fire-engine; (2) erecting and furnishing new fire-station; (3) lifting present mains and replacing with larger mains; (4) first year's interest and sinking fund and preliminary expenses and costs of raising the loan,—the said Lower Hutt Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three hundred and seven four-hundredths of a penny (307/400d.) in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Lower Hutt: And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, and until such loan is fully paid off.

W. T. STRAND, Mayor.  
J. F. EAMES, Town Clerk.

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LOWER HUTT BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PLUNKET ROOMS AND DENTAL CLINIC LOAN, £2,300, SPECIAL SECURITY RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Lower Hutt Borough Council hereby resolves as follows :—  
That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,300, authorized to be raised by the Lower Hutt Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of erecting Plunket and dental clinic rooms, and meeting the first year's interest and sinking fund and preliminary expenses and costs of raising the loan, the said Lower Hutt Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of twenty-three four-hundredths of a penny (23/400d.) in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Lower Hutt; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, and until such loan is fully paid off.

W. T. STRAND, Mayor.  
J. F. EAMES, Town Clerk.

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LOWER HUTT BOROUGH COUNCIL.

BOROUGH IMPROVEMENT LOAN, £42,000, SPECIAL SECURITY RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Lower Hutt Borough Council hereby resolves as follows :—  
That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £42,000, authorized to be raised by the Lower Hutt Borough Council, under the above-mentioned Act, for providing the following—(1) foot-paths and tar-storage tank; (2) bitumen surface (main road), roads-improvements, road-construction machinery, street-name plates, and motor lawn-mower; (3) footway, main bridge; (4) sewer and storm-water mains, and converting pumping-plant to electrical power; (5) water-main extensions and converting pumping-plant to electrical power; (6) ladies' rest-room and lavatory, and men's lavatory; (7) first year's interest and sinking fund and preliminary expenses and costs of raising the loan—the said Lower Hutt Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and eight four-hundredths of a penny (1d. and 8/400d.) in the pound upon the unimproved rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Lower Hutt: and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, and until such loan is fully paid off.

W. T. STRAND, Mayor.  
J. F. EAMES, Town Clerk.

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FRANKLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING A SPECIAL RATE AS SECURITY FOR THE JESMOND ROAD (RUNCIMAN) SPECIAL-RATING AREA LOAN OF £1,500.

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 instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of one thousand five hundred pounds (£1,500), authorized to be raised by the Franklin County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of metalling Jesmond Estate Road, the said Franklin County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and one-third of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Jesmond Road (Runciman) 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.

Jesmond Road (Runciman) Special-rating Area.

The following lots on deposited plan No. 12364 of Jesmond Estate Subdivision, being part of Section 36, Opaheke Parish :—

Description of Property.	Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Eastern half of Lot 1	12	2	18
Lots 2 and 3	50	1	16
Lot 4	25	0	34
Lots 5 and 6	51	1	39
Lot 7	25	0	38
Lots 8 and 13	48	2	14
Lot 9	23	2	17
Lot 10	25	2	0
Lot 11	33	0	29
Lot 12	25	1	18
Lot 14	27	1	3
Lot 15	34	2	21
Lot 16	46	1	0
Lots 17 and 18	56	1	15
Lot 19	24	1	16
Lot 20	24	3	8
Lot 21	39	2	10
Lot 22	27	0	14
Lot 23	25	3	21
And Part Allotment 36, Opaheke Parish (owned by William Bremner in 1923)	25	0	0

ALAN P. DAY, County Clerk.

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## WAIMATUKU RIVER BOARD.

## RESOLUTION STRIKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the River Boards Act, 1908, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the amendments of the said Acts, the Waimatuku River Board hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £8,000, and named "The Waimatuku River Loan of £8,000 of 1920," authorized to be raised by the said Board, under the above-mentioned Acts and the amendments thereof, for the purpose of improving the Waimatuku River by straightening, widening, deepening, and embanking the same, and for acquiring the necessary machinery to carry out the said work within the limits of the district, the said Board hereby makes and levies a differential special rate upon all rateable property of the Waimatuku River District as follows, that is to say: (a) A special rate of 0.66 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in class (a) as fixed by the classification made by the Board pursuant to section 9 of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913; (b) a special rate of 0.566 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in class (b) as fixed by the said classification; (c) a special rate of 0.283 of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in class (c) as fixed by the said classification: 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 December in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until such loan is fully paid off.

A. McKENZIE, Chairman.  
JOHN FISHER, Clerk.

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## THE ROYAL AUCTIONEERING COMPANY (LIMITED).

## IN LIQUIDATION.

EXTRAORDINARY resolution signed by at least three-fourths of the members holding in the aggregate at least three-fourths of the shares in the capital of the Royal Auctioneering Company (Limited), in accordance with section 168, subsection (6), of the Companies Act, 1908, on the 28th day of January, 1924:—

"That it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the company be wound up voluntarily; and that W. T. R. Boggs, of Auckland, Public Accountant, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

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W. T. R. BOGGS, Liquidator.

## HUTT COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hutt County Council hereby resolves that, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest and also the other charges on a loan of £700, authorized to be raised by the Hutt County Council, under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of constructing an overhead railway bridge, and the construction of all works and the acquirement of any land incidental thereto, at Pukerua, the said Hutt County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of sixty-nine one-hundredths of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property (on the basis of the capital value) of the No. 19 Special-rating District, Pukerua, being portion of the Horokiwi Riding of the County of Hutt; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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A. J. McPHERSON, County Clerk.

## WAIMAIRI COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—BRYNDWAR CHANNELLING LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £4,800, authorized to be raised by the Waimairi County Council, under the above Act, by a poll of ratepayers taken on the 24th day of January, 1924, for the purpose of kerbing and channelling in the Bryndwar Channelling Loan Area, the said Waimairi County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and one-fifth of a penny (1d. and 1/5d.) in the pound upon the rateable value (being capital value) of all rateable property in the special-rating area known as Bryndwar Channelling Loan Area, in the Wairarapa Riding of the Waimairi County, as declared by the said Waimairi County Council at a meeting held on the 12th day of November, 1923, and described and recorded on page 360 of the minute-book of the said Council, and advertised in the *Press* newspaper published on the 6th day of November, 1923; 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 the first 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 fully paid off.

R. S. HAWKE, Chairman.

G. W. COWPER, County Clerk.

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## WAIMAIRI COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—RIVER ROAD LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Waimairi County Council, under the above Act, by a petition of ratepayers under section 16 of the said Act, for the purpose of River Road formation, the said Waimairi County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of threepence (3d.) in the pound upon the rateable value (being capital value) of all the rateable property in the special-rating area known as the River Road Loan Area, in the Avon Riding of the Waimairi County, as declared by the said Waimairi County Council at a meeting held on the 12th day of November, 1923, and described and recorded on page 539 of the minute-book of the said Council, and advertised in the *Press* newspaper published on the 6th day of November, 1923; 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 the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 20 years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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R. W. HAWKE, Chairman.

G. S. COWPER, County Clerk.

## WAIMAIRI COUNTY COUNCIL.

## RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—NORTH BEACH ROADING LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £16,000, authorized to be raised by the Waimairi County Council, under the above Act, by a poll of ratepayers taken on the 24th day of January, 1924, for the purpose of road-formation in the North Beach Roading Loan Area, the said Waimairi County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one shilling and one penny (1s. 1d.) in the pound upon the rateable value (being capital value) of all the rateable property in the special rating-area known as the North Beach Roading Loan Area, in the Styx Riding of the Waimairi County, as declared by the said Waimairi County Council at a meeting held on the 12th day of November, 1923, and described and recorded on page 360 of the minute-book of the said Council, and advertised in the *Press* newspaper published on the 6th day of November, 1923; 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 the first 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 fully paid off.

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R. W. HAWKE, Chairman.

G. S. COWPER, County Clerk.

## WAIMAIRI COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—RICCARTON  
CHANNELLING LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £2,250, authorized to be raised by the Waimairi County Council, under the above Act, by a petition of ratepayers under section 16 of the said Act, for the purpose of kerbing and channelling in the Riccarton Channelling Loan Area, the said Waimairi County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny (1d.) in the pound upon the rateable value (being capital value) of all the rateable property in the special-rating area known as the Riccarton Channelling Loan Area, in the Riccarton and Middleton Ridings of the Waimairi County, as declared by the said Waimairi County Council at a meeting held on the 12th day of November, 1923, and described and recorded on page 361 of the minute-book of the said Council, and advertised in the *Press* newspaper published on the 6th day of November, 1923; 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 the first day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 20 years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

R. W. HAWKE, Chairman.  
G. S. COWPER, County Clerk.

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## WAIKIWI RIVER BOARD.

## RESULT OF ELECTION.

HEREBY give public notice that the following is the result of the poll held this day for the election of five members of the Waikiki River Board:—

Alexander Macpherson	..	..	54 votes.
William Curran	..	..	49 "
Robert Albert Anderson	..	..	48 "
Thomas William Findley	..	..	46 "
Patrick Staunton	..	..	39 "
Thomas Daniel Kingsland	..	..	39 "
Frederick William Lokan	..	..	35 "
Tom Giller	..	..	27 "

Informal, nil.

As there was an equality of voting between two candidates for the fifth position, in pursuance of section 10 (2) of the Local Elections and Polls Amendment Act, 1913, I determined by lot which candidate should be elected, the lot falling to Patrick Staunton.

I therefore hereby declare Messrs. Alexander Macpherson, William Curran, Robert Albert Anderson, Thomas William Findley, and Patrick Staunton duly elected members of the Waikiki River Board for the ensuing three years.

D. CUTHBERTSON, Returning Officer.

Invercargill, 8th January, 1924.

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## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between MELVILLE WILKENS, of Ngaio, Carrier, and THOMAS MARTIN STEPHENS, of Ngaio, Plumber, carrying on business as Carriers, Coal-merchants, and General Merchants at Ngaio under the style or firm of "M. Wilkens and Co.," has been dissolved as from the 1st day of February, 1924.

All debts due to the late firm will be received by, and all debts due by the said firm will be paid by, the said MELVILLE WILKENS.

Dated the 14th day of February, 1924.

MELVILLE WILKENS.  
THOMAS MARTIN STEPHENS.

Witness to the signatures—Stephen H. Moynagh, Solicitor, Wellington.

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## MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

ALLAN HOPKINS, Bachelor of Medicine and of Surgery, Univ. N.Z., now residing in Wellington, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 27th March next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited

the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Registrar of Births and Deaths at Wellington.

ALLAN HOPKINS.

Dated at Wellington 27th February, 1924.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the CROWN BREWERY COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT the annual general meeting of the CROWN BREWERY COMPANY (LIMITED), duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, Antigua Street, Christchurch, on the 30th day of January, 1924, 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 the 20th day of February, 1924, the same resolution was duly confirmed as a special resolution, viz.:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily."

And at such last-mentioned meeting ALFRED LOUISSEON, of Christchurch, and MAURICE GEORGE LOUISSEON, of Christchurch, were appointed Liquidators for the purposes of such winding-up.

Dated at Christchurch the 27th day of February, 1924.

CHARLES LOUISSEON, Chairman.

Witness to signature—L. A. Charles, Solicitor, Christchurch

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## HUTT COUNTY COUNCIL.

## NOTICE ON INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

In the matter of the Counties Act, 1920, and the Public Works Act, 1908, and their amendments.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Hutt County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the construction of an overhead railway bridge and road approaches thereto, and for the purposes of such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken.

Notice is hereby further given that a plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the County Clerk to the said Council situate at 68 Lambton Quay, Wellington, 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 objection in writing, and send the same within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the County Clerk at his said office.

## SCHEDULE.

18 perches, being part of Pukerua 3c No. 1A, Block V, Paekariki Survey District, shown on plan marked 1864, coloured blue, situate in the County of Hutt.

In the land district of Wellington, is more particularly delineated on the plan above mentioned.

As witness my hand at Wellington this twenty-seventh day of February, nineteen hundred and twenty-four.

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A. J. MACPHERSON, County Clerk.

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