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

[L.s.] **JELICOE, Governor-General.**  
A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

**SECTION 3, Block VII, Mokihinui Survey District: 1st January, 1924.**

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 September, 1924.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

**SECTION 7, Block I, Rotoroa Survey District: 1st January, 1924.**

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 September, 1924.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Additional Land taken for the Purposes of the Opunake Branch of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway (Kapuni Section).*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the additional land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of the Opunake Branch of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway (Kapuni Section).

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 rood 18 perches.

Portion of Section 11, situated in Block XV, Kaupokonui Survey District (Taranaki R.D.).

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 59458, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Quarry, in Block XI, Tokomaru Survey District, Waipuu County.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 7 acres. Portion of Tokomaru K5, Block XI, Tokomaru Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1208A, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60123, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion this 18th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XIV, Pirongia Survey District, Otorohanga County.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
11	1	22	Section 12; coloured red.
0	2	15.2	} Orahiri 3B Section 2; coloured blue.
1	2	23	
2	3	27	Tapuahounuku B No. 3B; coloured yellow
3	1	21	Orahiri 3A; coloured purple.
2	3	10	" 3B Section 1; coloured sepia.
0	0	12	" 3C; coloured purple.
1	0	10	" No. 2 Section 7B; coloured yellow.

Situated in Block XIV, Pirongia Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 22872.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60333, 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 17th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Public School in Block V, Harataunga Survey District.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land being taken: 2 acres 0 roods 15 perches.

Portion of Moeheu 3d No. 2, Block V, Harataunga Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23310.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60617, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged 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 20th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block VIII, Mawheranui Survey District, Grey County.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3.1 perches. Portion of Section 1, Block I, Hatter's Terrace Township, situated in Block VIII, Mawheranui Survey District (Westland R.D.). (S.O. 2384.)

In the Westland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60178, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block VIII, Tutaki Survey District—viz., Western Approach, Tutaki River Bridge.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road in Block VIII, Tutaki Survey District—viz., western approach, Tutaki River Bridge.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 1 rood 23.75 perches.  
Portion of Section 2, Block VIII, Tutaki Survey District (Nelson R.D.).

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 59995, 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 8th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Street and Street closed in the Borough of Hamilton.*

[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 street the land in the Borough of Hamilton described in the First Schedule hereto; and also do hereby proclaim as closed the street described in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A STREET.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a street: 11.15 perches.  
Portion of Section 83; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

STREET CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of street closed: 13.17 perches.  
Adjoining or passing through railway reserve; coloured green.

All situated in Pukete Parish, Block XIII, Komakorau Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23224.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60445, 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 19th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block V, Awitu Survey District, Franklin 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 Awitu 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.	Being Portion of
1	3	39	Lot 1 of Allotment 80, D.P. 11704; coloured pink.
0	2	34.8	Allotment 95; coloured blue.
0	0	2	„ 148 „ red.
0	0	7.5	„ 149 „ red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
1	1	6.9	Allotments 95, 96, and 149, and Lot 1 of Allotment 80, D.P. 11701; coloured green.
0	2	11.5	Lot 1 of Allotment 80, D.P. 11704; coloured green.

All situated in Block V, Awitu Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 22725.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 59969, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for Scenic Purposes in Awakino East, Mokau, and Tainui Survey Districts.*

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke so much of the Proclamation dated the fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 28, of the eighteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty, taking land for scenic purposes in Awakino East, Mokau, and Tainui Survey Districts, as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto, such land being no longer required for the purposes for which it was taken.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land not required: 25 acres.  
Being Sub. 1 of Section 3, Block III, Mokau Survey District (S.O. 6194), which said Section 3 is more particularly delineated on plan marked P.W.D. 45898, sheet 5, referred to in the above-mentioned Proclamation (No. 539) but described in such Proclamation as part Sub. 13 of Mokau-Mohakatino 1F (148 acres 1 rood) and part Mokau-Mohakatino 1F (53 acres 3 roods).

In the Taranaki Land District (Taranaki R.D.). As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60558, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works  
GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.*

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

## A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

## SCHEDULE.

THE ROBI 1892 Act Leases Grant 5748, First Residue, being Subdivision 1 of Section 10, Block XIV, Ngaire Survey District: Area, 119 acres 1 rood 9 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 19th day of September, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Directing the Sale of Land under the Public Works Act, 1908, in the Borough of Blenheim.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Public Works Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct the sale of the land described in the Schedule hereto, such land being no longer required for the public work for which it was acquired.

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land directed to be sold: 1 rood.

Being Allotment 177 of Section 3, Omaka, Borough of Blenheim (Marlborough R.D.)

In the Marlborough Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60543, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged green.

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

*Declaring Portion of the Titirangi Road in the Kiwitea County to be a County Road.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that

the portion of road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

## SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Wellington Land District, Kiwitea County, known as the Titirangi Road, commencing at its junction with the Mania Road at the northernmost corner of Section 12, Block XIII, Ruahine Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in an easterly direction adjoining or passing through the said Section 12, Section 13, and part Section 18, Block XIII, Ruahine Survey District, and terminating at a point between the said Section 18 and Section 17, Block XIII, Ruahine Survey District, being approximately 25 chains east of the boundary between the said Sections 13 and 18, Block XIII, Ruahine Survey District: being a total distance of 77 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60567, 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 Portions of Road in Blocks XV and XIV, Tangihua Survey District, to be Government Roads.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road declared to be Government roads:—

A.	B.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	1	8·3	Sections N.E., S.E.M., and M. 14, Blocks XV and XIV.
0	2	17	Sections S.W. and M. 14, Block XIV.
0	1	0	" S.W. 14 and N.E. 15, Block XIV.

Situated in Waikiekie Parish, Tangihua Survey District. [S.O. 21201(8).]

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 51997 (sheet 8), deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

*Extended Time for Closing Poll.—Glen Eden Town District.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, as amended by the Local Elections and Polls Amendment Act, 1913, 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 extend the hour at which the election of members of the Glen Eden Town Board held on Wednesday, the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, shall close to seven o'clock in the afternoon of the day appointed.

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

*Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section twenty-six of the Board of Trade Act, 1919, and of every other power and authority 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, on the recommendation of the Minister of Industries and Commerce, make the following Board of Trade Regulations relating to the regulation and control of the supply and sale of gas.

## REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations may be cited as the Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924, and shall come into force on the 1st day of January, 1925.

2. In these regulations, unless the context requires another meaning,—

“A British thermal unit” means the amount of heat required to raise one pound of water from 60° Fahrenheit to 61° Fahrenheit.

“Calorific value” means the number of British thermal units (gross) produced by the combustion of 1 cubic foot of gas, measured at 60° Fahrenheit under a pressure of 30 in. of mercury and saturated with water-vapour.

“A cubic foot” means the space occupied by 62.321 lb. avoirdupois of distilled water, weighed in air at a temperature of 62° Fahrenheit, the barometer being at 30 in.

“Gas company” or “company” means any company, corporation, firm, or person supplying coal-gas for lighting, heating, motive power, or other purposes, and disposing of the same for profit, and includes a local authority as herein defined :

“Local authority” means a City or Borough Council or a Town Board :

“Therm” means one hundred thousand British thermal units :

“Minister” means the Minister of Industries and Commerce.

3. The Minister may, by order, require any gas company—

(a.) To declare the calorific value of the gas which it intends to supply :

(b.) To fix, with the approval of the Minister, a maximum price or maximum prices for each therm or for each thousand cubic feet of gas of declared calorific value ;

(c.) To supply gas of the declared calorific value at a specified minimum pressure and free from sulphuretted hydrogen :

Provided that any company may, subject to the provisions of clause 5 hereof, at any time alter the declared calorific value of its gas by giving three months' notice to the Minister of its intention to make such alteration.

4. The maximum price or maximum prices for each therm or for each thousand cubic feet of gas of declared calorific value shall be subject to alteration at any time, if it is shown to the satisfaction of the Minister that the costs and charges of and incidental to the production and supply of gas have substantially altered from circumstances beyond the control of, and which could not necessarily be avoided, by any company.

5. The declared calorific value of gas shall be not less than 400 British thermal units gross per cubic foot, unless it can be shown to the satisfaction of the Minister that gas of a lower calorific value can be sold at such price as to warrant the fixation of a declared calorific value lower than 400 British thermal units gross per cubic foot.

6. In the event of a company supplying gas of a lower calorific value than 450 British thermal units gross per cubic foot, or in the case of alteration in the declared calorific value, the company shall take at its own expense such steps as may be necessary to alter, adjust, or replace the burners in consumers' appliances, in such manner as to secure that the gas can be burned with safety and efficiency, except in the case of any consumer who objects to such alteration, adjustment, or replacement by the company.

7. The minimum permissible pressure shall be such pressure in any main or in any pipe, laid between the main and the meter, having an internal diameter of 2 in. and upwards,

as to balance a column of water not less than 2 in. in height, except as may be otherwise provided by the order relating to any company, and different minima may be specified for different parts of the district supplied by any company, or for gas of different calorific values.

8. It shall not be lawful for any company (whether or not such company is a company specified in the Schedule hereto) to charge for the supply of gas according to the number of British thermal units supplied, unless authorized to do so by the Minister.

9. (1.) The Minister shall appoint two persons to act as Gas Referees, one of whom shall be a person having practical knowledge and experience in the manufacturing and supply of gas, and shall likewise appoint a third person who shall act as a Gas Referee and also as Chief Gas-examiner.

(2.) There may be appointed in a like manner such properly qualified Gas-examiners and Inspectors of Meters as may from time to time be found necessary for the purpose of carrying out these regulations.

10. Two of the Gas Referees shall be a quorum and at least two of the Gas Referees shall concur in every act or determination of the Gas Referees.

11. The Gas Referees shall prescribe—

(a.) The places and times at which and the apparatus and methods by which tests, whether continuous or intermittent, shall be made to ascertain whether any company with respect to which an order has been made under these regulations is supplying gas in accordance with its obligations ; and

(b.) The method by which any such apparatus shall be verified ; and

(c.) The time and form of the reports to be made by a Gas-examiner to the Gas Referees and to the companies, and the means by which the results of the tests shall be made available to the public.

12. If a company thinks itself aggrieved by any report of the Gas-examiner, it may within thirty (30) days appeal to the Gas Referees, who may confirm with or without amendment, or annul the report and the decision of the Gas Referees, after hearing the parties, shall be final and conclusive.

13. Any company with respect to which an order has been made under these regulations, shall provide and maintain, to the satisfaction of the Gas Referees, the prescribed testing places and apparatus, and shall give any Gas-examiner access to any testing-place for the proper execution of his duty.

14. The prescribed apparatus shall, in the case of any companies which have sold in the preceding year more than fifty million cubic feet of gas, and in any other case in which it appears necessary to the Gas Referees, include a calorimeter of a design approved by the Gas Referees, for the production of a continuous record of the calorific value of the gas which is being supplied.

15. A representative of the company may be present on any occasion in which the Gas-examiner inspects, or alters, adjusts, or replaces the testing-apparatus, or tests the gas, but shall not interfere with the inspection, alteration, adjustment, or replacement, or test, unless requested to do so by the Examiner. For the purposes of this regulation, the Gas-examiner shall, in cases where the testing-place is situated elsewhere than on the works of the company, give to the company reasonable notice of the time at which he will attend at the testing-place.

16. The Gas Referees may at any reasonable time where it appears to them necessary for the proper execution of their duties, enter upon and inspect any of the works of a company, and the company shall afford them and their assistants full facilities for this purpose, and shall furnish the Gas Referees with such information with regard to the position of the mains and pipes of the company, and with regard to any other matter, as the Gas Referees may reasonably require :

Provided that the Gas Referees, or any other person or persons acting under authority of these regulations, shall immediately prior to any inspection of any works of a company notify any responsible official of the company of his or their intention to carry out such inspection.

17. The remuneration of the Gas Referees and Gas-examiners shall be such as the Minister may fix.

18. (1.) It shall be an offence by a company against the regulations—

(a.) If that company fails to comply with any lawful prescription of the Gas Referees or to provide or maintain any testing place, apparatus, or materials, or any other matter or thing prescribed therein, or to afford to Gas-examiners or Gas Referees access to any testing place or works in accordance with the requirements of these regulations, or to afford or furnish any facilities or information in accordance with the requirements of these regulations :

- (b.) If on any occasion of testing by a Gas-examiner the average calorific value of the gas supplied by that company for a period of two hours or upwards ascertained in accordance with the provisions of these regulations (by intermittent tests or by a continuous test with a recording calorimeter after verification and, if necessary, adjustment by the Gas-examiner) is more than 5 per cent. below the declared calorific value:

Provided that where there is no continuous record of the calorific value of the gas supplied by the company, if on any occasion of testing the calorific value at any testing-place is found to be more than 5 per cent. below the declared calorific value, a second testing shall be made on the same day after an interval of not less than one hour, and the mean of the two testings shall be deemed, for the purposes of this subclause, to be the calorific value of the gas supplied by the company at that testing-place for a period of two hours:

- (c.) If on any occasion the gas supplied by that company does not conform to the provisions of these regulations, or any order made thereunder in regard to purity:

- (d.) If on any occasion the gas supplied by that company does not conform to the provisions of these regulations or any order made thereunder in regard to pressure:

Provided that if the Gas Referees are satisfied that the deficiency is due to the insufficient size of the gas-mains, or to such other cause as may require time for its correction, the company shall not be liable hereunder if it lays the additional or larger mains or takes such steps to correct the deficiency as may be necessary within such time as shall be allowed by the Gas Referees.

(2.) A company shall not be held to have committed an offence under this regulation in any case where it shows that the deficiency or failure was due to circumstances not within its control, nor shall a company be held to have committed more than one offence in any one day in respect of a deficiency in either calorific value, composition, or pressure of gas supplied from any one works.

(3.) No prosecution shall be instituted under this regulation except with the consent of the Minister.

19. If in any year the average calorific value of the gas supplied by any company, ascertained in the manner prescribed by the Gas Referees, is less than the declared calorific value, a sum which the Minister shall determine to be as nearly as may be the amount by which the revenue of the company has been improperly increased shall be applied towards a reduction in the price of gas in the next year:

Provided that no such reduction in the price of gas shall be made unless the average calorific value of gas ascertained in the manner aforesaid shall be more than 2 per cent. less than the declared calorific value.

20. If, on an appeal to the Gas Referees, they certify that the default of a company is not substantial or not due to the careless conduct of the company, or of their servants, no summary proceedings shall be taken in respect of the default.

21. All gas manufactured by any company shall be registered at the works by means of a station meter, or meters, before being delivered into the gas-holders.

22. All companies shall furnish to the Minister an annual return showing in cubic feet the volume of gas registered at the works during the year, and also the total volume registered by all consumers' meters.

23. No gas-meter by means of which gas is supplied by a company to any consumer shall be used unless it has been tested and stamped as accurate either in the country of origin, or in New Zealand, and the Gas Referees approve of the method of testing and stamping employed.

24. A Gas-examiner, or an Inspector of Meters, shall have access at any time during working-hours to any workshop belonging to a company where consumers' meters are being tested or repaired and may test or cause to be tested any new meters or any meters in stock, or any meters which have been repaired. He may also require the company to bring in and test meters which are in use, provided that the company be allowed such time as may be necessary to bring in and test such meters.

In cases where a company has no meter-testing or repair shop the Gas Examiner may cause the company to send any meters to the nearest testing-place within New Zealand for testing and verification, and he shall have access to such place.

25. Any gas-consumer may, on application and upon payment to a Gas-examiner of one pound (£1) have his gas-meter tested. If the meter is found by the Gas-examiner or by an Inspector of Meters to be registering more than

2 per cent. in favour of the company, this amount of one pound (£1) shall be refunded to the gas-consumer. If the meter is found by the Gas-examiner, or by the Inspector of Meters, to be registering not more than 2 per cent. in favour of the company, the amount of one pound (£1) shall be paid over by the Gas-examiner to the company as payment of expenses of removal and reinstatement.

26. The Gas Referees shall have power to make rules regarding the testing of meters, and may determine from time to time the fee or fees which shall be payable by companies in respect of the examination and testing of meters.

27. (1.) Except in so far as is provided in clause 8 hereof, these regulations shall apply to such companies only as are set out in the Schedule to these regulations.

Provided that the Minister may, by notice published in the *Gazette* from time to time, make additions to such Schedule or may remove the name or names of any company or companies from such Schedule.

(2.) Every company affected shall receive a notice in writing of such alterations or additions to the said Schedule.

#### SCHEDULE.

The Auckland Gas Company (Limited).  
The Wellington Gas Company (Limited).  
The Christchurch Gas, Coal, and Coke Company (Limited).  
The Dunedin City Corporation.

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

*Horahia Drainage District, County of Hauraki Plains,  
constituted.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

#### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of the third section of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, a majority of the ratepayers in the area of land described in the Schedule hereto, situated in the County of Hauraki Plains, have presented a petition to His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, praying that the said area be constituted a drainage district under the provisions of the said Act:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the third section of the Land Drainage Act, 1908, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby constitute and declare the area of land described in the Schedule hereto to be a district for the purposes of Part I of the said Act, and to be called by the name of the "Horahia Drainage District"; and also, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority contained in the fourth section of the said Act, doth hereby declare that the Board of Trustees of the said district shall consist of seven persons to be elected as members of the said Board, and under and in accordance with the said Act.

#### SCHEDULE.

##### HORAHIA DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

ALL that land in the Auckland Land District, Hauraki Plains County, containing 14,700 acres, more or less, bounded—Commencing at a point on the Firth of Thames at the intersection of the south-western boundary of the Orongo Block, thence in a south-westerly direction by the Firth of Thames to the mouth of the Piako River; thence generally in a southerly direction by the east bank of the Piako River to its junction by the Awaiti Canal; thence by the east bank of the Awaiti Canal to its intersection with the northern boundary of Makumaku No. 3B Block; thence in an easterly direction along the northern boundaries of Makumaku 3B, 5E, and 5A; thence southerly along the eastern boundary of Makumaku 5F, thence westerly and southerly by the north-western and western boundaries of Section 6, Block VII, Waihou Survey District; and thence in an easterly direction by the southern boundaries of Sections 6, 5, 4, and 3, Block VII, Waihou Survey District; thence in a generally northerly direction by the eastern boundaries of Sections 3 and 1A of the aforementioned block, Lots 2 and 1, D.P. 14265, and Lot 4 on D.P. 14180 to a road; thence by the eastern side of that road to and across a public road and by the eastern boundaries of

Lots 4, 3, and 2, D.P. 12921, to and across a public road; thence and again by the eastern boundaries of Sections 14, 26, 13, and 21, Block XI, Thames Survey District, to the south-western boundary of the Orongo Settlement; and in a north-westerly direction by the south-west boundary of that settlement to the point of commencement.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*Licensing the Nobel's Explosives Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Maraetai, as a Site for a Wharf, and prescribing Dues for the Use of the same.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House, at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, by Order in Council dated the twenty-second day of May, one thousand nine hundred and five, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 52, of the first day of the following month, the Maraetai Bricks (Limited) was licensed to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Maraetai, as shown on plan marked M.D. 2845, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining thereon a wharf in accordance with the said plan :

And whereas the said license was, with the consent of the Minister of Marine, transferred to the Nobel's Explosives Company (Limited), (who, with its successors and assigns, is hereinafter called "the company") :

And whereas, by Order in Council dated the eighteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 62, of the twenty-first day of the same month, the company was licensed to use and occupy a further portion of the foreshore at Maraetai for use in connection with the company's wharf and explosives buildings, as shown on plan marked M.D. 4118, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington :

And whereas the company, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, made application for a fresh license, and the same was granted for a term of five years :

And whereas the said licenses have expired, and the company has applied for a further license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to use and occupy those parts of the foreshore and land below low-water mark more particularly shown and delineated on the plans marked M.D. 2845 and M.D. 4118, and deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said wharf as hereinbefore mentioned; and it is advisable to grant the same for the period and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and also to prescribe the dues and rates which may be taken and charged by the company for the use of the said wharf :

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 license and permit the company to use and occupy those parts of the foreshore and land below low-water mark which are more particularly shown and delineated on plans marked M.D. 2845 and M.D. 4118, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, for the purpose of maintaining the said wharf erected thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the First Schedule hereto; and doth hereby prescribe that the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be taken and charged by the company for the use of the said wharf.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term—

- (a.) "Foreshore" means such parts of the bed, shore, or banks of a tidal water as are covered and uncovered by the flow and ebb of the tide at ordinary spring tides;
- (b.) "Low-water mark" means low-water mark at ordinary spring tides.
- (c.) "Minister" means the Minister of Marine as defined by the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and includes any officer, person, or authority acting by or under the direction of such Minister :

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore, and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto necessary for the maintenance of the wharf, as shown on plans marked M.D. 2845 (sheet 1) and M.D. 4118.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the company shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £10 in advance, payable on the 1st day of April in each year, the proportionate part of such annual rental in respect of the period from the 22nd day of May, 1924, until the 31st day of March following, to be paid on the company being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

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

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

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

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the company to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provision 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 wharf shall be taken away by the company and deposited above high-water mark, or at such place as may be approved of by the Minister, or by any person appointed by the Minister for that purpose.

10. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by or under this Order in Council, shall continue to be in force for five years from the 22nd day of May, 1924, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; and the company shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the company 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 registered office of the company in New Zealand.

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

13. In case the company shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Be in any manner wound up or dissolved; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions;

then and in any of the said cases this Order in Council, and every right, power, or privilege, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the company 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 company, 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.

14. In the event of this Order in Council being revoked for any reason whatsoever, or upon the expiry of the period for which the license is granted, the company shall, if required by the Minister so to do, remove the said wharf entirely from the site and restore the site to its original condition within three months from the date of revocation or expiry, as the case may be; and, if the company fails so to do, the Minister

may cause the said wharf to be removed and the site so restored, and may recover the costs incurred by the said removal and restoration from the company.

## SECOND SCHEDULE.

### WHARFAGE.

	£	s.	d.
On every ordinary passenger or cargo steamship over 5 tons register using the wharf, per quarter or part of a quarter .. .. .	1	1	0
On every steamer, 5 tons or under, per day or part of a day .. .. .	0	1	0
On every sailing-vessel over 5 tons, per day or part of a day .. .. .	0	2	0
On every sailing-vessel, 5 tons or under, per day or part of a day .. .. .	0	1	0
On every excursion-steamer, per day or part of a day .. .. .	0	2	6

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

*Licensing Thomas Bragg to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Bragg's Bay, Stewart Island, as a Site for a Boat-shed and Slipway.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

### ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Thomas Bragg, of Half-moon Bay, Stewart Island (who with his executors, administrators, and assigns is hereinafter referred to as "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 of Bragg's Bay, Stewart Island, as a site for a boat-shed and slipway, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 5823 (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 to 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 and slipway is to be erected, as shown on plan marked M.D. 5823 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.

- In these conditions the term—  
"Foreshore" means such parts of the bed, shore, or banks of a tidal water as are covered and uncovered by the flow and ebb of the tide at ordinary spring tides;  
"Low-water mark" means low-water mark at ordinary spring tides;  
"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.
- 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 and slipway as shown on the plan marked M.D. 5823 (sheet 1).
- 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 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 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 and slipway 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 boat-shed and slipway, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned boat-shed and slipway 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 boat-shed and slipway 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 and slipway, 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.

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 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 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.

10. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any times resumed by the Governor-General, and the licensee may be required to remove the boat-shed and slipway, 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.

11. The licensee shall be liable for any injury which the said boat-shed and slipway may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the licensee's part.

12. In case the licensee shall—

- Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- Cease to use or occupy the said boat-shed and slipway for a period of thirty days;
- Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- 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 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.

13. In the event of this Order in Council being revoked for any reason whatsoever, or upon the expiry of the period for which the license is granted, the licensee shall, if required by the Minister so to do, remove the said boat-shed and slipway entirely from the site, and restore the site to its original condition within three months from the date of revocation or expiry, as the case may be; and, if the licensee fails so to do, the Minister may cause the said boat-shed and slipway to be removed and the site so restored, and may recover the costs incurred by the said removal and restoration from the licensee.

14. The erection of the said boat-shed and slipway 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.



*Regulations under the Midwives Act, 1908. (H. 123.)*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

His Excellency the Governor-General in Council.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by the Midwives Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed the "said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the regulations made under the Midwives Act, 1908, on the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and the eighteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, and gazetted on the twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, respectively, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations under and for the purposes of the said Act.

## REGULATIONS.

## MANAGEMENT OF STATE MATERNITY HOSPITALS.

1. (1.) EVERY State maternity hospital shall be under the charge of a Matron appointed under the said Act.

(2.) No person shall be appointed as Matron of a State maternity hospital unless she is registered under the Nurses Registration Act, 1908, and also under the Midwives Act, 1908.

(3.) The Matron shall deliver lectures to the nurses, and shall, if necessary, teach and train the pupil-nurses in general hospital duties as well as in the special duties of midwife and monthly nurse.

(4.) Every Matron shall keep a register of patients admitted, in the form supplied by the Registrar, and a cash-book for fees received. A copy of all entries made in these books during each month shall be sent to the Registrar within the first week of the next succeeding month.

(5.) (a.) For each State maternity hospital the Governor-General shall appoint one or more registered medical practitioners, who shall be required to attend all abnormal cases of labour; to prescribe for and attend any cases needing medical or surgical treatment; and to deliver a course of lectures (not less than twelve in each term of six months) to the pupil-nurses attending the hospital.

(b.) The appointment of any such medical practitioner may be terminated at any time by notice under the hand of the Minister.

(6.) The fees payable under the said Act shall be as follows:—

(a.) In-door patients: At the rate of £1 a week for the time the patient is in the hospital before labour, and at the rate of £1 10s. a week from the time of confinement.

(b.) Out-patients: £1; such fee to cover delivery of the patient, and daily visits for the subsequent ten days.

(7.) When on application for admission as a patient to a State maternity hospital it is alleged by any woman or by her husband that they are unable to pay the prescribed fees, the Matron shall forward a report of the circumstances of the case to the Minister, and on consideration of such report the Minister may either reduce such fees or remit them altogether, as he thinks fit.

(8.) Any society or person making a donation of £50 or giving an annual subscription of £10 to a State maternity hospital shall have the right annually to nominate a patient at such hospital free of charge.

## PUPIL-NURSES.

2. (1.) The examination of pupil-nurses shall be partly oral and practical and partly written, and the subjects of examination shall be as follows:—

(a.) The ethics of nursing.

(b.) The duties of a midwife and of a monthly nurse.

(c.) The elementary anatomy of the female pelvis and generative organs.

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- (d.) The principles of asepsis and anti-sepsis.
  - (e.) Antiseptics in midwifery, and the way to prepare and use them.
  - (f.) Pregnancy and its principal complications, including abortion.
  - (g.) Obstetrical diagnosis :—
    - (i.) Abdominal palpation.
    - (ii.) Vaginal examination.
  - (h.) The symptoms, mechanism, and course of normal labour.
  - (i.) Management of normal labour.
  - (j.) The signs that a labour is abnormal.
  - (k.) Hæmorrhage:—its varieties, and the treatment of each.
  - (l.) Drugs used in midwifery and their dosage.
  - (m.) The administration of anæsthetics to the obstetric degree.
  - (n.) The management of the puerperal patient.
  - (o.) Taking and recording of temperature, pulse, and respiration.
  - (p.) Catheterization, and urine-testing.
  - (q.) Obstetric emergencies, and how the midwife should deal with them until the arrival of a doctor.
  - (r.) Puerperal infections:—their nature, causes, symptoms, and prevention.
  - (s.) The management of infants, and the signs of diseases which may develop during the first month.
  - (t.) Infant-feeding, natural and artificial.
  - (u.) The elements of house-sanitation. The disinfection of person, clothing, and appliances.
  - (v.) Cooking and preparation of food.
- (2.) Any candidate who during the examination shows a want of acquaintance with the ordinary subjects of elementary education may be rejected on that ground alone.
- (3.) The examination shall be held half-yearly at such times and places as are from time to time notified by the Registrar.
- (4.) Candidates for the examination must give notice to the Registrar at least three weeks before the date so notified.
- (5.) No pupil-nurse shall present herself for examination if she has during her period of training missed three or more of the lectures hereinafter provided for.
- (6.) Pupil-nurses, if registered under the Nurses Registration Act, 1908, shall pay a fee of 10s. for six months' training; in all other cases the fee shall be £1 for twelve months' training.
- (7.) Pupil-nurses undergoing a course of practical training in midwifery in any hospital or institution approved by the Registrar (other than a State maternity hospital) may, upon payment of a fee of £3 3s., attend the course of lectures delivered at a State maternity hospital. Notwithstanding anything in subclause (2) of the next succeeding regulation, no further fee shall be charged on the registration of a person to whom this regulation applies.
- (8.) No pupil-nurse shall be entitled to a certificate under the said Act unless she has conducted not less than twenty cases of labour, and has also nursed twenty lying-in women during the ten days following labour.

#### MIDWIVES' FEES ON REGISTRATION.

3. The fees payable by midwives on registration shall be as follows :—

- (1.) If trained outside New Zealand and registered under paragraph (a) of section 4 of the said Act, 10s. in the case of persons registered under the Nurses Registration Act, 1908, and £1 in all other cases.
- (2.) If registered under paragraph (b) of section 4 of the said Act, after training in New Zealand in any institution, £1.

#### ANNUAL NOTICES TO BE GIVEN BY PRACTISING MIDWIVES.

4. The notice of intention to begin the practice of midwifery, or to continue such practice, required to be given by section 9 of the said Act, shall be in the form set forth in Schedule A hereto.

5. (1.) If any registered midwife fails to give such notice for two years in succession, the Minister may order her name to be removed from the register.

(2.) Any midwife whose name has been removed from the register pursuant to the last preceding subclause may apply to the Registrar to have her name restored to the register, and on satisfying the Registrar that she is entitled to registration, her name shall be restored accordingly.

6. The last preceding regulation shall not apply to any midwife employed in the Government service so long as she continues in that service, or to any midwife attached to the staff of any public hospital and not engaged in midwifery work, or to the Matron or staff nurses of any maternity hospital training school, or to the licensee of any private hospital in which midwifery cases are not received.

GENERAL REGULATIONS RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF MIDWIVES AND TO ASEPSIS.

7. (1.) A midwife shall provide herself with all necessary appliances for carrying out her work with due regard to cleanliness and asepsis. She shall wear, when at work, dresses and aprons of washable material, and have a sufficient number to allow of frequent change. She shall have a sufficient number of overalls, of an approved pattern, made of a washable material, one of which is to be worn by her during labour and when attending to the lying-in woman. She shall observe strict personal cleanliness.

(2.) A midwife shall not attend a case while she is suffering from any septic sores, boils, or any other septic disease.

(3.) A midwife who is attending a case in which there are foul-smelling discharges shall not go to another case without first changing her dress, and thoroughly cleansing and disinfecting her hands and forearms, and sterilizing such appliances as she may have had occasion to use and is obliged to take with her.

(4.) After any confinement every midwife shall carefully cleanse her hands, arms, and finger-nails from all remains of blood, lochia, or liquor amnii. She shall keep her nails cut short and preserve the skin of her hands as far as possible from chaps and other injuries.

(5.) She shall carry with her a midwifery bag or case made of canvas or leather with a detachable lining which can be boiled. The bag shall contain—

(a.) Clinical thermometer :

(b.) Metal catheter : †

(c.) An enema syringe : \*

(d.) A douche-can, or siphon douche, with glass vaginal nozzle carried separately :

(e.) A pair of scissors :

(f.) A clean nail-brush, \* antiseptic soap, and clean towel :

(g.) A pair of rubber gloves and two guarded finger-stalls for use in making vaginal examinations :

(h.) An efficient antiseptic for disinfecting the hands, &c. :

(i.) An antiseptic for douching in special cases :

(j.) Soft cotton thread (boiled) for tying cord : \*

(k.) A small supply of sterilized cotton-wool, tow, and clean boiled linen : \*

(l.) A small bottle of ergot (only to be used after third stage of labour) and of tincture of iodine.

(6.) On each occasion on which the genital organs, or their neighbourhood, have to be touched, every midwife shall previously cleanse and disinfect such parts by some approved method and shall disinfect her hands and forearms by scrubbing vigorously with hot water and antiseptic soap for five minutes at least, rinsing with fresh water, and soaking in an approved antiseptic solution for five minutes.

(7.) All instruments and other appliances brought into contact with the patient's generative organs shall be sterilized by boiling in water for at least ten minutes.

(8.) (a.) Internal examinations shall be made only when necessary ; and before making any such examination, or before passing a catheter, every midwife shall wash the patient's external parts with soap and water, and shall then swab them with an antiseptic solution : she shall then disinfect her hands in the manner hereinbefore prescribed, and put on the examining hand a sterilized glove or guarded finger-stall. The perineum and vulva and such parts of the patient as may come into contact with the gloved hand in making such vaginal examination shall be protected by covering them with guards or with towels properly sterilized by boiling, or by other adequate means.

(b.) For all washing of the external parts during labour or the lying-in period sponges or flannels shall not be used ; but materials

\* These articles must be contained in separate sterilizable containers.

which can be boiled before use and burned afterwards, such as linen, cotton-wool, cotton-waste, or tow. When possible such materials shall be sterilized by steam or by boiling, and, if this is impossible, they shall be placed to soak in a basin of antiseptic lotion, in which they shall remain for at least one hour before use.

(c.) A midwife shall not make a vaginal examination during the third stage of labour unless some serious complication has occurred.

(9.) Whenever any midwife has been in attendance upon a patient suffering from puerperal infections, scarlet fever, erysipelas, or from any illness of a suppurative character, she shall disinfect herself and her clothing, and shall sterilize all her instruments and other appliances, in accordance with the directions of the Medical Officer of Health, or, in the absence of any specific direction, in accordance with the provisions of Schedule B hereto. Moreover, she shall not attend any other patient until the Medical Officer of Health has certified that she may do so.

(10.) Whenever a midwife has attended a case of puerperal fever or other infectious disease she shall immediately report the fact to the Medical Officer of Health.

(11.) A midwife when in attendance on a woman about to be confined shall see that all unnecessary furniture, clothing, and hangings are removed from the room in which the confinement is to take place, and that the floor is clean.

(12.) A midwife shall not leave a patient who is in the second stage of labour; and she shall stay with the patient for at least one hour after the expulsion of the placenta.

(13.) In any case in which a medical practitioner has been sent for on account of the labour being abnormal or difficult, the midwife shall await his arrival and shall carefully carry out his instructions.

(14.) If the infant when born is in danger of death the midwife shall inform one of the parents of the fact.

(15.) The midwife shall remove all soiled linen, fæces, urine, and the placenta from possible contact with the patient and from the lying-in room as soon as possible after the labour, and before she leaves the patient's house.

(16.) The midwife shall be responsible for the cleanliness of both mother and infant, and shall give adequate directions for securing their comfort and proper dieting during the lying-in period, which for the purposes of this regulation shall be deemed to be the time which the patient is in labour and a period of ten days thereafter.

(17.) The midwife shall take the temperature and pulse of the patient at the beginning of labour, and during labour and the lying-in period she shall take them twice daily as near to the hours of 8 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. as is possible. She shall record the result on an approved chart as soon as possible after the taking, and in all cases this record shall begin from the time the midwife first begins to attend the patient.

(18.) When a midwife is in attendance on a patient during the lying-in period, but is not resident in the patient's house, she shall visit her patient at least once in each twenty-four hours. At each visit she shall do everything necessary and possible for the care of her patient, and she shall take the pulse and temperature and record the same.

(19.) Whenever a child is born in a condition of asphyxia the midwife shall forthwith apply methods of resuscitation.

(20.) As soon as the child's head is born, and, if possible, before the eyes are opened, its eyelids shall be carefully cleansed by the midwife in attendance with a weak antiseptic lotion applied on a piece of sterilized cotton-wool, and as soon as possible after birth she shall apply an approved solution to each eye.

(21.) Every midwife shall enter in her register of cases all occasions on which she is under the necessity of administering any stimulant or drug (whether scheduled as a poison or not), giving the dose and the time and cause of its administration.

*Abnormal Conditions, in which Medical Help shall be sought.*

8. (1.) A midwife shall not engage to attend or continue to attend any patient, unless a registered medical practitioner is in charge, if the said patient is suffering from any ill health, disease, or abnormal

condition whatsoever, either during pregnancy, labour, or the puerperium, or if the infant has been injured during birth or is premature, feeble, or suffering from any disease whatsoever. Moreover, she shall obtain the assistance of a registered medical practitioner under the following conditions :—

- (a.) In the case of a woman in labour—
- (i.) In all presentations other than the uncomplicated vertex :
  - (ii.) In breech presentations in primiparæ :
  - (iii.) If the midwife cannot recognize the presentation :
  - (iv.) If an hour after birth of the child the placenta has not been expelled, and cannot be expressed :
  - (v.) Whenever there appears to be insufficient room in the pelvis or vagina for the child to be born or when an abnormal swelling is felt in these regions or in the abdomen :
  - (vi.) In all cases of hæmorrhage or convulsions :
  - (vii.) In cases of rupture of the perineum, or other serious injury of the soft parts.
- (b.) In the case of a lying-in woman—
- (i.) Who after delivery does not make satisfactory progress :
  - (ii.) Who shows abdominal swelling and signs of insufficient contraction of the uterus :
  - (iii.) Who has foul-smelling discharges :
  - (iv.) Who has secondary post-partum hæmorrhage :
  - (v.) Who suffers from rigors or rise of temperature above 100° F. for more than twenty-four hours :
  - (vi.) Who has unusual swelling of the breasts, with local tenderness or pain.

(2.) Whenever a registered medical practitioner is asked by a midwife to attend a woman or infant under the conditions specified in subclause (1) hereof, the midwife must state in writing, in the form prescribed in Schedule C hereto, the condition of the patient and the reason for seeking medical aid.

*Records and Notifications.*

9. A midwife shall keep a register of every case which she has professionally attended, whether a medical practitioner be also in attendance or not, in the following form :—

No.  
 Date of engagement to attend :  
 Name and address :  
 Number of previous labours and miscarriages :  
 Age :  
 Date and hour of midwife's arrival :  
 Number of vaginal examinations made :  
 Presentation :  
 Duration of first, second, and third stage of labour :  
 Complications (if any) during or after labour :  
 Nature of any operation performed during or after labour or during the lying-in period :  
 Sex of infant : . . . . . Born alive or dead :  
 Full time, or premature. If premature, number of months.  
 If doctor called : . . . . . Name of doctor :  
 A record of temperature taken twice daily :  
 Date of midwife's final visit :  
 Condition of mother then :  
 Condition of child then :  
 Whether suckled :  
 Remarks :

10. (1.) A midwife shall instruct the parents of the child of their duties as to notification and registration of the birth.

(2.) Whenever a registered medical practitioner is not in attendance the midwife shall, as soon as possible after the occurrence of a stillbirth, notify the same to the Medical Officer of Health in the form prescribed in Schedule D hereto. A child shall be deemed to be stillborn when it has not breathed or shown any sign of life after being completely born.

(3.) Whenever the death of the mother or of the child occurs before the attendance of a registered medical practitioner the midwife shall, as soon as possible after death, notify the same to the local Registrar of Deaths.

*Misconduct.*

11. A midwife who commits a breach of regulation 7 or 8 of these regulations shall be deemed guilty of misconduct.

*Malpractices.*

12. A midwife shall not make use of any instrument to aid delivery, or administer ergot, pituitarin, or other ecboic drug before or during labour, or administer chloroform or any other anaesthetic, except by the direction of a medical practitioner.

13. Any midwife who makes use of an instrument to aid delivery, or administers any ecboic drug before or during labour, or who administers chloroform or any other anaesthetic, except as aforesaid, or who procures or attempts to procure abortion by any means (chemical or mechanical), shall be deemed guilty of a malpractice.

## SCHEDULE A.

*Under Midwives Act, 1908.*

## NOTICE OF INTENTION TO PRACTISE MIDWIFERY.

To the Registrar of Midwives, Wellington.

I, [*Full name*], a midwife registered under the Midwives Act, 1908, hereby give you notice of my intention to practise [*or to continue the practice of*] midwifery at \_\_\_\_\_; and I hereby declare as follows:—

1. My place of abode is:
2. I was first registered on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, and have since practised as a midwife at \_\_\_\_\_

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

[*Signature.*]

I certify that I am acquainted with the above-named \_\_\_\_\_, and that the said notice was signed in my presence.

.....  
 Medical Practitioner [*or Minister of Religion or Justice of the Peace*].

## SCHEDULE B.

METHOD OF DISINFECTION OF MIDWIFE AND CLOTHING, OF INSTRUMENTS, and APPLIANCES subsequent to Attendance upon a Case of Puerperal Fever, Scarlet Fever, Erysipelas, or any Illness of a Suppurative Character.

1. The midwife shall wash herself all over, including her hair, in a hot bath to which has been added lysol in the proportion of four ounces of lysol to ten gallons of water.

2. She shall then have a complete change of clothing.

3. She shall boil thoroughly all dresses and aprons which she has worn while in attendance upon the case.

4. She shall sterilize her hands and forearms by scrubbing them vigorously with a sterilized nail-brush, in hot water and soap for five minutes, then rinsing them in water, and lastly, immersing them for three minutes in a solution of the strength of one part of biniodide of mercury dissolved in five hundred parts of 70-per-cent. methylated spirit. During this time she shall rub the hands and forearms with sterile gauze wet with the solution, paying special attention to the roots of the nails and in between the fingers and cleaning beneath the nails with a piece of wood wet with the solution (a wooden match is useful), but avoiding anything that is likely to separate the nail from the surrounding skin. At the end of three minutes she shall wash the antiseptic off in plain methylated spirit.

NOTE.—To make the methylated-spirit solution dissolve two 8.75 gr. biniodide tablets in 4 oz. of boiling water and add sufficient methylated spirit to make 1 pint.

5. She shall remove the contents and lining from her midwifery bag and shall sterilize bag-lining and contents as follows:—

(a.) Bag: Wipe over all surfaces inside and out with a cloth moistened with a solution of 5 per cent. formalin (formalin 1 oz. to 1 pint of water).

(b.) Lining: Boil for twenty minutes.

- (c.) Contents: Boil for twenty minutes all towels, instruments, and other appliances which can be treated in this way. Burn supplies of cotton-wool, tow, &c., unless in sealed packages. Immerse remaining articles in a 5-per-cent. solution of formalin or wipe them over on all surfaces with a cloth moistened with a solution of 5 per cent. formalin.

NOTE.—Where an article has been immersed in or wiped over with 5 per cent. formalin solution, it should not be dried, but should be left wet and allowed to dry gradually by ordinary exposure to air. The midwife must be careful not to allow the formalin solution to remain in contact with her skin for longer than is avoidable as it is a skin-irritant.

SCHEDULE C.

FORM OF NOTICE TO BE SENT TO REGISTERED MEDICAL PRACTITIONER.

*Notice Under Regulations, Midwives Act, 1908.*

To Dr. \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_ .  
 YOUR help is immediately required at \_\_\_\_\_, owing to \_\_\_\_\_ .  
 The patient's condition is : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Time : \_\_\_\_\_ [Signed]— \_\_\_\_\_ M.,  
 Registered Midwife.

SCHEDULE D.

FORM OF NOTICE TO BE RENDERED BY MIDWIFE.

The Medical Officer of Health,  
 I BEG to notify that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_, I delivered  
 M \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, of a stillborn child.  
 Date : \_\_\_\_\_ Address : \_\_\_\_\_ [Signature of Midwife.]

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

*Regulations providing for the Inspection and Fumigation of Fruit intended for Export from Niue, for the Eradication of Diseases and Pests affecting Plants, and for the Prevention of the Introduction into Niue of any such Diseases or Pests.*

JELLCOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him by the Cook Islands Act, 1915, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations for the purposes of the said Act; and doth hereby declare that these regulations shall come into force on the twenty-second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

REGULATIONS.

1. (1.) In these regulations, if not inconsistent with the context,—  
 “Disease” means any of the diseases named in the Schedule hereto.  
 “Fruit” means the edible product of any plant, and includes the peel, skin, or shell of such product, and also the seeds of such plant, whether such fruit is or is not attached to the plant.  
 “Infected” means infected with disease.  
 “Inspector” means a person duly appointed as a Fruit Inspector, and includes an assistant Fruit Inspector.  
 “Local Inspector” means a person duly appointed as a local Fruit Inspector.

“ Plant ” means any tree, flower, shrub, vegetable, or other vegetation.

“ Plantation ” means any land used for the purpose of growing or cultivating any plant.

(2.) These regulations shall apply to or within the Island of Niue only.

2. It shall be the duty of the Inspector to inspect all fruit intended for export ; and for the purposes of such inspection the Inspector may enter (by force if necessary) any building, land, plantation, ship, or vehicle, and shall have power to open any case, sack, or package containing fruit or which he reasonably believes to contain fruit.

3. All fruit intended for export shall be conveyed by the owner or shipper thereof to and be stored at the sheds and wharves at the port of shipment.

4. It shall be the duty of every owner or shipper of fruit intended for export, and of every person or company having the custody or control of such fruit, to allow the Inspector to inspect such fruit.

5. If the Inspector is of opinion that any fruit is unfit for export by reason of the same being infected, or by reason of the said fruit not being otherwise in a fit condition for export, or by reason of the same being badly or improperly packed or marked, he shall forthwith give notice in writing to the owner or shipper of such fruit, or to the person or company having the custody or control of the same, that such fruit will not be passed by the Inspector as fit for export.

6. The Inspector shall give in respect of all fruit passed by him as fit for export a certificate or certificates that such fruit has been duly passed as fit for export. No person shall export any fruit unless such certificate has been given in respect of such fruit. There shall be paid by the owner or shipper of such fruit, or by the person or company having custody or control thereof, such fee or charge for such inspection and certificate as is hereinafter prescribed.

7. (a.) The Inspector may require any fruit that in his opinion is unfit for export, by reason of the same being infected, immature, overmature, under grade, or otherwise not suitable for export, to be withheld from shipment, repacked, or destroyed, as he may deem necessary.

(b.) Any fruit required to be withheld from shipment may, if the Inspector so authorizes, be used by the owner thereof for local consumption.

(c.) Any fruit required to be repacked shall be repacked to the satisfaction of the Inspector.

(d.) Any fruit required to be destroyed may be destroyed by the Inspector or by any other person under his authority, and the cost of such destruction shall be paid by the owner or shipper of such fruit, or by the person or company having the custody or control thereof, and, in case of non-payment on demand, may be recovered by the Inspector from any such owner or other person by civil action ; but this provision shall in no way relieve such owner or other person from any other liability under these regulations.

8. (1.) The Inspector may at any time enter upon any plantation or on board any ship for the purpose of inspecting any plants or fruit or the packages containing the same, or with which the same may have come into contact, and shall have all such powers and authorities (including power to dig up plants, open packages, and otherwise) as he deems necessary for enabling him to enforce the provisions of these regulations.

(2.) If the Inspector declares any such plants, fruit, or packages to be diseased or infected with disease, he shall give notice thereof to the owner or person in charge of the same, who shall forthwith take such measures and do such acts as are, in the opinion of the Inspector, necessary in order to eradicate or prevent the spread of the disease.

(3.) If such owner or person fails so to do to the satisfaction of the Inspector, such Inspector may do the same at the expense in all things of such owner or person, who nevertheless shall not thereby be relieved from his other liabilities under these regulations.

(4.) In the exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the foregoing provisions of this regulation the Inspector may remove, treat, disinfect, destroy, or otherwise dispose of such plants, fruit, or packages in such manner as he thinks fit.

9. The importation into Niue of second-hand fruit-cases, copra-sacks, or other receptacles for carrying fruit is prohibited, and any cases, copra-sacks, or other receptacles imported or attempted to be imported in breach of this regulation, together with the contents



thereof, may be seized by the Inspector and destroyed or reshipped to the consignor, as the Inspector may think proper, and the cost of such destruction or reshipment shall be paid to the Inspector on demand by the owner, shipper, or consignee of such cases, sacks, or other receptacles, or by the person or company having the custody or control thereof, and in case of non-payment on demand may be recovered by the Inspector by civil action; but this provision shall not relieve any such person or company from any other liability under these regulations.

10. No person shall export fruit in any package or case which in the opinion of the Inspector is insufficiently nailed, or is split, broken, or of weak material or construction.

11. The importation of plants, fruit, produce, and other things likely to introduce insect-pests or disease into Niue is prohibited, except under a written permit first obtained from the Inspector to import the same, and any such plants, fruit, produce, or thing imported under such permit shall be accompanied by a certificate of inspection, signed by an horticultural officer or some other responsible officer, satisfactory to the Inspector, certifying that such plants, fruit, produce, or other things were clean and free from disease at the time of shipment; and any plant, fruit, produce, or thing imported in contravention of this regulation may be seized and destroyed or reshipped by the Inspector at the cost of the owner, shipper, or consignor thereof in the manner and with the consequences provided in the last foregoing regulation.

12. Upon the outside of every case, kit, package, or parcel of fruit presented for inspection there shall be distinctly marked or written the name of the person or persons by whom the fruit contained therein was packed. An Inspector may refuse to inspect any case, kit, package, or parcel presented to him for inspection and not so marked.

13. No person shall pack, sell, offer for sale, convey, or store any fruit intended for export which shall be unfit for export by reason of the same being infected, or immature, or overmature, or otherwise not in a fit condition for export, or by reason of such fruit being badly or improperly packed or marked.

14. No person shall distribute from any store, shed, yard, plantation, or other place any infected fruit or plant.

15. No person shall remove or attempt to remove any fruit or plant introduced into Niue, or any box or other package containing the same, or any second-hand box, sack, or bag introduced into Niue, from any wharf or landing-place without first having obtained from the Inspector or other authorized officer, or from an officer of Customs, a written permit so to do.

#### *Fees.*

16. The fees for inspection, fumigation, and destruction of fruit or plants under these regulations shall be as follows:—

- (a.) Inspection of bananas and other fruit: 2d. for every case, kit, package, parcel, or bunch.
- (b.) Destruction by an Inspector or other authorized person of any fruit: 6d. for every case, kit, package, parcel, or bunch.
- (c.) Destruction or fumigation by an Inspector or other authorized officer of live plants introduced into any island: 6d. for every parcel of twenty-five plants or cuttings of plants. Minimum charge, 6d.

17. All fruit intended for export from Niue shall be presented to the Inspector for inspection at such places, on such days, and within such hours as the Inspector may from time to time prescribe, and the Inspector may refuse to inspect any fruit that may be presented for inspection otherwise than in accordance with such prescription.

18. The fees for inspection and fumigation as hereinbefore prescribed shall, if not otherwise paid, be payable by the master, agent, or owners of the ship by which such fruit is to be exported. The Collector or other proper officer of Customs shall have power to detain the ship until he is satisfied that the full amount of fees has been or will be paid. All such fees shall be paid into the Niue Island Account at Niue. The Resident Commissioner may authorize the Treasurer of the Niue Island Administration at Niue to pay to the master, agent, or owners of the ship by which such fruit is exported a commission of £5 per centum on all fees so paid into the Niue Island Account at Niue by such master, agent, or owner.

19. All fees for destruction or fumigation of live plants introduced into Niue shall be payable by the importer of such plants, and shall be paid into the Niue Island Account at Niue.

*Marking for Export.*

20. (1.) All fruit intended for export from Niue shall be packed in such kinds of cases, sacks, or other receptacles as may be prescribed by these regulations, or may from time to time be approved of by the Inspector as suitable for the carriage of the particular class of fruit intended to be exported, and the Inspector may refuse to allow to be exported any fruit not so packed.

(2.) All cases, sacks, and other receptacles containing fruit intended for export shall be marked in accordance with these regulations, and the Inspector may refuse to allow to be exported any case, sack, or other receptacle not so marked.

(3.) All cases shall be marked on both ends, and all sacks and other receptacles on the sides thereof, in the following manner:—

(a.) With a main mark, consisting of the initials of the consignee to whom the fruit is intended to be shipped, or with such other distinguishing letters as may be required by the Inspector, marked in block letters of not less than 5 in. in height.

(b.) With a submark, to be chosen by the shipper and duly registered in accordance with these regulations, consisting of letters 2½ in. in height. In the case of fruit-cases such submark shall be placed on the left-hand top corner of the ends of the cases.

(4.) All main marks shall be subject to the approval of the Inspector, and all submarks shall, if approved by the Inspector, be registered by him in accordance with these regulations before being used, and the Inspector may, before approving any main mark or approving and registering any submark, require the same to be varied or altered in such manner as he may think proper.

(5.) All applications to approve any main mark shall be made in writing to the Inspector, and when approved by him such main mark may be issued by any shipper desiring to ship fruit to the consignees represented by such main mark.

(6.) All applications to approve and register any submark shall be made in writing to the Inspector, accompanied by a fee of 1s., and when approved and registered such submark shall be used by the person applying to register the same, who shall be entitled to ship any fruit under such submark until the 31st day of March next ensuing.

(7.) Registration of such submarks shall be renewed from year to year on application in writing to the Inspector and on payment of a fee of 1s.

(8.) No person other than the person in whose name such submark is registered shall use the same; and no person shall ship any fruit otherwise than under a main mark duly approved, and a submark duly approved and registered, or in respect of which registration has been duly renewed in accordance with these regulations; nor shall the Inspector pass any fruit as being fit for export unless the same shall be properly marked.

*Licensing of Fruit-buyers.*

21. (1.) No person, other than the holder of a wholesale trading license issued under any regulation in force in Niue in respect of trading licenses, shall buy fruit intended for export unless he is the holder of a license so to do.

(2.) Application for such license shall be made in writing to the Resident Commissioner, who shall, before issuing such license, satisfy himself that the applicant is a fit and proper person to hold such license.

(3.) There shall be payable in respect of such license a fee of £1, and every such license shall expire on the 31st day of March following the date of the license. Such license shall not be transferable.

(4.) No licensed fruit-buyer under this regulation having bought for a principal for export by any vessel shall act as a buyer for or on account of any other shipper or exporter by the same vessel.

(5.) If the holder of any such license commits a breach of the last preceding subclause of this regulation, or is convicted of any offence involving dishonesty, his license shall be cancelled, and he shall not be entitled to sue for or recover any commission, reward, or remuneration in respect of the purchase of any fruit made or effected after the date of the commission of the offence for which his license has been so cancelled.

22. It shall be the duty of every local Fruit Inspector duly appointed for any district to see that all directions given by the Inspector under these regulations are duly carried out, and generally to assist the Inspector in enforcing the provisions of these regulations.

23. Every person commits an offence against these regulations who directly or indirectly obstructs, hinders, or interrupts, or threatens, or assaults, or uses abusive or improper language to an Inspector whilst in the performance of his duty under these regulations.

24. Every person offending against any of the provisions of these regulations is liable to a penalty not exceeding £10 for every such offence.

25. All penalties and other moneys recovered or received under these regulations shall be paid into the Niue Island Account, and shall form part of the general revenue of Niue Island.

26. The burden of proof that no offence has been committed against the provisions of these regulations shall lie on the person charged.

## SCHEDULE.

- Dacus psidii* (New Caledonia fruit-fly).  
 „ *xanthodes* (pineapple fruit-fly).  
 „ „ (Cook Islands fruit-fly).  
*Heliothis obsoleta* (tomato-caterpillar).  
*Trypeta musae* (New Hebrides fruit-fly).  
*Halterophera capitata* (Mediterranean or West Australian fruit-fly).  
*Tephrytes tryoni* (Queensland fruit-fly).  
*Aspidotis camelliae*.  
 „ *lataniae*.  
 „ *nerii*.  
 „ *Rossi*.  
*Dactylopius adonidum*.  
 „ *bromiliae*.  
 „ *citri*.  
 „ *destructor*.  
*Diapsis amygdali*.  
 „ *rosae*.  
*Fiorinia camelliae*.  
*Icerya purchasi*.  
*Lecanium cerasarum*.  
 „ *depressum*.  
 „ *hemisphaericum*.  
 „ *hesperidum*.  
 „ *longolum*.  
 „ *oleae*.  
*Mytilapsis citricola*.  
*Aphis persicae*.  
 „ *prunifoliae*.  
*Euthrips fuscus*.  
*Myzus cerasi* (black aphid).  
*Siphorophora*.  
*Mytilapsis pomorum* (mussel or oyster scale).  
*Oryctes rhinoceros* (black beetle or rhinoceros beetle).  
*Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* (red beetle).  
*Bryobia pratensis* (red mite).  
*Cladosporium fulvum* (tomato leaf blight).  
*Macrosporium tomato* (tomato black spot).  
*Peronospora cubensis* (cucumber and melon mildew).  
*Vermicularia varians* (black dot of tomato).  
*Fusarium lycopersici* (sleepy disease of tomato).  
*Phoma citricarpa* (black spot of orange).  
*Phytophthora infestans* (Irish blight).  
*Heterodera radicum* (eelworm).  
*Lonchaea splendida* (tomato fruit-fly).  
*Cersospora concors* (black stripe of tomato).  
*Odontria Zealandria* (grass-grub).  
*Selandria cerasi* (leech).  
*Tortrix glaphyriana* (leaf-roller).  
*Carpocapsa pomonella* (codlin moth).  
*Termitidae* (white ant).  
*Sphenophorus* (borer weevils).  
*Phasmidae* (stick insect).  
*Pseudococcus pandani* (coconut scale).

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

*Prohibiting the Importation into the Cook Islands of certain Goods.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section fifty-seven of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, it is provided that the Governor-General in Council may by regulations impose such conditions, restrictions, and prohibitions upon the export or import of goods from or into the Cook Islands as he thinks necessary :

And whereas it is deemed expedient to make the regulations hereinafter set forth :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred on him as aforesaid and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations.

## REGULATIONS.

1. THE importation into Cook Islands either directly or indirectly from the United States of America of the following goods grown or produced in that country is hereby prohibited :—

(a.) Plants or portions of plants, all fruit and vegetables (other than dried, canned, pickled, pulped, or bottled fruit and vegetables), and all grain and farm produce, including oats, barley, maize, hay, straw, and chaff :

Provided that in the case of all goods the importation of which is prohibited under this paragraph and not grown in any of the States of California, Oregon, and Washington, or directly handled or exposed within any of those States otherwise than is necessary for through transportation to the Cook Islands, importation shall be permitted if the goods are accompanied by a certificate signed by a person appointed in that behalf by the Government of the State concerned, and countersigned by a responsible officer of the Federal Department of Agriculture certifying,—

- (i.) The name of the State in which grown ;
- (ii.) That such State is, and has been for not less than twelve months, free from foot-and-mouth disease ; and
- (iii.) That the goods under certification have not been directly handled or exposed within any of the States of California, Oregon, and Washington otherwise than is necessary for through transportation to the Cook Islands :

(b.) All hay, straw, chaff, or husks used as packing-material for goods of any kind, unless accompanied by a certificate signed and countersigned as aforesaid certifying such material to be the produce of a State other than the States of California, Oregon, and Washington, and that it has not been directly handled or exposed within any of those States otherwise than is necessary for through transportation to the Cook Islands.

2. The importation into the Cook Islands either directly or indirectly of oats, barley, maize, hay, straw, and chaff from the States of Queensland and Western Australia in the Commonwealth of Australia is hereby prohibited.

3. Save with the precedent consent of the Resident Commissioner, the importation into the Cook Islands of oats, barley, maize, hay, straw, and chaff from any State in the Commonwealth of Australia, other than Queensland and Western Australia, is hereby prohibited.

4. In every case where goods of any kind are imported, either direct or by way of any other country, into the Cook Islands from Great Britain, Ireland, or any part of the Continent of Europe, or from the States of Queensland or Western Australia in the Commonwealth of Australia, and where any hay, straw, or chaff is received with such goods as packing or otherwise, the importer of such goods

shall, with as little delay as may be, and in any case within three days of the commencement of the unpacking of such goods, thoroughly destroy all such hay, straw, or chaff by burning :

Provided that in the case of hay, straw, or chaff used for packing goods manufactured and packed in Great Britain, the destruction of such hay, straw, or chaff will not be required if the packages are accompanied by a sworn certificate or statutory declaration from the exporter or packer, countersigned as correct by a responsible officer appointed by the High Commissioner for New Zealand for the purpose, to the effect that the hay, straw, or chaff used for packing had been disinfected prior to use by steam at 185 degrees for ten minutes, or by some other effective method approved by the High Commissioner.

5. In no case shall any importer use or suffer to be used any such hay, straw, or chaff (unless accompanied by a sworn certificate or statutory declaration of disinfection, countersigned as correct as provided in the last preceding regulation) for repacking the same goods or for packing any other goods.

6. Every person who commits a breach of any of these regulations is liable to a fine not exceeding £50.

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

*Cancelling a Condition as to setting back the Building-line on the Eastern Side of Wellington Terrace, in the City of Wellington, imposed by Order in Council under Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Amendment 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 amend the Order in Council dated the ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 97, of the fourteenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and seven, exempting Wellington Terrace, in the City of Wellington, from the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to certain conditions as to the building-line, by cancelling the condition imposed by the said Order in Council in so far as such condition refers to the eastern side of Wellington Terrace.

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

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 reserve for recreation in the Otago Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of the Tuapeka Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Tuapeka Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 14 and 15, Block XX, Town of Lawrence: Area, 1 rood 30 perches.

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

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 reserve for recreation in the Taranaki Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter form part of the Huiroa Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain by the Huiroa Domain Board.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 3, Block III, Huiroa Township. Area, 2 roods.

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

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 reserve for recreation in the Auckland Land District described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby brought under the operation of and declared to be subject to the provisions of Part II of the said Act; and such reserve shall hereafter be known as the Thornton Marine Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—THORNTON MARINE DOMAIN.

SECTION 3, Block V, Awa-o-te-atua Survey District: Area, 6 acres 1 rood 10 perches.

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

*Consenting to Body Corporate borrowing Money, and authorizing Payment to Committee of Management.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and thirty-five of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is provided that, with the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council, a body corporate constituted under Part XVII of the said Act may, on the security of a mortgage or charge of the land vested in it, borrow money for any of the purposes therein mentioned:

And whereas the bodies corporate constituted as aforesaid described in the Schedule hereto have applied for the precedent consent of the Governor-General in Council accordingly, and also that consent be given to any money so borrowed being paid to the committee of management:

And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board has recommended that such consent be granted, and it seems expedient so to do:

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, pursuant to section three hundred and thirty-five of the Native Land Act, 1909, and all other powers him enabling, grant precedent consent to each of the said bodies corporate respectively on the security of a mortgage or charge of the land vested in it, to borrow money from a State Loan Department or from any person or body corporate for all and every of the purposes mentioned in the said section three hundred and thirty-five, the sums set out hereunder opposite the name of each body corporate; and, pursuant to section three hundred and thirty-three of the said Act, consent is hereby given to the payment of any money so borrowed to the committee of management of the respective body corporate.

SCHEDULE.

THE Proprietors of the Waipiro No. A 29 Block ..	£ 3,000
The Proprietors of the Waipiro No. A 6 and adjoining blocks .. .. .	.. .. . 3,500

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

"That the Auckland City Council, having control of Mutu Street, Auckland, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said street fronting a proposed subdivision of Lots 21-24, 17, and part 18 of Allotment 8, Section 95, Suburbs of Auckland"; subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the south-eastern side of the portion of Mutu Street (described in the Schedule hereto), within a distance of twenty feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

THE south-eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the North Auckland Land District, City of Auckland,

known as Mutu Street, fronting a proposed subdivision of Lots 21 to 24, 17, and part 18 of Allotment 8, Section 95, Suburbs of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 59527, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*The Western Side of Bedford Street and the Northern Side of Portion of Henley Street, in the City of Auckland, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the following resolution passed by the Auckland City Council on the fourth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, viz.:

"That the Auckland City Council, having control of Bedford Street and Henley Street, Auckland, by resolution declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said streets fronting a proposed subdivision of Lots 22-29 of Allotment 9, Section 95, Suburbs of Auckland"; such street and portion of street being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THE western side of all that street situated in the North Auckland Land District, City of Auckland, known as Bedford Street, fronting a proposed subdivision of Lots 22 to 29 of Allotment 9, Section 95, Suburbs of Auckland.

Also the northern side of all that portion of street situated in the said land district and city, known as Henley Street, fronting a proposed subdivision of Lots 22 to 29 of Allotment 9, Section 95, Suburbs of Auckland.

As the said street and portion of street are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 59527, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

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

*Revoking and amending Regulations in regard to the Importation of Fruit or Plants into New Zealand.—Notice No. Ag. 2414.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Orchard and Garden Diseases 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 revoke the Order in Council dated the sixteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and gazetted on the nineteenth day of that month, prohibiting the importation of pear, apple, quince, or stone-fruit trees from the Commonwealth of Australia, and doth amend the regulations made by Order in Council dated the twenty-third day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, and gazetted on the second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, by deleting the words "Bacterium tumefaciens (hairy-root, crown-gall, or root-knot)" from the Fifteenth Schedule of the said regulations; and doth also declare that this Order in Council shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Gazette.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Whangarei Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £3,800 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of extending and altering the Sewer System.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 Whangarei Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of three thousand eight hundred pounds for the purpose of extending and altering the sewer system :

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 five and three-quarters 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 Whangarei Borough Council in respect of the said loan of three thousand eight hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Whangarei Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three thousand eight hundred pounds accordingly.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Nelson Hospital Board in respect of a Loan of £27,000, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of erecting a New Hospital.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL 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 Nelson Hospital Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of twenty-seven thousand pounds for the purpose of erecting a new hospital :

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 Nelson Hospital Board in respect of the said loan of twenty-seven thousand

pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Nelson Hospital Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twenty-seven thousand pounds accordingly.

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

*Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £150 authorized to be raised by the Council of the County of Masterton.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Masterton County Council, acting under and in pursuance of paragraph (e) of section sixteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, proposes to raise a loan of one hundred and fifty pounds for the purpose of forming and metalling Holdsworth Road :

And whereas section seventeen of the said Act requires the special roll to be deposited not less than seven days before any steps are taken under the aforesaid section sixteen (e) :

And whereas the special roll of the ratepayers was not deposited not less than seven days before the written consent of the ratepayers was obtained :

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

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

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

*Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £1,500 authorized to be raised by the Council of the County of Akitio.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Akitio County Council, acting under and in pursuance of paragraph (e) of section sixteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, proposes to raise a loan of one thousand five hundred pounds for the purpose of metalling the Kaituna Road :

And whereas section seventeen of the said Act requires the special roll to be deposited not less than seven days before any steps are taken under the aforesaid section sixteen (e) :

And whereas the special roll of the ratepayers was not deposited not less than seven days before the written consent of the ratepayers was obtained :

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

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

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

*Vesting a Cemetery Reserve in the Matamata County Council.*

JELlicOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a public cemetery: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Matamata:

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, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section four of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the County of Matamata, in trust, for a public cemetery.

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 35, Block XII, Maungatautari Survey District: Area, 6 acres 1 rood 24 perches.

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

*Vesting a Reserve in the Rangitikei County Council.*

JELlicOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been permanently reserved as a site for a roadman's cottage: And whereas it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Rangitikei County:

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, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserve described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Chairman, Councillors, and Inhabitants of the Rangitikei County, in trust, as a site for a roadman's cottage.

## SCHEDULE.

## WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 34, Block XV, Tiriraukawa Survey District: Area, 5 acres 2 roods.

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

*Vesting Reserves in the Tauranga Borough Council.*

JELlicOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the lands described in the Schedule hereto have been permanently reserved for development of water-power: And whereas it is expedient to vest the said reserves in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Tauranga:

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, and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the fourth section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, doth hereby declare that, from and after the day of the date hereof, the reserves

described in the Schedule hereto shall become vested in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Tauranga, in trust, for development of water-power.

## SCHEDULE.

## AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALLOTMENT	Te Papa Parish	Area	A.	R.	P.
475	..	98	0	0	
" 486	" ..	" 108	0	0	

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

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

JELlicOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## PIHANGA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.	A.	R.	P.
OHUANGA NORTH No. 1 .. ..	366	0	14	
" 2 .. ..	388	0	7	
" 3 .. ..	851	3	0	
" 5 .. ..	1,147	2	0	
Ohuanga South 1 .. ..	175	0	0	
" 2B 1 .. ..	139	2	32	
" 2B 2 .. ..	304	1	32	
" 2C .. ..	35	0	0	
" 2D 1 .. ..	564	0	32	
" 2D 2 .. ..	394	0	0	
" 2E .. ..	115	3	8	
" 2F .. ..	340	0	32	
" 2G .. ..	772	1	8	
" 2H .. ..	626	0	16	
" 2J .. ..	1,032	3	8	

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

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

JELlicOE, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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



SCHEDULE.

WAIRERE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.			
		A.	R.	P.
MATAMATA North No. 2B .. ..	158	3	0	
" No. 2C .. ..	70	3	0	
" No. 2D .. ..	45	0	30	
" No. 2E .. ..	45	0	30	
" No. 2F .. ..	45	0	30	
" No. 2G .. ..	56	2	24	
" No. 2H .. ..	56	2	24	
" No. 2I .. ..	10	0	0	
" No. 2K .. ..	47	1	0	
" No. 2L (part) .. ..	36	1	10	

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

WHAREPUHUNGA 17B Block, Ranginui Survey District: Approximate area, 585 acres 1 rood 24 perches.

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SCHEDULE.

WAIHORA 2C 1 Block, Waingaromia Survey District: Approximate area, 71 acres 3 roods 15 perches.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council

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JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

PUKETTIRI Block, Section 98, Block XIV, Pohui Survey District: Area, 508 acres.

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

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JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

MANGAHOHU Block, Puketi Survey District: Approximate area, 2,250 acres.

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

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JELlicoe, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

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Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## PIRONGIA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.		Approximate Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
MANGAUIKA B No. 2 Section 2	.. ..	425	0	0
" No. 1B 2 Section 2B part	.. ..	710	3	0
Section 9, Block VI (Kopua No. 1Q Reserve)	.. ..	118	0	0
Lot 286 Parish of Pirongia	.. ..	200	0	0
" 358	.. ..	200	0	0
" 359	.. ..	70	0	0

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

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## TAKAPAU SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.		Approximate Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
OTAWHAO A 1C .. ..	.. ..	70	0	0
" A 1E .. ..	.. ..	280	3	0
" A 4 Subdivisions 4 and 5 (balance)	.. ..	457	1	0
" A No. 10B .. ..	.. ..	188	1	14

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

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JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1919, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council thereof, doth hereby extend for a further period of six months the Order in Council dated the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and gazetted the first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, prohibiting all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto, other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

## SCHEDULE.

## TARAMARAMA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.		Approximate Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
TUTAEKURI 1C 9 .. ..	.. ..	47	3	9
" 1C 10 .. ..	.. ..	60	2	15
" 1C 15 .. ..	.. ..	368	3	0
" 1C 16 .. ..	.. ..	98	1	30
" 1C 17 .. ..	.. ..	10	1	15
" 1C 18A .. ..	.. ..	34	0	33
" 1C 18B .. ..	.. ..	73	1	7
" 1C 19 .. ..	.. ..	6	0	0

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

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## NGONGOTAHA SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.		Approximate Area.	
		Acres.	
TUTUKAU EAST B No. 1	.. ..	246	6208
" B No. 2	.. ..	622	1941
" B No. 3	.. ..	496	8554
" B No. 4	.. ..	539	9205
" B No. 5	.. ..	66	8473
" B No. 6	.. ..	503	9258
" B No. 7A	.. ..	467	
" B No. 7B	.. ..	2785	3782

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

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

## SCHEDULE.

## CAPE SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.		Approximate Area.		
		A.	R.	P.
PAORA ANETI No. 2	.. ..	50	0	0
" 3	.. ..	22	2	34
" 4	.. ..	16	2	35
" 7	.. ..	35	0	18
" 13	.. ..	15	1	16

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

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

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

MANGAPORO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.			
		A.	R.	P.
POROPORO No. 1 .. .. .	1,050	0	0	
" 2 .. .. .	3,850	0	0	
" 3 .. .. .	300	0	0	
" 4 .. .. .	850	0	0	
" 5 .. .. .	840	0	0	
" 6 .. .. .	3,707	0	0	

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

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

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TAURANGA Taupo 3B 1 Block, Waitahanui Survey District: Approximate area, 474 acres.

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

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

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order

in Council, all alienation of the Native lands specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

TOTORO SURVEY DISTRICT.

Block.	Approximate Area.			
		A.	R.	P.
KAHUWERA B No. 2B, Section 1 .. .. .	280	0	0	
" " 6 .. .. .	64	0	10	
" " 7C .. .. .	191	1	12	

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

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

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

ON the recommendation of the Native Land Purchase Board, referred to in section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, and in exercise of the power in this behalf conferred upon him by that section, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prohibit, for the period of one year from the date of this Order in Council, all alienation of the Native land specified in the Schedule hereto other than alienation in favour of the Crown.

SCHEDULE.

PIHANGA AND PUKAWA SURVEY DISTRICTS.

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

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

*Partial Revocation of an Order in Council under Section 296 of the Native Land Act, 1909.*

JELICOE, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section two hundred and ninety-six of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under Part XVI of that Act, or under Part II of the Native Land Settlement Act, 1907, may be at any time revoked, either wholly or as to any part or parts of the land included therein, by the Governor-General by Order in Council :

And whereas the land set out in the Schedule hereto became subject to the provisions of Part XVI of the Native Land Act, 1909 :

And whereas the Tairāwhiti District Maori Land Board has recommended that such land shall cease to be so subject :

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 revoke the Order in Council dated the thirtieth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and nine, in so far as such Order in Council affects the land set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

TOKOMARU G 2B Block, Tokomaru Survey District: Approximate area, 129 acres 2 roods 27 perches.

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

*Opening Settlement Lands in Southland Land District for Selection.*

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

*Wallace County.—Wairaki Survey District.*

Beaumont Settlement.

SECTION 10, Block XXIII: Area, 334 acres 3 roods 15 perches. Capital value, £560. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £12 12s.

Weighted with £40, valuation for fencing.

*Improvements.*—The improvements which go with the land and are included in capital value consist of fencing valued at £30 14s.

About 80 acres have been cultivated, balance undulating tussock land, suitable for sheep-grazing. Situated about eight miles from Nightcaps.

Sections 1 and 11, Block XXIII: Area, 818 acres 1 rood 2 perches. Capital value, £1,405. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £31 12s. 3d.

Weighted with £700, valuation for dwelling, outbuildings, stable, fencing, &c.

*Improvements.*—The improvements which are included in capital value of the land consist of fencing valued at £41 4s.

About 150 acres light river flat, balance tussock country, suitable for sheep-grazing. Situated about nine miles from Nightcaps by good gravelled road, and about 140 chains from school.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

JELlicoe, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by the Defence Act, 1909, and its amendments, I, John Rushworth, Viscount Jellicoe, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby amend, in the manner and to the extent set forth in the Schedule hereto, the Financial Instructions and Allowance Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces, and I do hereby declare that such amendments shall take effect as from the date of publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

FINANCIAL INSTRUCTIONS AND ALLOWANCE REGULATIONS FOR THE NEW ZEALAND MILITARY FORCES.

PARAGRAPH 96 is hereby amended by deleting all the words after "England," and substituting therefor the following: "India, Canada, South Africa, and Australia shall draw their New Zealand rates of pay, and, in addition, the following allowances:—

"Officers.

"(a.) At the Staff College Courses, Camberley or Quetta, or at the War Office, Army Headquarters, or at the Headquarters of a Command in England or in India:—

"(1.) Special allowance—

"Married .. .. . 17s. 6d. per diem.

"Single .. .. . 12s. 6d. "

"(2.) Extra living allowance to be adjusted by the High Commissioner in accordance with the cost of living figures issued by the War Office, in connection with the Whitley bonus scheme.

"(3.) Where quarters are not provided—

"Married .. .. . 7s. 6d. per diem.

"(4.) Any other allowances which may be approved by the Minister to meet special circumstances.

"(b.) On attachment in England or in India for any purposes other than those mentioned in (a) above—

"Will receive the same allowances as provided in (a), except that the special allowance will be—

"Married .. .. . 15s. per diem.

"Single .. .. . 10s. "

"(c.) Detailed for duty in other Dominions:—

"(1.) South Africa—Married, 12s. 6d. per diem; single, 5s. per diem.

"Canada—Married, 12s. 6d. per diem; single, 5s. per diem.

"Australia—Married, 10s. per diem; single, 5s. per diem.

"(2.) As in (a) (4) above.

"Warrant and Non-Commissioned Officers.

"(d.) Detailed for duty in England or India:—

"(1.) Special allowance—

"Married .. .. . 10s. per diem.

"Single .. .. . 5s. "

"(2.) Where quarters are not provided—

"Married .. .. . 5s. per diem.\*

"Single .. .. . 3s. "

"(3.) As in subparagraph (a), (2), and (4) above.

- “(e.) Detailed for duty in other Dominions :—
- “(1.) South Africa—Married, 6s. per diem ; single, 3s. per diem.
- “Canada—Married, 6s. per diem ; single, 3s. per diem.
- “Australia—Married, 5s. per diem ; single, 2s. 6d. per diem.
- “(2.) As in (a) (4) above.”

Paragraph 97 is hereby amended by adding at the end of the paragraph the following new sentence : “ Warrant and non-commissioned officers will receive second-class passages under conditions similar to the foregoing.”

Paragraph 98 is hereby amended by deleting “ £60,” and substituting therefor “ £100 ” ; and also by adding at the end of the paragraph the following new sentence : “ Warrant and non-commissioned officers shall be granted second-class fares for their wives and families or, in lieu, separation allowance at the rate of £60 per annum.”

Paragraph 99 is hereby amended by deleting all the words after “ Dominion,” and substituting therefor “ there shall be paid a daily allowance of 3s. 9d. to officers and 2s. 6d. to warrant and non-commissioned officers.”

Paragraph 100 is hereby amended by inserting immediately before “ South Africa ” the words “ Great Britain, India.”

Paragraph 103 is hereby cancelled, and the following substituted therefor :—  
 “ 103. Officers, warrant, and non-commissioned officers whose duties abroad necessitate their maintaining a horse shall be entitled to claim payment of all charges for hire, forage, grazing, shoeing, veterinary treatment, and such other charges as their duties may call upon them to incur, in connection therewith.  
 “ Saddlery and such other horse equipment as may be required will be issued free.”

Paragraph 104 is hereby amended by deleting all the words after “ follows,” and substituting therefor—

	£	s.	d.
“ Officers proceeding to England and India .. .. .	35	0	0
“ .. .. . Canada and South Africa .. .. .	25	0	0
“ .. .. . Australia .. .. .	15	0	0
“ Warrant and non-commissioned officers proceeding to England, India, Canada, and South Africa .. .. .	15	0	0
“ Warrant and non-commissioned officers proceeding to Australia .. .. .	7	10	0

Paragraph 178 is hereby amended by adding a note below the “ Scale of rations ” as follows :—  
 “ 1 lb. coal equals 2 lb. wood.”

Paragraph 181 is hereby amended by adding at the end of the paragraph a note as follows :—  
 “ In Scales B, C, and D up to 1½ lb. bran may be drawn in lieu of an equal quantity of hay, chaff, or oats.”

The following new regulation is hereby substituted for the former Regulation 197 :—  
 “ 197. All approved applicants for enlistment in the New Zealand Permanent Forces will be examined by a Medical Board, the expense of which will be a charge against the Department.”

Paragraph 113A (a) is hereby amended by inserting immediately after “ training camp,” in the second line, the words “ or at a course of instruction.”

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General this 22nd day of September, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,  
 Wellington, 17th September, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 79 of the Fisheries Act, 1908, appointed

Frederick Williams

to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of that Act.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
 Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
 Wellington, 24th September, 1924.

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

Walter Parker

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waipawa, vice D. J. A. von Sturmer.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

*Courthouse appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
 Wellington, 24th September, 1924.

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

The Parish Hall, Geraldine,

to be a place wherein a Magistrates' Court shall be held, in lieu of the Courthouse previously appointed.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

*Member of Wanganui River Trust reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
 Wellington, 20th September, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 2 of the Wanganui River Trust Act, 1891, been pleased to reappoint

Arthur Stewart Burgess

to be a member of the Wanganui River Trust as from the 20th day of September, 1924.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Trustees for Public Cemeteries appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 19th September, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 4 of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, been pleased to appoint

Ernest Henry Rhodes,

to be a trustee, in place of Frank Albert August Kurth, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Pukeatua Public Cemetery.

Robert Stephenson McFarland

to be a trustee, in the place of Edward Lowther Prince Prentis, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Maketu Public Cemetery.

James Logan and  
David Wratten

to be trustees, in place of John Logan and Robert McLean, resigned, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Owaka Public Cemetery.

William Thomas Barker and  
Alfred Newton Wilkinson

to be trustees, in place of John Eatwell and William Alfred Jordon, left the district, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Stanley Brook Public Cemetery.

Joseph Alexander McEldowney,  
Robert Dougald Fisher,  
Allan Muir Fisher, and  
Robert Fisher, jun.,

to be trustees, in place of John Fisher, Robert Fisher, and James Scott, resigned, and James Anderson, deceased, to provide for the maintenance and care of the Pukekura Public Cemetery.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Members of Domain Boards appointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 22nd September, 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:—

Henry Arnold Harrison

to be a member of the South Rakaia Domain Board, in place of Thomas Alexander Blackley, deceased.

Alfred William Gane

to be a member of the Cambridge Domain Board, in place of Edwin Neville Souter, deceased.

Frank Ledingham Thurlow

to be a member of the Patearoa Domain Board in place of Arthur Keegan, resigned.

James Allan Bain

to be a member of the Seddonville Soldiers Memorial Park Domain Board, in place of William Bennett, left the district.

Walter Johnsen,  
James David Shaw, and  
Herbert Patrick Campbell

to be members of the St. Bathans Domain Board, in place of Joseph McDevitt, and Patrick Thomas O'Regan, resigned, and William Pyle, deceased.

John Moffatt,  
William Simpson Gray,  
Alfred Ernest Gillingham, and  
Duncan Beaufort Cameron

to be members of the Cave Domain Board, in place of Charles Eustace Kerr, James McEwan, William Gray Russell, and Martin Bruland, left the district.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd September, 1924.

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

John Caird .. .. .	Te Awamutu.
Ivan Comrie Robinson .. .	Taihape.
Frederick James Shearer .. .	Kaponga.
Charles Lawrence James .. .	Oamaru.
Eric Piper Bush .. .. .	Cust.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—  
Notice No. Ag. 2413.*

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

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

Edward Collings

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the Lower Hutt Borough; the appointment to date as from the 19th September, 1924.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture

*Commissioner of Native Land Court appointed.*

Native Department,  
Wellington, 23rd September, 1924.

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

Edward Percy Earle, Esquire,

of Auckland, to be a Commissioner of the Native Land Court for a term of one year as from the 1st day of October, 1924.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

*Appointment in the New Zealand Naval Forces.*

Navy Office,  
Wellington, 19th September, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointment in the New Zealand Naval Forces:—

Acting Warrant Writer Jack Evans Hamilton, D.S.M., confirmed as Warrant Writer, with seniority 1st October, 1923.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 23rd September, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to Major W. E. S. Furby, Reserve of Officers.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Defence Rifle Club accepted.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 17th September, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the services of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club, under Section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

Niho Niho Defence Rifle Club,

with Headquarters at Niho Niho, Ohura. Dated 3rd July, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Defence Rifle Club disbanded.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 17th September, 1924.

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

Palmerston South Defence Rifle Club,

with Headquarters at Palmerston South. Date of disbandment, 4th September, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

*Dismissal from the Forces.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 17th September, 1924.

**H**IS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the dismissal of the undermentioned from the New Zealand Defence Forces, under section 6 (b), Defence Act, 1909, he having been convicted by the Civil power:—

22/1597 A. C. Gordon, Non-effective list, Territorial Force.

Dated 21st August, 1924.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 22nd September, 1924.

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

W. F. MASSEY, Minister of Finance.

NAPIER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that on Wednesday, the 10th day of September instant, a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Napier was taken on each of the loan proposals set out hereunder. The numbers of valid votes recorded at the said polls respectively for and against the said proposals respectively and the numbers of informal votes cast at the said polls respectively were as follows:—

*Proposal No. 1*: A special loan of £100,000 for the purposes following, *videlicet*:—

(a.) Providing storm-water drains and extension of storm-water drains in the following localities and streets: Napier South, system of main outfalls and street drains; Munro Street (from Sale Street to Dickens Street), outfall; outfall culvert from Hastings Street to Hyderabad Road via Tennyson Street and Carlyle Street, Edwards, Dalton, Sale, and Miller Streets. *Port*—Lever Street, Battery Road, to West Quay; from bridge in Bridge Street along unformed road adjacent to railway line to point on Waghorne Street near Port end of Shakespeare Road; Waghorne Street, connecting drains from Waghorne Street channels to proposed main drain in Bridge Street from junction of Bridge and Waghorne Streets to Outram Street; Shakespeare Road on Port side of Hill; Burns Road; Chaucer Road; Goldsmith Road; Seapoint Road; Milton Road Extension; Faraday Street; Colenso Avenue; extending outfall and constructing storage tank at Browning Street outfall

£  
32,400

(b.) Permanent construction of the following streets and paths: Napier South, concrete kerbing and channelling and forming up and tarring paths; Wellesley Road and Hastings Street South, concrete kerbing and channelling; Tennyson Street, re-forming and bitumen-surfacing; Emerson Street paths, Clive Square to Hyderabad Road; Thackeray Street, Clive Square West, formation and surfacing, kerbing, and channelling; Dalton Street (from Dickens Street to Raffles Street), formation and bitumen-surfacing; Market Street, formation and bitumen-surfacing; Browning Street, bitumen-surfacing; South Marine Parade (from Sale Street to borough boundary), re-forming and bitumen-surfacing, forming, kerbing, and channelling, and asphaltting footpaths from Wellesley Road to borough boundary; Breakwater Road (from Coote Road to Battery Road), Hardinge Road (from Battery Road to Port), Hyderabad Road (from West of Carlyle Street to tram terminus in Bridge Street), bitumen-surfacing 20 ft. wide, and partial formation; Waghorne Street and Customs Street, roads and footpaths, bitumen-surfacing; Faraday Street (from Carlyle Street to Thackeray Street), asphaltting paths and bitumen road surfacing; Faraday Street Extension, formation, metalling, and drainage; west approach road to railway-station from railway-station to Thackeray Street, asphaltting path, kerbing, and channelling, bitumen-surfacing

£  
37,550

(c.) Bitumen road surfacing in the following hill streets: Shakespeare Road (Port side); Coote Road; Chaucer Road, from Carlyle Street to Spencer Road and north of Napier Terrace to George Street; Thompson Road, from Seapoint Road to reservoir; France Road; Milton Road; Napier Terrace—£8,400. Concrete kerbing and channelling and storm-water drainage in hill streets—£1,800

£  
10,200

(d.) For the purchase of roadmaking machinery and plant as recommended by the Borough Engineer: Tandem roller; Bitumen mixing and drying machine; metal-screen and motor and elevator; 2 tar-boilers (portable, fitted with sprays, 2 tar-boilers (fixtures); 2 motor-trucks; foundations for machines

£  
6,200

(e.) For filling in and levelling portion of the old recreation-ground for a Corporation yard, metalling roadways, drainage, and buildings for housing plant

£  
1,500

(f.) For waterworks pumping-plant, viz.: One low-lift pump at McLean Park, two large-capacity high-lift pumps at main station, motors, valves, and pumping building, and installation; also additions to the Cameron Road reservoir

£  
3,700

(g.) For sewerage pumping-plant, viz.: One 10 in. large-capacity low-lift centrifugal pump, motor, valves, piping, installation, and building; One 6 in. pump for McLean Park, motor valves, pipes, and fitting-up; portable 3 in. centrifugal pump and motor for emptying ejector and pump sumps

£  
1,450

93,000

Cost of raising the loan, interest and sinking fund for the first year, and contingencies

£  
7,000

£100,000

Votes for, 528; votes against, 253; informal votes, 32.

*Proposal No. 2*: A special loan of £42,000 for the following purposes, *videlicet*:—

To provide additions and extensions to the electric lighting and power works, including such additions and extensions as are necessary to supply any other local authority at the borough boundary; to make all such alterations and additions to the powerhouse, sub-stations, buildings, machinery, plant, equipment, and appliances and to the reticulation and the transmission, distribution, and service lines and the existing installations and electrical apparatus that may be deemed necessary owing to any change-over of the system of supply or method of distribution of electricity or otherwise howsoever and extensions of the transmission and distribution lines; in connection with all or any such additions, alterations, and extensions to purchase or otherwise acquire all such freehold or leasehold lands, easements, engines, machinery, poles, lines, plant, equipment, appliances, materials, and other things, and to erect all such buildings, engines, machinery, poles, lines, plant, equipment, and appliances as may be considered necessary; and any other purposes incidental or in relation to any of the above purposes

£  
38,700

Cost of raising the loan, interest and sinking fund for the first year, and contingencies

£  
3,300

£42,000

Votes for, 558; votes against, 228; informal votes, 26.

*Proposal No. 3*: A special loan of £2,150 for the purposes following, *videlicet*:—

For the purpose of erecting a "mother's rest" building on that part of Clive Square lying between Emerson and Tennyson Streets

£  
2,000

Cost of raising the loan, interest and sinking fund for the first year, and contingencies

£  
150

£2,150

Votes for, 537; votes against, 247; informal votes, 32.

*Proposal No. 4*: A special loan of £3,800 for the purposes following, *videlicet*:—

For improvements to Nelson and McLean Parks, viz.: Levelling and drainage and general improvements to grounds

£  
2,000

For improvements to abattoir, viz.: Roofing sheep and cattle pens and tarring same

£  
1,000

For the purchase of machinery for the municipal baths, together with all necessary equipment, also installing same, viz.: One 20 h.p. motor for large pump; One 10 h.p. motor and small pump for pumping into paddling-pools; and also for providing additional seating-accommodation for the baths

£  
500

3,500

Cost for raising the loan, interest and sinking fund for the first year, and contingencies

£  
300

£3,800

Votes for, 434; votes against, 334; informal votes, 45.

Inasmuch as of the total number of valid votes recorded at the poll on each of the said proposals a majority was recorded in favour or each such proposal, I therefore declare the said proposals numbered 1, 2, 3, and 4 to be carried.

Dated at Napier this 12th day of September, 1924.

J. B. ANDREW, Mayor.

## Tenders.

Public Works Department, 17th September, 1924.

THE following particulars of tenders received by the Public Works Department are published for general information:—

Supply, &c.	Tenderer.	Manufacturer.	Price.
Coleridge, Section 46—			
Turbines .. .. .	Vickers (N.Z.) (Ltd.) ..	Vickers .. ..	£11,762, c.i.f.
Generators .. .. .	J. J. Niven and Co. (Ltd.) ..	Bruce Peebles ..	£18,706 8s., c.i.f.
Waikato, Section 78—			
4/500 k.v.a. transformers ..	.. .. .	B.E.T.C. .. ..	£2,720 19s.
4/250 .. .. .	Turnbull and Jones (Ltd.) ..	A.S.E.A. .. ..	£1,809 18s.
Mangahao, Section 130: Earth wire	S. Brown (Ltd.) .. .. .	.. .. .	£26 per ton, f.o.b.
Coleridge, Section 162: Steel for screens	Redpath, Brown, and Co. (Ltd.)	Redpath, Brown, and Co.	£502, c.i.f. Lyttelton.
Five villas, Porirua Mental Hospital	Eagles and Swanger .. .. .	.. .. .	£35,400.
St. Helens Hospital, Christchurch: Isolation ward	F. Williamson .. .. .	.. .. .	£740.
Waikato, Sections 50, 100, 101: Transformers	Metropolitan Vickers (Ltd.) ..	Metropolitan Vickers	£376 2s., c.i.f. Auckland.
Kurou Police-station .. .. .	R. McLean .. .. .	.. .. .	£320.
Oparau Bridge (Scott's): Labour ..	F. and E. Closey .. .. .	.. .. .	£578 18s. 7d.
Paparua Prison: 2-ton motor-lorry	Shaw Motors .. .. .	Austin .. .. .	£635, c.i.f. Lyttelton.
Greymouth Post-office: Store ..	F. and T. Sotheran .. .. .	.. .. .	£1,224.
Coleridge, Section 156: Headgates ..	Cory-Wright and Salmon .. ..	Blakesborough .. ..	£3,694, c.i.f. Lyttelton.
Waikato: Transformers .. .. .	Metropolitan Vickers .. .. .	.. .. .	£56 4s.
Waikato, Sections 85, 93, 97: Hardware	Dansey and Co. .. .. .	Wilkes and Co. .. ..	£225, c.i.f.
Mangahao: Copper wire .. .. .	S. Brown .. .. .	Bolton and Sons .. ..	£110 0s. 6d., c.i.f.
Wheels and axles for stock .. .. .	John Chambers and Son (Ltd.)	Edgar Allen and Co. ..	£1,413, c.i.f.
Prepared roofing .. .. .	Spedding Limited .. .. .	"Barbados" .. .. .	23s. 9d. per roll, c.i.f.
Mangahao, Section 146: Transformers	Metropolitan Vickers (Ltd.) ..	.. .. .	£127 10s.
Tarras Post-office: Erection .. ..	T. Wilkinson .. .. .	.. .. .	£472 6s.
Waitomo Caves: Cable .. .. .	Richardson, McCabe, and Co.	Callendar's Cable Company	£178 18s. 6d., c.i.f. Auckland.
Mohaka—Putere Road: No. 4 contract	Keefe Bros. .. .. .	.. .. .	£597 10s.
Waiho Suspension Bridge: Ironwork	B. J. Dunsheath (Ltd.) .. ..	Butler and Co. .. ..	£4,435, c.i.f.
Paeroa Police-station: Renovations	R. Roberts .. .. .	.. .. .	£247 10s.
Palmerston North Courthouse .. ..	H. E. Townshend .. .. .	.. .. .	£1,688.
Waikaremoana, quotation 781—			
U-bolts .. .. .	P. and D. Duncan (Ltd.) .. ..	.. .. .	56s. per cwt.
Bolts .. .. .	J. A. Redpath and Sons (Ltd.)	.. .. .	65s. "
Steps .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	55s. 6d. per cwt.
Wire, 14 miles .. .. .	J. Nathan and Co. (Ltd.) .. ..	.. .. .	£52 10s.
Waikaremoana, 15,000 v. insulators	National Electrical and Engineering Company	.. .. .	£50 15s. 10d., c.i.f. Napier.
Mangahao: Two meggers .. .. .	Allum Electrical Company .. ..	Evershed and Vignole	£42 8s. each.
Mangahao, Section 149—			
Telephone isolating-switches .. ..	Canterbury Engineering Co. ..	.. .. .	£144, c.i.f.
" drainage-coils .. .. .	National Electrical and Engineering Company	.. .. .	£118 5s., c.i.f.
Hardwood, E.C.M.T. Railway—			
Piles .. .. .	A. C. Brown .. .. .	.. .. .	1s. 8d. per lineal foot, f.o.b.
Hewn ironwork .. .. .	Mills and Rigby .. .. .	.. .. .	30s. 6d. and 27s. 9d., f.o.b.
Sawn ironbark .. .. .	Nerang Hardwood Company ..	.. .. .	43s., c.i.f.
Hewn M.A.H. .. .. .	Mills and Rigby .. .. .	.. .. .	26s. 6d., f.o.b.
Sawn M.A.H. .. .. .	Nerang Hardwood Company ..	.. .. .	38s., c.i.f.
Police-station, Mercer: Erection ..	H. Waterhouse .. .. .	.. .. .	£1,980.
Otaki Substation: Cottages and stable	H. E. Townshend .. .. .	.. .. .	£1,557.
Penrose Substation: Two bays .. ..	A. Aburn .. .. .	.. .. .	£4,680.
Waikato, Section 83: Oil-testing outfit	Turnbull and Jones .. .. .	Westinghouse .. ..	£130, c.i.f.
Penrose Storeyard: Formation .. ..	— Gilmour .. .. .	.. .. .	£1,698.

F. W. FURKERT, Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary.

## Election of Member of Teachers' Superannuation Board.

Education Department,  
Wellington, 16th September, 1924.

IN pursuance of regulations made under the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1908, I hereby certify that for the election of a member of the Teachers' Superannuation Board constituted by the said Act, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of William H. Newton, the following nomination was received:—

Francis Albert Garry.

As the number of persons nominated does not exceed the number of vacancies to be filled, I hereby declare that the said Francis Albert Garry is duly elected a member of the said Board.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of September, 1924.

C. E. CRAWFORD,  
Secretary to the Teachers' Superannuation Board, and Returning Officer.

## Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,  
Wellington, 19th September, 1924.

THE Devonport United Friendly Societies' Dispensary, situated at Devonport, is registered as a friendly society under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 19th day of September, 1924.

WILLIAM M. WRIGHT,  
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

## Public Trust Office.—Establishment of Agency at Rakaia.

IT is notified for public information that an agency of the Public Trust Office has been established at Rakaia in charge of Mr. G. S. Hardy as Agent.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of September, 1924.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.



*Scheme for the Control of Hutt Valley High School.*

Education Department,

Wellington, 16th September, 1924.

IN accordance with the provisions of the Education Act, 1914 (hereinafter called "the Education Act"), and with the powers thereunder, I, Christopher James Parr, Minister of Education, do hereby, on the advice of the General Council of Education, approve of the following scheme for the Hutt Valley High School (hereinafter called "the school"), which is to be established under section 88 of the Education Act, 1914.

1. The school shall be controlled by a Board of Governors, under the name of "The Board of Governors of the Hutt Valley High School" (hereinafter called "the Board"). The Board shall under that name be a body corporate, as provided in section 91 of the Education Act.

2. (1.) There shall be nine members of the Board, who shall be appointed or elected in the manner following, namely:—

- (a.) A group of two members appointed by the Governor-General;
- (b.) A group of three members appointed by the Education Board of the district;
- (c.) A group of three members elected by the parents of the pupils;
- (d.) One member appointed by the Lower Hutt Borough Council.

(2.) The ordinary term of office of members appointed under paragraphs (a) and (d) of subclause (1) hereof shall be two years, and the ordinary term of office of members appointed or elected under paragraphs (b) and (c) of subclause (1) hereof shall be three years; but every member shall hold office until the appointment or election of his successor.

3. (1.) The members appointed by the Education Board shall be appointed by a resolution of such Board.

(2.) The member appointed by the Lower Hutt Borough Council shall be appointed by a resolution of the Council.

4. In regard to the election of members of the Board by the parents of the pupils, the following provisions shall apply:—

- (1.) Every such election shall be held on a date to be fixed by the Board in accordance with this scheme.
- (2.) The Secretary of the Board shall be the Returning Officer.
- (3.) For the purposes of each election the Returning Officer shall prepare a roll, and shall enter therein the name, occupation, and address of every person qualified to be enrolled as a parent of a pupil of the school. The roll shall be closed at 5 o'clock on the fourteenth day next before the day on which any election is to be held, and shall continue to be closed until the election is completed.

"Parent" means the father and the mother of a pupil of the school.

A "pupil of the school" means a pupil whose name is on the school roll, but does not include a pupil in any lower department.

(4.) The Returning Officer shall by advertisement in a newspaper circulating in the district, publicly notify, not less than fourteen days before each election—

- (a.) The day and hour for the closing of nominations.
- (b.) The total number of candidates to be elected;
- (c.) The day and hour for the closing of the election.

(5.) Every candidate shall be nominated in writing by one or more parents entitled to vote for his election.

Each such parent may nominate any number of candidates not exceeding the number to be elected.

(6.) Every nomination-paper shall be in the form or to the effect following:—

I, [Name and address], being a parent duly entered on the roll, do hereby nominate [Name and address] as a candidate for election to the Board of Governors of the Hutt High School at the election to be held on the            day of           , 19           .

Dated this            day of           , 19           .

[Signature of nominator.]

CANDIDATE'S CONSENT [to be subscribed at foot of nomination-paper.]

I hereby consent to my nomination.

[Signature of candidate nominated.]

(7.) If the nomination-paper does not bear the written consent of the candidate nominated, such consent may be given by him to the Returning Officer before the nominations are closed, and every nomination-paper shall be void in so far as concerns any

candidate whose written consent is not duly given as aforesaid.

(8.) Nominations shall close at noon on the tenth day before the day of the election.

(9.) If the number of nominations received does not exceed the number of vacancies to be filled, the Returning Officer shall forthwith declare the candidate or candidates so nominated to be duly elected. In all other cases he shall, as soon as the nominations are closed, prepare and post to each elector at his address as appearing on the roll a printed voting-paper containing in alphabetical order of surnames a list of all the duly nominated candidates for whom such parent is entitled to vote; and such voting-paper shall bear the number of the voter on the roll and be in the form or to the effect following:—

Consecutive Number: .

VOTING-PAPER FOR USE AT ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE            DAY OF           , 19           , OF MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE HUTT HIGH SCHOOL.

CANDIDATES.

[Set out in alphabetical order of surnames the full name of every duly nominated candidate.]

DIRECTIONS.

The number of candidates to be elected is [Specify the number].

The voter must draw a line through the name of every candidate for whom he does not intend to vote.

The number of candidates whose names are left uncanceled must not exceed the total number of candidates to be elected.

This voting-paper must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, bearing on the outside thereof the words "Voting-paper," and if posted to the Returning Officer must be posted on or before the day of election, or, if delivered to him, shall be delivered at his office,            Street,           , before the day of election, or not later than 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

(10.) The poll shall close at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of the day of the election; but all voting-papers shall be included and counted which are not informal and are received by the Returning Officer in due course of post before the close of the third day after the day of the election.

(11.) A voting-paper shall be informal in any of the following cases, that is to say,—

- (a.) If the elector votes more than once at the same election;
- (b.) If the candidates whose names are left uncanceled exceed in number the total number of candidates for whom the person is entitled to vote, or if in any other way the paper fails to indicate clearly for whom the vote is intended to be given; or
- (c.) If, being delivered to the Returning Officer, the sealed envelope containing the voting-paper is not delivered at his office before the close of the poll; or
- (d.) If, having been forwarded by post, the sealed envelope containing the voting-paper is not received at the office of the Returning Officer before the close of the sixth day after the day of election, or if, from the post-mark on the envelope or otherwise, the Returning Officer is satisfied that it was not posted until after the day of the election.

(12.) On the seventh day after the day of election the Returning Officer shall open and examine all voting-papers duly delivered to him or received by him through the post as aforesaid, and, after rejecting all informal voting-papers, shall ascertain the candidates (not exceeding the total number to be elected) who have received the greatest number of votes, and shall declare such candidates to be elected.

(13.) If, by reason of an equality of votes given for two or more candidates, the election is not complete, the Returning Officer shall decide by lot, in the presence of two members of the Board, which candidate or candidates shall be elected, and thereby complete the election.

(14.) (a.) Each candidate may, by writing under his hand, appoint one scrutineer, who may be present at the examination of the voting-papers and the counting of the votes by the Returning Officer.

(b.) The Returning Officer shall, immediately after counting the votes, seal up all voting-papers, and transmit the whole to the Clerk of the nearest Magistrate's Court, who shall keep the same for six months thereafter, and shall not open or permit to be opened such packet except on the order of some Court of competent jurisdiction, and shall at the end of six months effectually destroy the same.

(c.) Forthwith after the completion of the election the Returning Officer shall, by notice exhibited on the outside of the office of the Board and by advertisement in a newspaper published in the district, notify the names of the persons elected, the number of valid votes recorded for each candidate, and the total number of votes rejected as informal, and shall notify to the Board and to the Minister the names of the persons elected.

(d.) The Returning Officer and every scrutineer shall be required faithfully and impartially to perform the duties of their offices, and shall not directly or indirectly make known the state of the poll or give or pretend to give any information by which the state of the poll may be known before the final declaration thereof by the Returning Officer, or make known for which candidate any voter has voted, or communicate to any person any information likely to defeat the secrecy of the ballot.

(15.) If any dispute or question arises touching the regularity of any election, such dispute or question shall be determined by a Stipendiary Magistrate in manner provided by sections 45 to 54 of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, all the provisions of which shall, *mutatis mutandis*, apply.

5. (1.) One member out of each of the groups (a) and (b) of subclause (1) of clause 2 hereof shall retire on the 31st March in each year, and the member so to retire shall be the one who has been longest in office since his last appointment or election: Provided that where any question arises as to which member shall retire the same shall be decided by lot among those members who have served longest without re-election in such manner as the Board shall determine.

(2.) On the 31st March in the year 1926, and in every second year thereafter, the members elected under paragraph (c) of the said clause shall retire.

(3.) On the 31st March in the year 1926, and in every second year thereafter, the member appointed under paragraph (d) of the said clause shall retire.

6. Retiring members shall be eligible for reappointment or re-election.

7. (1.) A casual vacancy shall be created in the same way and for the same causes as are set out in section 20 of the Education Act in the case of members of an Education Board.

(2.) Every casual vacancy shall be filled in the same manner and by the same appointing or electing authority as in the case of the vacating member; provided that the member appointed or elected shall hold office only for the residue of the term of the vacating member.

(3.) Whenever a casual vacancy occurs it shall be the duty of the Board forthwith to report the fact to the Minister if the vacancy is to be filled by the Governor-General, or to the Secretary to the Education Board if the vacancy is to be filled by that Board, or to the Town Clerk in the case of a member to be appointed by the Lower Hutt Borough Council.

8. (1.) The appointment or election of a member to fill a vacancy caused by the expiry of the ordinary term of office shall be made in the first week of the month of March at the end whereof such expiry takes place, or as soon thereafter as may be convenient, but shall not take effect until such expiry.

(2.) The appointment or election of a member to fill a casual vacancy shall be made not later than fifty days after the vacancy occurs.

9. The Board shall hold an annual meeting in the month of April or May in each year, at such time and place as the Board shall direct.

10. From time to time as may be necessary the Board shall appoint a secretary, who may be paid such reasonable remuneration as the Board determines, and shall appoint him or some other person with authority to receive and to pay moneys on its account. The Board shall in each case forthwith inform the Minister of such appointments.

11. (1.) At the annual meeting and at such other times as may be necessary the Board shall elect a Chairman.

(2.) During the election of Chairman the Secretary to the Board shall preside. The person presiding shall have no vote; ties shall be decided by lot.

(3.) The Chairman's ordinary term of office shall be one year, and he shall be eligible for re-election.

(4.) If the Chairman shall from any cause cease to be a member of the Board or resign the office of Chairman, the Board shall, as soon thereafter as conveniently may be, elect another member of the Board to be Chairman in his stead, who shall hold office only until the next annual meeting.

12. At all meetings of the Board the Chairman, or in his absence such member of the Board as the majority of the members assembled shall choose, shall preside, and such Chairman or presiding member shall have a deliberative vote, and in all cases of equality of votes shall also have a casting-vote.

At all meetings of the Board a majority of all the members then in office shall constitute a quorum.

13. Subject to the provisions of this scheme, the Board shall make, and may from time to time revoke, vary, or amend, regulations for the conduct of business at its meetings, for determining how meetings shall be convened, and for such other like matters as may be requisite for the conduct of the business of the Board.

14. Minutes of the proceedings of the Board shall be regularly entered in a proper book to be kept for that purpose, and at every meeting of the Board the minutes of the previous meeting shall be read over and signed by the Chairman of the meeting at which the same are read, and the minutes when so signed shall be held to be true a statement and record of the proceedings of the Board for all purposes whatever.

15. (1.) The Board shall keep full and true accounts, in which shall be entered every sum received into and paid out of the Board fund in the order of date of each such receipt and payment, including all moneys received from rents or profits derived from lands or other property vested in the Board or under its control or management.

(2.) The Board shall cause its accounts for the preceding calendar year to be balanced, and a true statement and account to be prepared, in the prescribed form, of the receipts and expenditure of the Board and of its assets and liabilities.

(3.) All such accounts shall be audited by the Audit Office, which for that purpose shall have and may exercise all such powers as it has under the Public Revenues Act, 1910, in respect of public moneys.

16. All things required by the Education Act or this scheme to be done by the Board shall be done in accordance with and in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting of the Board, and no Act of the Board shall be invalid or liable to be questioned on the ground that one or more than one of the members thereof was or were incapacitated, or had ceased to hold office, or on the ground that the seat of any member was vacant.

17. Subject to the provisions of this scheme, and of the Education Act and regulations thereunder, there shall be vested in the Board the whole control and management of the Hutt High School, and also the entire superintendence over all the affairs, concerns, and property thereof, with full power to appoint and suspend or dismiss all masters, teachers, lecturers, examiners, and other necessary officers and servants; and in all cases unprovided for by the Education Act and the regulations thereunder, or by this scheme, it shall be lawful for the Board to act in such manner as shall appear to it best calculated to further the purposes intended to be served by the establishment of such school; and the Board shall, subject to the Education Act and the regulations thereunder and to this scheme, have full power from time to time to make, alter, and rescind by-laws and regulations for defining the courses of study and education in the school, and also for regulating the discipline and examination of the same, the conditions upon which the scholars shall be admitted, and, in general, touching all other matters, purposes, and things regarding the school.

18. (1.) The school shall provide a general course of secondary education and one or more vocational courses.

(2.) The programme of each pupil shall be determined by the headmaster of the school after consultation with the parents or guardian of the pupil; but in all cases the programme of each girl shall include adequate instruction in elementary domestic science and hygiene, and in one or more of the domestic arts extending in general over not less than two years of the secondary course provided. No pupils shall be compelled to take Latin or to take more than one language besides English.

(3.) The school year shall consist of three terms of about thirteen weeks each and in each calendar year the school shall be open for not less than three hundred and eighty-five half-days, unless it is shown to the satisfaction of the Minister that its closing is necessary owing to the prevalence of epidemics or other sufficient cause.

(4.) The headmaster shall cause the school to be examined during each term; provided that it shall not be necessary for the school to be so examined in any term in which it is examined by some other person appointed by the Minister or the Board; and provided further that it shall not be

necessary to include in such examination pupils sitting for public examinations during the term.

19. Subject to the general direction of the Board, the headmaster shall have the following powers:—

- (1.) He shall have control of the school buildings and premises, and of the apparatus and furniture thereof.
- (2.) He shall have the power to recommend the appointment or dismissal of assistant teachers or of other officers of the school, and to allot their several duties; and no assistant teacher or other officer of the school shall be appointed until the headmaster has been consulted.
- (3.) He shall have the power in case of grave neglect of duty or of gross misbehaviour to suspend any assistant teacher or other officer, but shall forthwith report his action to the Chairman, who shall thereupon confirm or overrule his action until the next meeting of the Board, when the matter may be determined; but the action of the headmaster shall hold good until the Chairman or the Board has determined the matter.
- (4.) He shall be supreme over the discipline, and may suspend any pupil, reporting his action to the Board at their next meeting, and the action of the headmaster shall hold good until the Board has come to some determination in regard to the matter. He shall not expel any pupil without the sanction of the Board.
- (5.) He shall regulate all text-books, methods, and organization in accordance with clause 18 hereof, and, subject to the same clause and the regulations under the Education Act, shall determine the course of study for each pupil.

20. The Board may establish or license hostels or boardinghouses for the accommodation of pupils, and may place such hostels or boardinghouses under the charge of teachers of the school or other suitable persons, and shall provide for the inspection of such hostels or boardinghouses.

21. The rents, profits, and income of all real and personal estate which may be vested in the Board, or granted or acquired as a site or sites or otherwise for the benefit of the school, or given, devised, or bequeathed to the Board for the benefit of the school without any trusts or powers of a different nature being expressed in the instrument so giving, devising, or bequeathing to the Board, and of all reserves of land which may be hereafter made for the benefit of the school, shall be held and dealt with by the Board under and subject to all such powers, provisions, and conditions as are contained in the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and the Education Act, 1917, and their amendments, as if the school were a high school within the meaning of those Acts.

22. Subject to the subsequent clauses of this scheme, the annual income derived from all real and personal estate that may be vested in the Board, or from fees or payments made in respect of pupils attending the school, together with any grants that may be made by the General Assembly or the Government of New Zealand, shall be applied by the Board for the maintenance of the school, and the payment of the salaries and expenses connected therewith: Provided that the Board shall have power to set apart, if it sees fit, out of the said rents, profits, and annual income, such part as it considers advisable, either as an addition to the capital fund, which shall then be invested in the manner hereinafter mentioned and dealt with as part of such capital fund, or as reserve fund to meet extraordinary expenses, which shall be invested and dealt with in such manner as the Board directs.

23. With respect to any moneys bequeathed or given to the Board for the school, and with respect also to all annual income set apart under the preceding clause, the Board shall have power to invest the same in the purchase or upon first mortgages of freehold land in New Zealand, or upon the stocks, bonds, bills, or debentures of the Government of New Zealand, or issued by any local authority therein under any Act of the General Assembly, and may from time to time vary such investments.

24. The Board may, out of such moneys as may come into its hands by virtue of any Act or otherwise for the benefit of the school, expend any sum or sums in purchasing land and erecting and maintaining suitable buildings and premises thereon for use as school buildings, and may, subject to the approval of the Minister, expend any sum of sums in purchasing land and erecting and maintaining suitable buildings thereon for use as boardinghouses for the pupils, or as residences for the masters, teachers, or other officers employed in connection with the school.

25. The school shall be open to inspection as provided by section 96 of the Education Act.

Dated at Wellington this 16th day of September, 1924.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Education.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 19th September, 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 Kawhia County Council and sealed on the 6th day of September, 1924, as appoints the several sums to be paid to the 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.

Supplementary Graded List of Primary-school Teachers, 1924.

Education Department,  
Wellington, 25th September, 1924.

THE following list of teachers is issued under the authority of the Minister of Education, in accordance with the requirements of the Education Act. The list contains the names of—

- (a.) Certificated teachers not previously graded;
- (b.) Teachers whose grading has been altered as the result of appeal, correction in marks, or change in certificate;
- (c.) Teachers who have qualified for a certificate or for promotion in certificate, but who are not yet graded;
- (d.) Teachers to whom licenses to teach have been issued.

In accordance with clause 18 (2) of the Regulations for the Grading of Primary-school Teachers this list becomes part of the General Graded List issued on 17th April, 1924.

JNO. CAUGHLEY, Director of Education.

Name.	Certificate.	Corrected Consecutive Number in graded List.	Grading District.	Date of Grading or Certificate or Promotion.
Aitken, Muriel Jane ..	D	177	Auckland	1/7/24
Armstrong, Robert ..	D	133	Southland	1/1/24
Bennett, John Bosley ..	C	181	Wellington	1/1/24
Berry, Margaret Taylor ..	D	215	Canterbury	1/1/24
Butchers, Arthur Gordon, M.A.	B	99	Otago ..	1/7/24
Chamberlain, Charles Percy	D	211	Canterbury	1/2/24
Delley, Edith Eleanor (Mrs.)	C	..	Auckland	1/8/24
Doig, Eva Mary (Mrs.) ..	D	176	Otago ..	1/9/24
Evans, William Herbert, B.A.	B	184	Auckland	1/1/24
Forde, Kathleen ..	C	205	Auckland	1/1/24
Foster, William Alexander	D	132	Samoa ..	1/1/24
French, Edna Dorothy, M.A.	A	125	Auckland	1/1/24
Frood, Millicent ..	D	230	Auckland	1/7/24
Glover, Brunswick ..	C	215	Auckland	1/1/24
Harrop, May Celia ..	C	216	Canterbury	1/1/24
Head, Ethel Lambert (Mrs.)	D	198	Auckland	1/1/24
Husband, Edna Howe Kraeft (Mrs.)	D	183	Auckland	1/1/24
McCaul, George William ..	D	199	Wanganui	1/7/24
McKenzie, Leila Minnie ..	C	206	Wellington	1/7/24
McKinnon, Jeanie Reese, M.A.	A	198	Otago ..	1/1/24
Mallinson, Bessie ..	C	207	Canterbury	1/2/24
Manning, Eileen Elizabeth	D	226	Auckland	1/7/24
Robinson, Amelia (Mrs.) ..	D	..	..	1/6/24
Ross, Angus Alexander, M.A.	B	..	..	1/9/24
Scherer, Arnold Frederic	C	178	Auckland	1/1/24
Smith, Charles Henry ..	C	174	Auckland	1/1/24
Taylor, Florence Maud ..	B	210	Auckland	1/7/24

TEACHERS TO WHOM LICENSES TO TEACH HAVE BEEN ISSUED.

Name.	District.	Date of License.
Bagnall, Isabel Anderson (Mrs.)	Wanganui ..	30/6/24 to 30/6/26*
Hill, William Howard ..	Auckland ..	30/6/24 to 30/6/26*
Platt, Thomas Earl ..	Wanganui ..	1/8/24 to 31/12/26
Walsh, Euphemia Low ..	Otago ..	1/6/24 to 30/6/26

\* License to teach renewed.

*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	Bigwood, Jabez ..	Bluff .. ..	Labourer ..	28/6/22	16/9/24	Testate	Invercargill.
2	Burr, Charles William ..	Waihou, near Manawaru	Farmer ..	22/6/24	19/9/24	Intestate	Auckland.
3	Cartwright, Mary Ann ..	Eketahuna .. ..	Widow .. ..	27/7/24	16/9/24	Testate	Wellington.
4	Donn, Robert .. ..	Hamilton .. ..	Painter .. ..	14/7/24	18/9/24	Intestate	Auckland.
5	Douglas, Thomas .. ..	Dunedin .. ..	Shipping Clerk ..	18/7/24	18/9/24	Testate	Dunedin.
6	Ellis, Ernest Alfred ..	Weraoia, Levin ..	Labourer .. ..	16/8/24	19/9/24	Intestate	Wellington.
7	Harding, William Richard	Christchurch ..	Land and estate agent	21/8/24	18/9/24	Testate	Christchurch.
8	Jones, Gilbert Ernest ..	Patutahi, Gisborne	Farmer .. ..	25/8/23	16/9/24	Intestate	Gisborne.
9	Laming, Jane .. ..	Wellington .. ..	Married woman ..	2/8/24	16/9/24	"	Wellington.
10	Mitchell, Ernest Thomas Douglas, commonly known as Kerr, Ernest Douglas Thomas	Dunedin .. ..	Shipping clerk ..	18/7/24	18/9/24	Testate	Dunedin.
11	McAuley, James .. ..	Formerly of Porangahau, but late of Auckland	War veteran ..	2/12/19	18/9/24	Intestate	Napier.
12	McKay, Christina .. ..	Kakanui .. ..	Widow .. ..	23/4/24	19/9/24	Testate	Dunedin.
13	Thompson, Charles .. ..	Formerly of Auckland, but late of Mangawhare	Labourer .. ..	29/7/21	16/9/24	"	Auckland.
14	Wade, Edith Marion .. ..	Gisborne .. ..	Married woman ..	9/8/24	19/9/24	Intestate	Gisborne.
15	Wilson, Mary .. ..	Wellington .. ..	Married woman ..	30/8/24	19/9/24	Testate	Wellington.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, N.Z., 22nd September, 1924.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

*Notice to Mariners No. 63 of 1924.*

## WANGANUI HARBOUR.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd September, 1924.*Special Bar Signal for Lighters only.*

THE Wanganui Harbour Board notify that in future the undermentioned special bar signals for lighters being towed when proceeding to or from vessels working cargo in the roadstead will be exhibited when the bar or entrance is dangerous:—

- (a.) Between sunrise and sunset: One black ball hoisted on the north yard-arm at the flagstaff.  
 (b.) Between sunset and sunrise: Two green lights, vertically disposed 6 ft. apart, shown seawards from the front bar-beacon.

Publications affected: Admiralty Charts Nos. 2054 and 1212; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, pages 100, 101, and 102; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1924, page 227, and plan facing page 226.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

*Notice to Mariners No. 64 of 1924.*

## KARAMEA RIVER.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 23rd September, 1924.*Signal Lights altered.*

INFORMATION is hereby given that on and after the 1st of November, 1924, the undermentioned signal lights will be exhibited from the flagstaff at Karamea River when a vessel is observed approaching the river entrance:—

- Bar safe for 7 ft. .. .. White over green.  
 " 9 ft. .. .. Green over white.  
 Bar dangerous .. .. White over red.  
 Wait .. .. One white light.  
 For outward-bound vessels only,—  
 Proceed to sea .. .. Red over white.

Vessels must not enter or leave unless signals for such purposes are exhibited, notwithstanding that the leading lights may be visible.

Publications affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2616; "New Zealand Pilot," ninth edition, 1919, pages 377 and 378; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1924, page 297, and plan facing page 296.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

*The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registration.*Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 19th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Blackball Coal-mine Workers' (other than Engineers, Engine-drivers, Firemen, and Winchmen) Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 958, situated at Blackball, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

F. W. ROWLEY,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.*The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registration.*Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 25th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Millerton and Granity Coal-miners' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 962, situated at Millerton, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

F. W. ROWLEY,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Thames on the 21st October, 1924.*Registrar's Office,  
Auckland, 15th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Thames on the 21st October, 1924, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

[Waikato-Maniapoto, 1924-10.]

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR COMPENSATION.

No. 25. Applicant: Under-Secretary for Public Works. Name of Land: Karihitekana. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for land taken for a road.  
 No. 26. Applicant: Under-Secretary for Public Works. Name of Land: Oteao I. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for land taken for a road.  
 No. 27. Applicant: Under-Secretary for Public Works. Name of land: Tapuariki. Nature of application; Assessment of compensation for land taken for a railway.  
 No. 28. Applicant: Under-Secretary for Public Works. Name of land: Tiritiri 9b. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for land taken for a road.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Hastings on 30th September, 1924.*

Registrar's Office,  
Wellington, 16th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Hastings on the 30th day of September, 1924, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Ikaroa, 1924-12.] A. H. MACKAY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

OTHER APPLICATIONS.

No. 231. Applicant: Under-Secretary for Public Works. Name of land: Tutira. Nature of application: To assess the amount of compensation for land taken for a horse-paddock, and to ascertain the names of those entitled to receive the same.

*Sitting of the Native Land Court at Rawene on the 29th October, 1924.*

Registrar's Office,  
Auckland, 19th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Rawene on the 29th October, 1924, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

Notice is hereby also given that the Court will adjourn and sit at Opononi.

[Tokerau 1924-12.] E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION.

No. 58. Applicant: Minister of Public Works. Name of land: Rotokakahi A 3c 2c, A 3c 2e 2, A 3b 1b 4, A 3a 3. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for land taken for a road.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

*Land in Wellington Land District, forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 20th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Wellington Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: L.S.R.L. Lease No. 444. Section 10s. District: Waddington Settlement. Formerly held by H. B. Smith. Reason for forfeiture: Arrears of rent.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Land in Canterbury Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 16th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Canterbury Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 13, Isleworth Settlement. Tenure: S.T.L.S. 214. Formerly held by E. V. Rickerby. Reason for forfeiture: Section abandoned.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Lands in the Auckland Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 11th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by the resolution of the Auckland Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Lease or License No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Lessee or Licensee.	Reason for Forfeiture.
R.L. 877 ..	11	VI	Rangiriri Survey District ..	A. J. Bregmen ..	Non-fulfilment of condition
H.P.L. 51 ..	16	XII	Ohinemuri Survey District ..	M. Handley ..	At request.
H.P.L. 431 ..	19	II	Otama Survey District ..	J. Graham ..	"
D.S. 523 ..	7	..	Tahaia Settlement ..	Alex. D. Macpherson ..	Section abandoned.
D.S. 760 ..	2	XV	Pakaumanu Survey District ..	Henry S. Kyle ..	At request.
D.S. 262 ..	9	..	Mangateparu Settlement ..	F. Baldwin ..	Section abandoned.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

## Lands in North Auckland Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 20th September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the leases and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by resolution of the North Auckland Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915.

## SCHEDULE.

## NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure and Lease No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Formerly held by	Reason for Forfeiture.
S.T.L./371 ..	211	..	Waipareira Parish ..	F. A. Judge ..	Non-compliance with conditions.
L.P./1375 ..	30	..	Otau Parish ..	R. C. Grubner ..	"
L.P./2721 ..	Lot 1 of 81	..	Otau Parish ..	R. C. Grubner ..	"
R.L.D.S./496	17	VIII	Whangape Survey District	George Dugmore ..	At request.
S.T.L.S./392	7s	..	Koremoa Settlement ..	James Robertson ..	"
O.R.P./5148	W. 41	..	Matakohe Parish ..	R.F.B. Cooksey ..	Non-compliance with conditions.
O.R.P./5539	247	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	Alexander Williams ..	Non-signature of lease.
O.R.P./5549	23	XI	Rangaunu Survey District	George Oakes ..	"
O.R.P./5559	43	II	Rangaunu Survey District	Charles Pulis ..	Non-compliance with conditions.
O.R.P./5608	8	XIV	Waitemata Survey District	F. W. Young ..	Non-signature of lease.
O.R.P./4772	8	XII	Waoku Survey District	A. W. Greville ..	At request.
R.L./1476 ..	287	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	J. W. Jefferson ..	"
R.L./1444 ..	271	..	Paremoremo Parish ..	Robert Campbell ..	Non-compliance with conditions.
E.R./843 ..	12, E. & W. 13	..	Kawakawa Parish ..	W. J. Price ..	"
E.R./235 ..	12	VII	Papakura Village ..	R. W. Corrie ..	At request.
E.R./898	Lot 1 of 13	III	Tutamoe Survey District	J. B. Logan ..	Non-compliance with conditions.
R.L./1488 ..	249	..	Waipareira Parish ..	J. G. Edmonds ..	At request.
O.R.P./4856	74	XVI	Kawakawa Survey District	Mrs. D. O'Brien ..	"
E.R./1096 ..	1, 2, 3, and 5 of 390	..	Town of Grahamtown ..	E. P. Bernet ..	"

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

## Pastoral Run in Wellington Land District for License by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,  
Wellington, 23rd September, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned pastoral run will be offered for license by public auction for a term of twenty-eight years at this office on Tuesday, the 28th day of October, 1924, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Land Act, 1908, and its amendments.

## SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Rangitikei County.—Moawhango and Ohinewairua Survey Districts.

RUN 30, Blocks XV, XVI, and I: Area, 1,600 acres; upset annual rental, £50.

Weighted with £230, valuation for improvements, comprising 329 chains of boundary-fence.

Term of license, twenty-eight years.

Special condition: The purchaser of the license shall erect within two years at his own expense five miles of rabbit-proof fence, which fence on the expiry of the license shall be treated, for valuation purposes, as an ordinary stock fence.

Situated near the head of the Moawhango and Tikerere Streams. Access is from Taihape Railway-station, which is about six miles distant, but usual access is obtained by a track through Run 3 adjoining. About 320 acres are in bush, balance tussock country. Well watered by permanent streams. Altitude, 3,200 ft. to 3,600 ft.

## ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF PASTORAL LICENSE.

1. Purchaser or applicant must be over twenty-one years of age.

2. One half-year's rent at rate offered, £1 ls. (license fee), valuation for improvements, and rent for the broken period from 28th October, 1924, to 28th February, 1925, and statutory declaration to be deposited by purchaser on the fall of the hammer. Rent commences from date of license.

3. No person may hold more than one run, except on the recommendation of the Land Board and with the approval of the Minister of Lands. If a husband holds a run his wife is deemed to be a runholder, and vice versa.

4. Improvements.—The lessee is required to effect improvements as follows:—

- Within one year from the date of his lease, to a value equal to one year's rent payable under the lease;
- Within two years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to two years' rent payable under the lease;
- Within six years from the date of his lease, to a value equal to four years' rent payable under the lease.

5. Rent is payable half-yearly, in advance, on 1st March and 1st September in each year. If not paid within thirty days of due date a penalty of 10 per cent. is added.

6. Term of license to be as stated herein, with contingent right of renewal over the whole or a subdivision of the run for a further term.

7. Licensee to prevent destruction or burning of timber; to prevent growth and spread of gorse, broom, sweetbrier, or other noxious weeds or plants; to keep down rabbits, and refrain from burning grass during such months as the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall from time to time determine.

8. No tussock or snow-grass is to be burned, save with the prior consent in writing of the Board, and subject to such conditions, restrictions, and directions as the Board may impose and give.

9. Roads may be taken without payment of compensation.

10. Licensee to have no right to the timber or flax on the land comprised in the license.

11. With the permission of the Land Board, the licensee may—

- Cultivate a portion of the run and grow winter feed thereon;
- Plough and sow in grass any area not exceeding 3,000 acres;
- Clear of bush or scrub any portion of the run and sow same in grass;
- Surface-sow in grass any portion of the run.

On expiry of license the value of licensee's improvements will be protected in accordance with the law.

12. License is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated. Full particulars may be obtained at this office on application.

Possession will be given immediately on approval of application.

THOS. BROOK,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROY CORRINGTON, of Paeroa, Cabinetmaker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

18th September, 1924.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LEONARD HARCOURT PEAT, of Pirongia, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 29th day of September, 1924, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

17th September, 1924.

V. H. SANSON,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WALTER SPARWORTH, of Napier, Furniture-dealer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 26th day of September, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

13th September, 1924.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRANK MARTIN QUIGLEY, of Hastings, Accountant, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Monday, the 29th day of September, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

16th September, 1924.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HENRY GREEN, of Ongaonga, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Waipawa, on Friday, the 3rd day of October, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

18th September, 1924.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PIPI MATENE, of Omahu, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Monday, the 6th day of October, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

19th September, 1924.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PERCY CHRISTEN GREAGER, of Raetihi, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Raetihi Courthouse, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Taihape, 12th September, 1924.

C. MASTERS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN GEORGE SWAN, of Wanganui, Indent Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Monday, the 29th day of September, 1924, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

16th September, 1924.

E. M. SILK,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of DAVID MOIR, of Hunterville, Builder, a bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second and final dividend of 6s. 5 $\frac{7}{16}$ d. in the pound (making in all 10s. 5 $\frac{7}{16}$ d.) is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui.

19th September, 1924.

E. M. SILK,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CYRIL ESAU, of Dannevirke, Farm Hand, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 30th day of September, 1924, at 10 o'clock a.m.

20th September, 1924.

A. J. C. RUNCIMAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE KING, of Upper Moutere, Orchardist, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 2nd day of October, 1924, at 3.30 o'clock p.m.

19th September, 1924.

W. ROUT,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT McEIHINNEY, of Fairfield, near Ashburton, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 23rd day of September, 1924, at 2 o'clock p.m.

28th August, 1924.

J. B. CHRISTIAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES ARTHUR HAY, of Timaru, painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Arcade, Timaru, on Monday, the 29th day of September, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

17th September, 1924.

F. A. RAYMOND,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JAMES FORSYTH MUIR, late of Palmerston, but now of Hampden, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Palmerston, on Friday, the 26th day of September, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m.

17th September, 1924.

E. W. CAVE,  
Official Assignee.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICE.**

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 27th October, 1924.

6904. ELIZA EDGE.—Middle portion of Taikawiwi Block, situated in Block XII, Purua Survey District, containing 33 acres 1 rood 33 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan H1668.

7279. JOSEPH THORNES and EDWARD HARKINS.—Part Allotment 63, Section 1, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 16.4 perches, fronting Parnell Rise and Marston Street, Parnell. Occupied by Joseph Gray, James Connell, and Mary McPherson. Plan 17865.

7293. CHARLES CECIL ROBERTS.—Lot 18 of Allotments 15 and 16, and Lot 27 of Allotments 20 and 21, Section 9 of Small Lots near the Village of Howick, containing

together 3 roods, fronting Marine Parade, Howick. Un-occupied. Plan 17925.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWERA, under memorandum of lease No. 12079 over Lot 27, plan 4119, being part of Section 37, Town of Hawera, and being also part of the land comprised in certificate of title Vol. 103 folio 80, of which ALEXANDER HAMILTON, of Hawera, Carpenter, is the registered Lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry as requested after the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth, this 17th day of September, 1924.

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

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWERA under memorandum of lease No. 12013 over Lot 9, plan No. 4119, being part of Section 37, Town of Hawera, and being also part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 103, folio 80, of which WILLIAM KNIGHT of Hawera, Bricklayer, is the registered Lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry as requested after the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at New Plymouth this 17th day of September, 1924.

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

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWERA under memorandum of lease No. 12071, over Lot 132, plan No. 4119, being part of Section 37 of the Town of Hawera, and being also part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 103, folio 80, of which JOHN HADDOW IRONSIDE, of Hawera, Chemist, is the registered Lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry as requested after the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth, this 17th day of September, 1924.

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

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWERA, under memorandum of lease No. 12037, over Lot 66, plan No. 4119, being part of Section 37 of the Town of Hawera, and being also part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 103, folio 80, of which HARRY MATTHEW LIVINGSTONE, of Hawera, Salesman, is the registered Lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry as requested after the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth, this 17th day of September, 1924.

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

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by THE MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWERA, under memorandum of lease No. 12032, over Lot 58, on plan No. 4119, being part of Section 37 of the Town of Hawera, and being also part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 103, folio 80, of which CHARLES JOSEPH SHANAHAN of Hawera, Auctioneer, is the registered Lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry as requested, after the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at New Plymouth, this 17th day of September, 1924.

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

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me to register a re-entry by the MAYOR, COUNCILLORS, AND BURGESSSES OF THE BOROUGH OF HAWERA, under memorandum of lease No. 12011, over Lot 1, plan No. 4119, being part of Section 37 of the Town of Hawera, and being also part of the land comprised in certificate of title, Vol. 103, folio 80, of which ARTHUR EDWARD TROUSON, of Hawera, Bookbinder, is the registered Lessee, I hereby give notice that I will register such re-entry as requested, after the expiration of one month from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at New Plymouth this 17th day of September, 1924.

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

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional memorandum of lease in the name of ARTHUR BENJAMIN HARRIS, of Raetihi, Farmer, for the land contained in the Native Land Court Subdivision, known as Raetihi 2B 3c No. 2, and being part of the land in certificate of title, Vol. 101, folio 98, and all the land in memorandum of lease No. 15869, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said memorandum of lease, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional memorandum of lease as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

**A** PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of MARY WILLISCROFT, Wife of FREDERICK WILLISCROFT, of Apati, Farmer, for 2 roods 9 perches, more or less, being Section 173, Township of Ashhurst, deposited plan No. 152, and being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 98, folio 158, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the provisional certificate of title as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 24th day of September, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

5475. NATHANIEL PATERSON.—27.1 perches. Parts of Sections 6 and 7, Block XXXV, Town of Dunedin. Occupied by applicant.

5494. WILLIAM BENSON POPE.—147 acres 3 roods 20 perches. Part Allotment 18a, plan No. 1996, Blackburn Estate, Waitahuna East District. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of September, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Dunedin.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month of the issue of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

13274. ROY FOLLET DRAYTON.—Part Rural Section 251, Block VII, Christchurch Survey District, Lot 8, deposit plan No. 1750, Winters Road. Occupied by James Brooker.

13275. CECIL GEORGE McKELLAR.—Part Town Section 703, part Lot 2, deposit plan No. 6905, Cathedral Square and Gloucester Street, City of Christchurch. Unoccupied.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1924, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.



## ADVERTISEMENTS.

## 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.  
Harrisons' Limited, 1916/14.

Given under my hand at Napier this 17th day of September, 1924.

W. JOHNSTON,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

J. S. Watchhorn and Company (Limited). 1909/41.  
Wise and Knight (Limited). 1908/3.

Dated at Wellington, this 19th day of September, 1924.

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

C. H. Davis and Company (Limited). 1916/72.  
Moa Building Development Company (Limited). 1916/65.  
Waitotara Navigation Company (Limited). 1907/93.

Dated at Wellington, this 22nd day of September, 1924.

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Morris Brothers Company (Limited). 1911/21.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of September, 1924.

W. H. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

## THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (5).

MILNER AND THOMPSON (LIMITED). 1907/30.

TAKE notice that the name of the above company, which was struck off the Register on the 23rd day of May, 1923, has been restored to the Register, pursuant to an Order of the Supreme Court made on the 6th day of September, 1924.

Given under my hand at Christchurch this 17th day of September, 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 be shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

Tiki Limited. 12/17.

Dated at Dunedin this 18th day of September, 1924.

L. G. TUCK,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

## THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266 subsection (4) of the above Act, that the undermentioned companies have been struck off the Register for the District of Southland, and the companies have been dissolved:—

1922/4. The Enzed Fire and Smoke Alarm Company (Limited).

1914/2. Marshall Limited.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at Invercargill this 12th day of September, 1924.

J. A. FRASER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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## 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. 6, Wellesley Street, in the City of Auckland. Dated this 9th day of September, 1924.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED).  
By its Attorney,  
E. P. YALDWYN.

Witness—P. B. Cooke, Solicitor, Wellington. 901

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of THE LEGAL INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED), a company intended to be registered as a foreign company under the above Act.

PURSUANT to section 302, subsection (a), notice is hereby given that the registered office of THE LEGAL INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED), a company incorporated in England under "The Companies Act, 1908," and carrying on business in England and Australia, and intending to carry on business in New Zealand, will be situate at the Royal Insurance Company (Limited) Buildings, Featherston Street, in the City of Wellington.

Dated at Wellington the 10th day of September, 1924.

LUKE AND KENNEDY,  
Solicitors to the above-named Company. 906

## COMPANIES ACT NOTICE.

THE UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY (LIMITED) hereby gives notice that its Attorney, Mr. A. J. Hyder, will carry on the fire, marine, and accident business of the AUSTRALIAN PROVINCIAL ASSURANCE ASSOCIATION (LIMITED) at No. 21 Brandon Street, Wellington, where all notices may be delivered and service of legal processes made. 915

## CHRISTCHURCH DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

The Christchurch District Drainage Amendment Act, 1920, the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, and their amendments.

HEREBY give notice that at a poll taken on the 27th day of August, 1924, on the proposal to include the Radley District within the Christchurch Drainage District under section 2 of the Christchurch District Drainage Amendment Act, 1920, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal, 80; against the proposal, 18.  
And I declare the proposal to be duly carried.

J. A. FLESHER, Mayor.  
Christchurch, 28th August, 1924. 938

AT an extraordinary meeting of the FEILDING BY-PRODUCTS COMPANY (LIMITED), held on the 18th September, 1924, the following resolution was passed:—

That it is proved to the satisfaction of the FEILDING BY-PRODUCTS COMPANY (LIMITED) that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same voluntarily; and that Mr. ALEXANDER JAMES GEARY, of Feilding, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator.

939 ALEX. J. GEARY, Liquidator.

## MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, CLAUDE ALEXANDER TAYLOR, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, University of New Zealand, 1924, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 20th October 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 Auckland.

CLAUDE ALEXANDER TAYLOR.  
Dated at Auckland, 19th September, 1924. 940

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary meeting of the shareholders of EDGAR FORREST ADVERTISING (LIMITED), held on the 11th September, 1924, the following resolution was passed:—

"That, as the company is unable to meet its obligations, the company shall go into voluntary liquidation forthwith, and that D. A. TAYLOR be appointed Liquidator."

D. A. TAYLOR, Liquidator.  
Care of P.O. Box 32, Auckland. 941

In the matter of the Partnership Act, 1908; and in the matter of JANES AND COMPANY, Special Partnership, constituted under Part II of the said Act.

WE, the undersigned, pursuant to section 54 of the above Act, certify as follows:—

(a.) The style of the firm under which the Partnership is to be conducted: JANES AND COMPANY.

(b.) Names and places of residence of partners:—  
General Partners—

GEORGE JANES, 168 Riddiford Street.  
WALTER HENRY GEORGE JANES, Lyall Bay.  
HERBERT WILLIAM JANES, 12 Somerset Avenue.  
Special Partners—

STANLEY JANES, Washington Avenue, Brooklyn.  
SIDNEY JANES, 168 Riddiford Street.

(c.) Amount of capital contributed by special partners: Stanley Janes, ten pounds (£10); Sidney Janes, five pounds (£5).

Amount of capital contributed by general partners: Four thousand one hundred and ten pounds (£4,110).

(d.) Nature of business to be transacted: Furniture Manufacturers and Dealers.

(e.) Principal place of business: Numbers 172 and 174 Riddiford Street, Wellington.

(f.) Date of commencement of Partnership: 31st August, 1924.

(g.) Date of determination of Partnership: 31st day of August, 1929.

GEORGE JANES.  
W. H. G. JANES.  
H. W. JANES.  
S. JANES.  
S. JANES.

Acknowledged by the above-named George Janes, Walter Henry George Janes, Herbert William Janes, Stanley Janes, and Sidney Janes this seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, in the presence of—me—A. R. Hornblow, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Dominion of New Zealand. 942

#### N.Z. MERCHANTS LIMITED.

##### IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given in pursuance of sections 230 and 252 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the members of the above company will be held at Accountants' Chambers, 39 Johnston Street, Wellington, on the 15th day of October, 1924, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the Company disposed of and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators and also of determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which books, accounts, and documents of the Company and of the Liquidators thereof shall be disposed of.

Dated 24th September, 1924.

W. L. JENNESS, } Liquidators.  
J. F. O'SULLIVAN, }

Office address: 40 Cambridge Terrace, Wellington.  
Postal Address: G.P.O. Box 1234. 943

#### TARANAKI OIL FIELDS LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named company, being a company incorporated in the State of Victoria, proposes to commence business in the Provincial District of Taranaki, in the Dominion of New Zealand, and that the office or place of business of the said company in New Zealand where legal process of any kind may be served upon it is situated at the New Zealand Government State Fire Insurance Office in Egmont Street, in the Borough of New Plymouth.

Dated at New Plymouth this 18th day of September, 1924.

A. H. P. MOLINE,  
Attorney for the Company.

Govett, Quilliam, and Hutchen, Solicitors,  
New Plymouth. 944

#### PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between HENRY WEIR and ARTHUR JOHN WEIR, carrying on business at Mangapapa, near Gisborne, as Butchers, under the style or firm of "Weir and Son," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts

owing by the late firm should be rendered to the said HENRY WEIR, to whom all amounts owing to the said firm are payable.

Dated this 15th day of September, 1924.

HENRY WEIR,  
ARTHUR J. WEIR.

Witness to both signatures—J. S. Wauchop, Solicitor,  
Gisborne. 945

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that NORMAN L. BURNELL AND COMPANY PROPRIETARY (LIMITED), a company incorporated in Victoria, Australia, proposes to carry on business in New Zealand, and that the office or place of business of the company is situate at Smith's Buildings, Albert Street, Auckland.

J. H. GALE,  
Attorney for Company.

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#### THE WELLINGTON MEAT EXCHANGE (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the shareholders of the above-named company on the 13th day of September, 1924, passed the following resolution:—

"That it having been proved to the satisfaction of the company and its creditors that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up same, it is hereby resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that the Official Assignee be hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of September, 1924.

E. H. KIDD,  
Managing Director.

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ERICA BRUCE GREEN, of Onehunga, Nurse, heretofore known and called by the name of "Erica Green," hereby give public notice that by deep poll duly executed and enrolled in the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Auckland on the 16th day of September, 1924, under number 2828, I have formally and absolutely declared that I have assumed and adopted and intend henceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of "ERICA BRUCE GREEN," instead of "Erica Green," so as to be at all times called and described by the said name of "ERICA BRUCE GREEN."

ERICA BRUCE GREEN  
(Lately called ERICA GREEN).

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between ALFRED MITCHELL, GEORGE FREDERICK GEORGE, GEORGE COOK, and JESSIE COOK, carrying on business as Sawmillers at Koeke, under the style of "Mitchell and Cook," has been dissolved as from the 1st day of August, 1924. All debts due to and owing by the late firm will be received and paid respectively by KOEKE SAWMILLS LIMITED, Mataroa.

Dated the 17th day of September, 1924.

ALFRED MITCHELL.  
G. F. GEORGE.  
GEORGE COOK.  
JESSIE COOK.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of THOLO LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was on the eighteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, presented to Mr. Justice Stringer, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by R. M. AITKEN AND SON, a creditor of the said company. And the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court, at Auckland, on the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon; and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

RAY AND OLIPHANT,  
Solicitors for the Petitioner.

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THE AURORA TRADING COMPANY (LIMITED).  
IN LIQUIDATION.  
Final Meeting.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of shareholders of the above company will be held at 34 Customhouse Quay, Wellington, on Monday, 6th October, 1924, at 10 a.m.

Business: Adoption of Liquidator's final statement of account *re* winding-up of the company.

R. S. McINNES, Liquidator.

Wellington, 19th September, 1924. 951

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JAMES ALBERT JOSEPH RUDOLPH and JOHN EUGENE JOSEPH COUGHLAN, carrying on business as Monumental Masons at Invercargill, under the style or firm of "Rudolph and Coughlan," has been dissolved as from the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

All amounts owing to the late Partnership will be received by the said JAMES ALBERT JOSEPH RUDOLPH, and all debts owing by the late Partnership will be paid and discharged by the said JAMES ALBERT JOSEPH RUDOLPH.

Dated the 19th day of September, 1924.

J. A. J. RUDOLPH.  
J. E. J. COUGHLAN.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between BERNARD VOLCKMAN and EDWIN THEOPHILUS JESSE ICK-HEWINS, at Leeston, as Surgeons and Medical Practitioners, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 1st day of September, 1924.

BERNARD VOLCKMAN.  
THEO. J. ICK-HEWINS.

Witness to the signatures of Bernard Volckman and Edwin Theophilus Jesse Ick-Hewins—J. D. Freeman, Law Clerk, Christchurch. 953

NORTHLAND NEWSPAPER COMPANY (LIMITED).

THE following extraordinary resolution was passed at the annual general meeting of the Northland Newspaper Company (Limited), held at the company's registered office, Kaitaia, on the 9th day of September, 1924:

"That it is apparent that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, profitably continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the company."

WILLIAM HAROLD ATKINS, Public Accountant, of Kaitaia, was appointed Liquidator.

W. H. ATKINS, Secretary.

9th September, 1924. 954

SUMNER BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE AS SECURITY FOR A SPECIAL LOAN OF £13,000 FOR SEWAGE-WORK IN THE REDCLIFFS SPECIAL SEWAGE AREA.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £13,000 authorized to be raised by the Sumner Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of installing sewage-works and for the purchase and erection of all plant, material, and things incidental thereto, in the Redcliffs Sewage Special-rating Area, in the Borough of Sumner, the said Sumner Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of threepence (3d.) in the £1 upon the rateable value (being the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Redcliffs Sewage Special-rating Area, and being all that parcel of land situated in the Borough of Sumner, being the whole of the land contained in Rural Sections 261, 309, and 410, together with parts of Rural Sections 158, 262, 418, 10323, 18430, and 24077, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at a point on the boundary of the Estuary of the Rivers Heathcote and Avon, such point being the junction of the Causeway Road with the north-eastern side of the Christchurch-Sumner Road; thence following the boundary

of the said estuary in an easterly and southerly direction to the northernmost corner of Lot 62, D.P. 1178; thence following the eastern boundaries of Lots 62 to 96, D.P. 1178, to the Christchurch-Sumner Road; thence southerly along the northern side of the said road to D.P. 4704; thence northerly, easterly, and southerly around the said D.P. to the Christchurch-Sumner Road; thence easterly along the boundary of the estuary to a point in line with the eastern boundary of Lot 90, D.P. 1980; thence southerly crossing the Christchurch-Sumner Road, and proceeding along the eastern boundary of Lot 90, D.P. 1980, to Alexandra Terrace; thence by a right line crossing Alexandra Terrace to the north-east corner of Lot 69, D.P. 1980, and proceeding southerly along the eastern boundaries of Lots 69 and 57, D.P. 1980, to Victoria Terrace; thence by a right line across the said terrace to the north-east corner of Lot 47, D.P. 1980; thence proceeding in a southerly and westerly direction along the eastern and southern boundary of the said section to the north-east corner of Lot 23, D.P. 2622; thence southerly along the eastern boundary of the said section to its junction with a public road; thence by a right line in a south-westerly direction to the north-west corner of Lot 8, D.P. 2827, and continuing the right line to the easternmost corner of Lot 5, D.P. 2535; thence south-westerly by the south-east boundary of Lots 5 and 4, D.P. 2535, to the southernmost corner of Lot 4, D.P. 2535; thence by a right line in a westerly direction to the southernmost corner of Rural Section 18430; thence north-westerly along the south-west boundary of the said section to Lot 8, D.P. 5620 (Morten Settlement); thence north-easterly a distance of 720 links along the north-west boundary of Lot 48, D.P. 3416; then by a right line (crossing the public road) to the southernmost corner of Rural Section 261; thence north-west and north-east along the south-west and north-west boundaries of Rural Section 261 to the southernmost corner of Rural Section 262; thence north-westerly along the south-west boundary of Rural Section 262 to the southernmost corner of Lot 6, D.P. 1228; thence following along the north-eastern boundary of Lot 6, D.P. 1228, to the westernmost corner of Lot 1, D.P. 3234; thence north-easterly following the line along the north-west boundary of Lot 1, D.P. 3234, and crossing a portion of same by a right line to the westernmost corner of Lot 2, D.P. 3234, continuing along its north-west boundary to the Christchurch-Sumner Road; thence crossing the said road by a right line to the commencing-point: and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated this 8th day of September, 1924.

955 W. H. NICHOLSON, Mayor.

TAURANGA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Tauranga Borough Abattoirs Loan of £6,000, 1924, authorized to be raised by the Tauranga Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of building abattoirs and purchase of land for same, the said Tauranga Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-third (⅓) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Borough of Tauranga; 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, being a period of thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

956 B. DIVE, Mayor.  
R. B. SHEARMAN, Town Clerk.

CODY AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of members of the above-named company will be held at the office of the Liquidator, No. 87, The Terrace, Wellington, on Monday, the 13th day of October, 1924, at 9.30 a.m., for the purpose of having an account placed before them showing the manner

in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanations that may be given by the Liquidator.

Dated at Wellington, this 23rd day of September, 1924.

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J. L. GRIFFIN, Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between FREDERICK ERNEST SUTTON and DANIEL REESE, carrying on business as Shipping and General Customs Agents, at Lyttelton, under the style or firm of "F. E. Sutton and Company," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of March, 1924, from which date all debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said FREDERICK ERNEST SUTTON, who will continue to carry on the said business under the style or firm of "F. E. SUTTON AND COMPANY."

Dated the 22nd day of September, 1924.

F. E. SUTTON.  
DANIEL REESE.

Witness to both signatures—R. B. Ward, Solicitor, Christchurch. 958

NOTICE OF REGISTERED OFFICE.

FASSETT AND JOHNSON (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the office or place of business in New Zealand of FASSETT AND JOHNSON (LIMITED) at which notices may be delivered or legal process served is situate at the N.Z. Express Company's Buildings, Custom-house Quay, Wellington.

Dated this 23rd day of September, 1924.

WILLIAM A. PATTERSON,  
Attorney.

Bell, Gully, Mackenzie, and O'Leary, Solicitors. 959

DANNEVIRKE-HERBERTVILLE COACHING AND CARRYING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

THE final meeting of members of the above company will be held at my office, Ward Street, Dannevirke, on Friday, 3rd October, 1924, at 10 a.m., to receive Liquidator's statement of accounts.

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A. J. C. RUNCIMAN, Liquidator.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments; and in the matter of FOLEY BROTHERS (LONDON), LIMITED, a company incorporated in England under "The Companies Acts, 1908 and 1913," and whose registered office is situate at 39-43 Tooley Street, London S.E. 1, in England, and intending to carry on business in New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above company proposes to commence and carry on business in New Zealand. The offices and places of business in New Zealand where legal process and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered are at the Dominion Farmers' Institute Buildings, Featherston Street, Wellington, and 32 Quay Street, Auckland.

Dated at Wellington this 19th day of September, 1924.

FOLEY BROTHERS (LONDON), LIMITED.

By its Attorney,

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