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ERRATUM.—In the Proclamation dated the 2nd day of February, 1925, allocating land reserved and taken for a railway to the purposes of a street in City of Wellington, near Kaiwarra, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 11, of 12th February, 1925, page 513, for “1 acre 3 roods 37·1 perches” read “1 acre 1 rood 37·1 perches.”

Plantation Reserves set aside as a Permanent State Forest.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

BY virtue and in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section eighteen of the Forests Act, 1921-22, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby set apart the plantation reserves described in the Schedule hereto as a permanent State forest.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—CANTERBURY-OTAGO FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

State Forest No. 75 (Greenvale Plantation).

ALL that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 1,773 acres 3 roods 31 perches, more or less, being Run 212G, and Section 3, Block XVII, Greenvale Survey District. Bounded towards the east and south-east generally by a public road, 955·1, 340, and 449·3 links; Sections 13 and 14, Block IX, and Sections 20 and 19, Block V, 16661·2 links; towards the south by Section 12, Block XIII, 6520·2 links; towards the west by a stock-driving road and fire-break reserve, 578·3, 1757·7, 515, 250, 367·6, 1088·2, 6332·8, and 103 links; towards the north-west by Run 212F, 10273·7 links; towards the north-east by Section 6, Block XVII, 1172·5 links, and a public road, 181·1, 1660, 419·7, 567·7, 221·2, 525·1, 370·3, 705·1, 420·5, 525·1, 117·7, and 680·7 links; and towards the north by Section 2, Block XVII, 5981·7 links, to the point of commencement: be all the aforementioned link-

ages more or less: and excluding from the above-described boundaries a public road 100 links wide, a deduction for which has been made from the area.

Also all that area in the Otago Land District, containing by admeasurement 3,395 acres 1 rood 10 perches, more or less, being Runs 212E and 212F, Greenvale Survey District. Bounded towards the south by Sections 13 and 14, Block XIII, Greenvale Survey District, 10402 links; across a road, 100 links; and by Section 15, Block XIII aforesaid, 3793·1 links; thence towards the west generally by the Pomahaka River Reserve, 21125·6 links; across a road, 186·2 links; and again by the Pomahaka River Reserve, 2631·8 links; thence towards the north generally by Sections 7 and 6, Block XIV, 4345·4 links; across a road, 137 links; by the said road, 16888·8 links; and by Section 1, Block XV, 1472·6 links; thence towards the north-east by a road, 522·9 links; thence towards the south-east by Section 11, Block XV, 4130·4 links; thence towards the north-east by Section 11, Block XV, and Section 6, Block XVII, 3243·5 links; across a road, 154 links; and again by the said Section 6, 736 links; thence towards the south-east by Run 212G, 10273·7 links; and by a fire-break and road reserve, 205 links; thence towards the east generally by the said fire-break and road reserve, 10863 links, to Section 13, Block XIII aforesaid: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. Save and except from the above all intersecting roads, allowance for which has been made in the area.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked 204/2, deposited in the Head Office of the State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Commissioner of State Forests

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Lands set apart as Permanent State Forest.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

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

State Forest, Part No. 7.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 32 acres, more or less, being Section 2, Block VII, Waoku Survey District: as the same is more particularly delineated on plan marked 7/6, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

R. HEATON RHODES,
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Approved in Council.

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SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.—CANTERBURY-OTAGO FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

Part State Forest No. 2, Hamner Plantation.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District, containing by admeasurement 4,500 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 4111, formerly part of Pastoral Run No. 17, situated in Blocks XIV and XV, Percival, and Blocks II, III, and VII, Lyndon Survey Districts, and bounded as follows: Towards the north by other part of pastoral Run No. 17, a total distance of 24693.1 links; towards the east by Boundary Stream to its junction with the Hanmer River; towards the south by a River-bank Reserve along the Hanmer River; and towards the west generally by Reserve 4106 and the Percival River on the eastern boundary of Reserve 3944; again towards the south by Reserves 3944 and 3943; and again towards the west by a public road: save and except therefrom a road reserve at the south-east corner of the above-described area.

Also all that area containing by admeasurement 400 acres, more or less, being Reserve No. 4106, formerly part of Pastoral Run No. 17, situated in Blocks II, III, VI, and VII, Lyndon Survey District, and bounded generally as follows: Towards the north by the Percival River; towards the north-east by Reserve 4111; towards the south generally by a river-bank reserve along the Hanmer River; and towards the south-west by Reserve 4072 (part State forest No. 2, *New Zealand Gazette*, 1924, page 1361).

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked 129/8, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Commissioner of State Forests.

Approved in Council.

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

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SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—ROTORUA FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

State Forest No. 14.

ALL that area of Crown land in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 854 acres, more or less, being Mangatotara No. 1c Block, situated in Block II, Opoutihi Survey District. Bounded towards the north-east generally by the Ngaumuwhine Stream; towards the south-east and south-west by Provisional State Forest No. 9 (*Gazette* No. 65, 8th February, 1920, page 2107), 4240 and 12193.9 links respectively; towards the north-west generally by the Mangatotara No. 1A Block, 3501.7 links, and the Ngaumuwhine Stream aforesaid. As the same is delineated on the plan marked 29/1, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

R. HEATON RHODES,
Commissioner of State Forests.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 6, Block X, Tauranga Survey District: Area, 39.8 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 18th day of February, 1925

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 20, Te Rapa Parish: Area, 2 acres 0 roods 15 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 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Crown Land set apart for Selection by Discharged Soldiers under Ordinary Tenures in the Auckland Land District.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance of the power and authority conferred upon me by section three of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the area of Crown land described in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby set apart for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 7, Block IX, Tatu Survey District: Area, 99 acres 3 roods 10 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 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

*Teviot Survey District.*SECTION 27, Block VII: Area, 147 acres 2 roods.
" 28 " VII " 96 acres 2 roods.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Crown Lands in the Karamea and Westland Mining Districts, Nelson Land District, open for Disposal on Renewable Lease.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fifty-four of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that the Governor-General, by Proclamation, may from time to time declare any Crown lands within any mining district not held under lease or license, or for which a lease or license has been cancelled, to be open for disposal as provided in section one hundred and fifty-three of the said Act:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authority conferred upon me by section

one hundred and fifty-four of the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open on Wednesday, the 15th day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, for disposal on renewable lease, as provided in section one hundred and fifty-three of the said Act; and I do also declare that, for the purposes of section one hundred and thirty-three of the said Act, the lands described in the said Schedule hereto shall be deemed to be "heavy bush land."

And I do hereby provide that, after the first half-year's rent has been paid by the selector, the further instalments of rent payable by him for a period of four years shall not be demanded; provided that if at any time during the first five years of his occupancy the selector disposes of his interest in the land the rent so conceded shall be paid by him in full, and thereupon the Land Board may remit such instalments of rent payable by the incoming tenant, not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of rent previously conceded to the selector, as the Board thinks fit.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

CROWN LAND.

(Exempt from rent for four years.)

Murchison County.—Matakitaki Survey District.—Westland Mining District.

SECTIONS 8, 9, 12, and 13, Block VI: Area, 1,225 acres. Capital value, £550. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £11.

Situated on the saddle between Maruia and Matakitaki Valleys. About twenty-four miles from Murchison and six miles from a school by metalled road. One mile from telephone-office. About 50 acres has been burnt and sown, but is now in fern, while a further area has been burnt and is now in fern and self-sown grass. Balance of sections in standing bush of mixed birch. Soil of good quality on low land, fair to poor on remainder, resting on sandstone conglomerate formation. Well watered. Altitude, 1,200 ft. to 3,000 ft. above sea-level. Sixty chains of fencing.

NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

(Exempt from rent for four years.)

Buller County.—Oparara Survey District.—Karamea Mining District.

Section 5, Block X: Area, 778 acres. Capital value, £390. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £7 16s.

Situated in Baker's Creek, about three miles and a quarter from dairy factory and four miles and a half from Karamea by three miles metalled road, balance pack-track. Small flats along creek, balance easy hilly country. All bush clad with heavy birch and rimu. Section lies badly to the sun. Soil fair to poor, resting on papa formation. Well watered. Altitude, 100 ft. to 900 ft. above sea-level.

Buller County.—Brighton Survey District.—Karamea Mining District.

Section 12, Block V: Area, 287 acres. Capital value, £220. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £4 8s.

Front portions of this section are a series of small ridges and gullies, broken and steep, with limestone cliff with a few chains of gently sloping land underneath bluffs. Back portion on top of high cliff is broken and rough. Access by pack-track either to Charleston on the north or to Punakaika River on the south, thence by dray-road to Greymouth. Tiromoana Post-office is three miles and a half distant. Section is well watered.

Murchison County.—Maruia Survey District.—Westland Mining District.

Part 1 of Section 3, Block XV: Area, 323 acres 2 roods. Capital value, £195. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £3 18s.

Situated in the Maruia Valley twenty-two miles from Murchison Dairy Factory. Two miles and a half from household school and opposite telephone-office. Access by metalled road for twenty miles, two miles unmetalled, thence across Maruia River. There is also a road on the western bank of the river which gives direct access to this section. About 55 acres of flat and terrace land, balance hillside. About 15 acres has been felled and grassed, balance medium birch bush. Soil of good quality on flats, fair on hillside. Well watered. Altitude, 1,000 ft. to 1,900 ft. above sea-level.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Crown Lands in Karamaea and Westland Mining Districts, Nelson Land District, open for Disposal on Renewable Lease.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and fifty-four of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that the Governor-General, by Proclamation, may from time to time declare any Crown lands within any mining district not held under lease or license, or for which a lease or license has been cancelled, to be open for disposal as provided in section one hundred and fifty-three of the said Act :

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the one hundred and fifty-fourth section of the said Act, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, for disposal as provided in section one hundred and fifty-three of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Inangahua County.—Mauheraiti Survey District.—Westland Mining District.

SECTIONS 54, Block XI, and 13, Block XVI : Area, 977 acres. Capital value, £365. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, £7 6s.

Situated in the Grey Valley, adjacent to the Reefton-Greymouth Railway. Three miles from Ikamatua Railway-station or two miles from Hukarere, and two miles from a school. Access from Ikamatua by two miles metalled road and one mile of track. Mostly flat terrace land. About 350 acres in birch bush, while the remainder is burnt bush, with fern and a little grass. Soil of a fair clayey nature on granite and sandstone. Well watered. Altitude, 1,100 ft. above sea-level.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Buller County.—Kongahu Survey District.—Karamaea Mining District.

Section 2, Block V : Area, 792 acres. Capital value, £435. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, £8 14s.

Weighted with £300, valuation for improvements, in favour of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Account, which sum may be paid in cash or by deferred payments. Deposit required on deferred payments, £25, balance of £275 to be secured by instalment mortgage extending over a period not exceeding thirty-six years and a half, and bearing interest at 5 per cent. in the case of a discharged soldier, and 5½ per cent. in every other case.

Improvements.—The improvements consist of three-roomed dwelling, new milking-shed, and separator-house, two old sheds, cow-yards, &c., sixty-five acres of bush land felled and grassed, half-acre in orchard, subdivided into three small paddocks.

Situated one mile from Corbyvale School and Post-office and fourteen miles from Mokihinui or Seddonville, twelve miles from railway. With exception of felled area, the section is all in bush. Well watered. General quality poor.

THIRD-CLASS LAND.—CROWN LAND.

Collingwood County.—Aorere Survey District.—Karamaea Mining District.

Section 17, Block IV : Area, 74 acres 3 roods. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease : Half-yearly rent, 8s.

Situated on the banks of the Parapara River. Access from Collingwood three miles and a half distant. About 1½ acres of flat, balance being broken country; about 35 acres bush, balance fern and scrub, &c. Soil of poor quality on granite formation. Well watered. Altitude, 30 ft. to 150 ft. above sea-level.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Land in Auckland Land District proclaimed as ceasing to be set apart as National-endowment Land.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation approved in Executive Council, declare that any national-endowment land within the Hauraki Mining District held under a renewable lease issued under the Land Act, 1924, or any former Land Act, or held under a license issued under regulations made under the Land Act, 1892, or the corresponding regulations made under the Land Act, 1908, or the Land Act, 1924, for the occupation of pastoral lands within the said mining district, shall cease to be national-endowment land :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, which is held under a renewable lease as aforesaid, should cease to be national-endowment land :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authorities so conferred upon me by the aforesaid section three hundred and two, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof the land described in the Schedule hereto, which was set apart as national-endowment land under the provisions of section two hundred and fifty-eight of the Land Act, 1908, shall cease to be national-endowment land.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.—HAURAKI MINING DISTRICT.

SECTION 7, Block III : Aroha Survey District : Area, 161 acres 3 roods.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING !

Land in Auckland Land District proclaimed as ceasing to be set apart as National-endowment Land.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation approved in Executive Council, declare that any national-endowment land within the Hauraki Mining District held under a renewable lease issued under the Land Act, 1924, or any former Land Act, or held under a license issued under regulations made under the Land Act, 1892, or the corresponding regulations made under the Land Act, 1908, or the Land Act, 1924, for the occupation of pastoral lands within the said mining district, shall cease to be national-endowment land :

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, which is held under a renewable lease as aforesaid, should cease to be national-endowment land.

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authorities so conferred upon me by the aforesaid section three hundred and two, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof the land described in the Schedule hereto, which was set apart as national-endowment land under the provisions of section two hundred and fifty-eight of the Land Act, 1908, shall cease to be national-endowment land.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.—
HAURAKI MINING DISTRICT.

SECTION 12, Block IV, Aroha Survey District: Area, 98 acres 2 roods 1 perch.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Auckland Land District proclaimed as ceasing to be set apart as National-endowment Land.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation approved in Executive Council, declare that any national-endowment land within the Hauraki Mining District held under a renewable lease issued under the Land Act, 1924, or any former Land Act, or held under a license issued under regulations made under the Land Act, 1892, or the corresponding regulations made under the Land Act, 1908, or the Land Act, 1924, for the occupation of pastoral lands within the said mining district, shall cease to be national-endowment land:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, which is held under a renewable lease as aforesaid, should cease to be national-endowment land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so conferred upon me by the aforesaid section three hundred and two, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof the land described in the Schedule hereto, which was set apart as national-endowment land under the provisions of section two hundred and fifty-eight of the Land Act, 1908, shall cease to be national-endowment land.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.—
HAURAKI MINING DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 35, 36, 37, 38, and part 39, Block IX, Patetere North Survey District: Area, 224 acres 0 roods 15·3 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion this 23rd day of February 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in Auckland Land District proclaimed as ceasing to be National-endowment Land.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation approved in Executive Council, declare that any national-endowment land within the Hauraki Mining District held under a renewable lease issued under the Land Act, 1924, or any former Land Act, or held under a license issued under regulations made under the Land Act, 1892, or the corresponding regulations made under the Land Act, 1908, or the Land Act, 1924, for the occupation of pastoral lands within the said mining district, shall cease to be national-endowment land:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto, which is held under regulations for the occupation of pastoral lands in the Hauraki

Mining District as aforesaid, should cease to be national-endowment land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so conferred upon me by the aforesaid section, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the twenty-seventh day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, the land described in the Schedule hereto, which was set apart as national-endowment land under the provision of section two hundred and fifty-eight of the Land Act, 1908, shall cease to be national-endowment land.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.—
HAURAKI MINING DISTRICT.

SECTION 6, Block I, Colville Survey District: Area, 680 acres.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as ceasing to be set apart as National-endowment Land.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that the Governor-General may, by Proclamation approved in Executive Council, declare that any national-endowment land held as a small grazing-run under a lease issued pursuant to the Land Act, 1892, or issued before the passing of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1918, pursuant to the Land Act, 1908, shall cease to be national-endowment land:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto which is held as a small grazing-run as aforesaid should cease to be national-endowment land:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so conferred upon me by the aforesaid section three hundred and two, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date hereof the land described in the Schedule hereto, which was set apart as national-endowment land under the provisions of section two hundred and fifty-eight of the Land Act, 1908, shall cease to be national-endowment land.

SCHEDULE.

GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.

LOT 1, Small Grazing-run 27, Hangaroa Survey District: Area, 1,973 acres.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land at Mauku taken for the Purpose of the Waiuku Branch of the North Island Main Trunk Railway.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Waiuku Branch of the North Island Main Trunk Railway to take further land at Mauku, in addition to land previously acquired for the purposes of the said railway:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by sections twenty-nine and one hundred and eighty-eight of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes above mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the pieces of land : 19.9 perches. Portion of Allotment 10, Puni Parish, Block XIII, Drury Survey District, Franklin County. (S.O. 23153, blue.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 35264, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 16th day of February, 1925.

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of Streets in Johnsonville Town District, at Johnsonville.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Wellington-Foxton Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of streets:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become streets, and that the said streets shall be under the control of the Johnsonville Town Board, and shall be maintained by the said Board in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Board.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land : 2 roods 26.7 perches, 3 roods 30.5 perches, 13.96 perches, and 3.59 perches. Portions of railway reserve (Sections 11, 12, and 14, Porirua), Blocks XI and XII, Belmont Survey District, Johnsonville Town District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked W.R. 28792 and 35271, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured green and blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 16th day of February, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of Streets in the City of Wellington, at Te Aro.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto forms part of land taken for the purposes of the Te Aro Branch of the Wellington-Napier Railway, and it is considered desirable to allocate such land to the purposes of streets:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by section one hundred and ninety-seven of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the

Schedule hereto shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become streets, and that the said streets shall be under the control of the Wellington City Council, and shall be maintained by the said Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land : 2 roods 36.5 perches. Portion of railway reserve, Te Aro, City of Wellington.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 35287, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 16th day of February, 1925.

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land in the Borough of Stratford set apart for the Purposes of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is Crown land, and is required to be set apart for the purposes of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway:

And whereas by section twenty-one of the Public Works Act, 1908, and section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1923, it is enacted that whenever any Crown land, public reserve, or public domain is required to be set apart for any public work the Governor-General may at any time, by Proclamation, set the same apart for such public work without complying with any of the provisions of that Act in respect of the taking or setting-apart of other lands for such purpose:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, 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 that behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for the purposes of the Foxton-New Plymouth Railway at Stratford; and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land : 1 rood 0.8 perch. Being Section 691, Stratford (police reserve), Borough of Stratford. (S.O. 6303, red.)

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 34968, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
For Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Reciprocal Application of Administration of Justice Act, 1922, to Basutoland, Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section three of the Administration of Justice Act, 1922, it is enacted, among other things, that where the Governor-General is satisfied that reciprocal provisions have been made by the Legislature of any part of His Majesty's Dominions outside New Zealand, other than the United Kingdom, for the enforcement within that part of His Majesty's Dominions of judgments obtained in the Supreme Court in New Zealand, the Governor-General may by Proclamation declare that Part I of the said Act shall apply with respect to that part of His Majesty's Dominions:

And whereas the Governor-General is satisfied that His Royal Highness the High Commissioner for South Africa has, by Proclamations numbered 2, 3, and 4 respectively, promulgated twenty-seventh January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, made such reciprocal provisions with respect to the Territories of Basutoland, Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section three of the Administration of Justice Act, 1922, do hereby declare that Part I of the said Act shall apply with respect to the Territories of Basutoland, Bechuanaland Protectorate, and Swaziland.

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 February, 1925.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Defining the Middle Line of a Road in Block X, Tokatoka Survey District—viz., a Deviation of the Dargaville—Maungaturoto Main Highway.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1923, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the middle-line of the road desired to be constructed through Block X, Tokatoka Survey District—viz., a deviation of the Dargaville—Maungaturoto Main Highway, shall be that defined and set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

COMMENCING at a point on the Dargaville—Maungaturoto Road along the Wairoa River on the western boundary of Lot 4, Tokatoka Parish, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction and passing in, into, through, or over part of the said Lot 4 to a point on the said road on the western boundary of the said Lot 4, being a distance of 6.2 chains, more or less; again from a point on the said road on the western boundary of Lot 4, Tokatoka Parish, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly direction and passing in, into, through, or over part of the said Lot 4 to a point on the said road near the south-western corner of the said Lot 4, being a distance of 5.8 chains, more or less; again from a point on the said road near the north-western corner of Lot 5, Tokatoka Parish, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction and passing in, into, through, or over the said Lot 5 and Sections 1 and 2 of Lot 7, Tokatoka Parish, and terminating at a point on the said road near the south-eastern corner of the said Section 2 of Lot 7, Tokatoka Parish, being a distance of 56.4 chains, more or less: including all adjoining and intervening places, lands, reserves, roads, tracks, lakes, rivers, streams, and water-courses.

Situated in Block X, Tokatoka Survey District.

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61701, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of February, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Street in the Borough of Otaki.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, 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, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, 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

street, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Otaki, as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the ninth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE AREAS of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being
0	0	30	Part of Titikura Block; coloured green.
0	0	36.5	Part of Moutere Hanganoaiho 2B; coloured red.

Situated in Block IX, Waitohu Survey District, Borough of Otaki. (S.O. 1459.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61791, 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 21st day of February, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Lands reserved under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Scenery Preservation Board, constituted pursuant to the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), has recommended that the lands described in the Schedule hereto should be permanently reserved for scenic purposes, and it is expedient to give effect to such recommendation:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, do hereby proclaim and declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be scenic reserves under the said Act, and subject to the provisions thereof.

SCHEDULE.

MARAKOPA FALLS SCENIC RESERVES.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 37 acres 2 roods, more or less, being part of Section 4, situate in Block X, Kawhia South Survey District. Commencing at the most westerly point of part Section 4 aforesaid, thence in a north-easterly direction generally along a public road to its junction with the road along the Marakopa River; thence in a south-westerly direction along the said road to the eastern boundary of Lot 2 of part Section 4, Block X aforesaid; thence by the eastern and northern boundary of said Lot 2 to its junction with a public road, the place of commencement: as the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 159A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink. (Auckland plans Nos. 16707 and 23280, blue.)

Also all that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 25 acres 0 roods 2 perches, more or less, being part of Section 4, Block X, Kawhia South Survey District. Bounded by a line commencing at a point on the north-western side of the road running along the north-western side of the Marakopa River, distant 718.5 links south-westerly from the point where the boundary between Sections Nos. 3 and 4 meets the said road; thence south-westerly along the north-western side of the said road, 1598.1 links; thence bearing 235° 27', distance 244.2 links; bearing 288° 59', distance 581.4 links; bearing 320° 43', distance 338.05 links; bearing 294° 4' 30", distance 278.5 links; bearing 0° 30', distance 321.2 links; bearing 49° 23', distance 594.4 links; bearing 50° 45', distance 682.1 links; bearing 84° 34', distance 1061.7 links; and bearing 161° 39', distance 459.3 links, to the place of commencement: be all the aforesaid bearings and linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 159/41, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red. (Auckland plan No. 16778, blue.)

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in the Otahuhu Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road :
2 roods 28 perches.
Portion of Lots 36 and 37 of Section 2 E.R., Village of Panmure, Block II, Otahuhu Survey District.

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/814, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2097, 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 24th day of February, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
For Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road in Blocks IX, X, and XIII,
Maungaru Survey District, Hobson County.*

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in the Maungaru Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
13	2	24	Hoanga Block, Blocks IX, X, and XIII.
0	0	3.6	„ Block XIII.

Situated in Maungaru Survey District (Auckland R.D.) (S.O. 21383.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55936, 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 21st day of February, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Block X, Christchurch Survey District, Waimairi County.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in the Christchurch Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road :
1 rood 10.2 perches.
Being portion of Section 938 (marked Lot 1 on plan), situated in Block X, Christchurch Survey District (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 852/392.)

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61106, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of February, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Blocks III and VI, Kaiteriteri Survey District, Riwaka Road District.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section twelve of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as a road the land in Kaiteriteri Survey District described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
5	0	2	Section 3, Block III; coloured pink.
2	3	0	„ 31, Sq. 10, Block III; coloured purple. P.W.D. 61220.
17	0	0	Section 90, Sq. 9, Block VI; coloured pink.
12	0	0	„ 35, Sq. 10 „ „ P.W.D. 61219.

Situated in Kaiteriteri Survey District (Nelson R.D.).
In the Nelson Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of February, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block X, Linkwater Survey District.

[L.S.] CHARLES FERGUSSON, 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, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim as stopped the Government road described in the Schedule hereto, such road being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road hereby stopped :
8 acres 1 rood 26 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Section 20, situated in Block X, Linkwater Survey District.

In the Marlborough Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61024, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 21st day of February, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Allocating Cost of certain Proceedings under Section 132 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, Borough of Hokitika.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in him by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, 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 direct that the Hokitika Borough Council and the Westland County Council shall defray in equal proportions all the costs of the Commission appointed under the said Act by Warrant under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General dated the twenty-first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, to inquire and report upon the proposal to exclude a certain area from the Borough of Hokitika and to include such area in the County of Westland.

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

Amending the Apportionment of Representation on the Hutt Valley Electric-power Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, 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 determining the number of representatives of each constituent district on the Board of the Hutt Valley Electric-power District dated the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 58, of the third day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, as follows:—

- (1.) The number of representatives of the constituent districts referred to in the Schedule hereto shall be the number specified in the said Schedule opposite the name of each constituent district.

And doth hereby fix the eighteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, as the date for the first election of the representatives of such constituent districts.

SCHEDULE.

CONSTITUENT districts:—

- Johnsonville Town District 1 member.
Portion of Makara County (Porirua Riding) .. 1 "

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Amending the Order in Council authorizing the Central Hawke's Bay Electric-power Board to erect Electric Lines within the Central Hawke's Bay Electric-power District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1923, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend clause four of the license issued to the Central Hawke's Bay Electric-power Board on the fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred

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and twenty-four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the seventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, by substituting the words "horse-power" for the words "kilovolt-ampere" in the second line of the second paragraph of the said clause.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Amending an Order in Council authorizing the Picton Borough Council to erect Electric Lines in the Borough of Picton.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and of every other power enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend the Order in Council dated the twenty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 91, of the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, authorizing the Picton Borough Council to erect electric lines in the Borough of Picton by revoking clause 5 thereof (Charges for electrical energy), and substituting therefor the following clause, viz. :—

" 5. CHARGES FOR ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

"The charges for electrical energy shall not exceed 1s. per unit for lighting and 5d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes; provided that 'lighting purposes' shall include the operation of motor-generators for lighting purposes; and provided that if accounts are paid within fourteen days after due date the charges shall be reduced by 16½ per centum per unit for lighting and 20 per centum per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes.

"A minimum charge of 5s. per month, including meter rent (if any) may be made by the licensee, provided that notice thereof is given in the licensee's conditions of supply."

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

Authorizing the Laying-off of a Street in the Borough of Whangarei of a Width less than 66 ft., but not less than 40 ft.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, 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 authorize the Whangarei Borough Council to permit the laying-off of a street of a width less than sixty-six feet but not less than forty feet, within the areas described in the Schedule hereto, it being difficult or inexpedient to lay off a street of a width of sixty-six feet within such areas.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those areas of land situated in the North Auckland Land District, Borough of Whangarei, containing by admeasurement 9 acres 2 roods 6 perches and 1 acre 0 roods 8-25 perches, more or less, being part Lots 43, 47, and 48, Allotment 1, Parish of Whangarei, in Kensington District of the Borough of Whangarei, and part railway land, Block XII, Purua Survey District, and Block IX, Whangarei Survey District. As the said areas are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 59221, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged green and coloured pink respectively.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Imposing Conditions and Restrictions on the Taking of Quinnat Salmon (Onchorynchus tshawytscha) for Purposes of Sale.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is provided by sections eighty-three and ninety-four of the Fisheries Act, 1908 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), that the Governor-General in Council may from time to time, by Order in Council gazetted, make regulations (to have force and effect throughout New Zealand or only in such waters or places as are specified in the regulations), for all or any of the purposes specified in the said sections:

And whereas it is desirable to impose conditions and restrictions upon the taking of quinnat salmon (*Onchorynchus tshawytscha*) for the purposes of sale:

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 make the following regulations for the purposes aforesaid, and doth hereby order that they shall have force and effect within the waters specified in the said regulations; and, further, doth hereby revoke the regulations set forth in the Fourth Schedule hereto relating to the taking of quinnat salmon for sale.

REGULATIONS.

1. IN these regulations the term "Minister" means the Minister of Marine, and includes any person acting by or under the authority or direction of such Minister.

2. Subject to these regulations, it shall be lawful for any person duly licensed in that behalf to take salmon for purposes of sale from the 1st day of February to the 15th day of May, 1925.

3. Licenses shall be issued in the discretion of the Minister and under the hand of the Secretary of Marine in the form prescribed in the First Schedule hereto, and the fees payable in respect of such licenses shall be those respectively prescribed in the Second Schedule hereto.

4. The areas of waters within which salmon may be taken by means of nets or traps pursuant to these regulations shall be those more specifically defined in the Third Schedule hereto: Provided that the issue of licenses to take salmon in that part of the Waimakariri River defined in the said Third Schedule shall be subject to the following restrictions:—

(a.) The taking of salmon by the process known as "drag-netting" shall be prohibited during the period from midnight of Friday in any one week until midnight of the Sunday following, except within that area below a straight line drawn from Hockley's house, on the left bank of the river, to Chaston's house on the right bank

(b.) No set net shall be placed in the waters of the river above a straight line drawn from Hockley's house on the northern side to Chaston's house on the southern side.

5. Any person duly licensed in that behalf may take salmon by means of a set-net, seine-net, hauling-net, pound-net, or trap constructed of wire-netting or twine or by rod and line.

6. The Minister may, in his discretion, limit the number of nets or traps which may be used in any of the said areas of waters, and may at any time order the holder of a license to remove any net or trap if in the opinion of the Minister it is necessary or advisable to do so; and upon any such order being given the said holder shall forthwith comply with the same.

7. No net or trap shall be placed or used in any of the said areas of waters within a distance of 20 chains from any established net or trap belonging to a holder of a license under these regulations.

8. The size of mesh of any net used for taking salmon shall be not less than 4 in., except in the case of set-nets, which shall be not less than 6 in., in each case between knot and knot of opposite corners.

9. Sea fishermen duly licensed under the provisions of Part I of the said Act may, upon payment of a license fee of £5, receive a license to take salmon for sale from the sea outside a radius of five hundred yards from the mouth or entrance of any river,

10. The holder of a license to take salmon for sale shall, within seven days of the expiry of such license, or of his ceasing to fish, whichever first happens, remove any net, trap, or stakes used by him for taking salmon.

11. Any trout accidentally taken by the holder of a license under these regulations shall be forthwith put back into the waters whence it came.

12. The licensee shall forward to the Minister, in such form and at such times as may be prescribed, returns of all salmon taken by him pursuant to these regulations.

13. Any person committing a breach of these regulations shall be liable to a fine of £20 and to the immediate cancellation of his license.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LICENSE TO TAKE SALMON FOR PURPOSES OF SALE.

THE holder of this license [*Name in full*], of [*Address and occupation or calling*], having this day paid the sum of pounds (£), is hereby authorized to take quinnat salmon for purposes of sale from the day of 1925, until the 15th day of May, 1925, by means of set-net, seine-net, hauling-net, pound-net, trap, or rod and line, subject to all regulations in force for the time being relating to the taking of quinnat salmon for the purposes of sale.

Dated at , this day of , 19 .
....., Secretary of Marine.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

SCALE OF FEES FOR LICENSES TO TAKE SALMON FOR SALE.

For a license to take salmon with nets or traps	.. 5
For a license to take salmon with rod and line ..	.. 2
For a license for licensed fishermen to take salmon at sea	5
For a license to take salmon with rod and line by the holder of a license to take trout ..	.. 1

THIRD SCHEDULE.

AREAS OF TIDAL WATERS WITHIN WHICH QUINNAT SALMON MAY BE TAKEN BY MEANS OF NETS OR TRAPS FOR PURPOSES OF SALE.

The Clutha River.—On the Koau Branch from the mouth to a straight line drawn from the river end of the boundary-line between Sections 6 and 7, Block II, Inch-Clutha, to the opposite bank.

On the Matau Branch from its junction with the Koau Branch to a straight line from the river end of the boundary-line between Sections 4 and 5, Block III, Inch-Clutha, to the opposite bank.

The Waitaki River.—Between a straight line drawn from the south bank of the river at Uxbridge Railway-station to the Redcliffs on the north bank, and the Kurow-Hakataramea Bridge.

The Rangitata River.—From the railway-bridge to the traffic-bridge.

The Rakai River.—From a right line drawn across the head of Great Island at Trig. Station Y to the Gorge Bridge.

The Waimakariri River.—The mouth or entrance east of a straight line drawn at right angles to the course of the said river and across the said river from the eastern corner of Rural Section 1393, in the Mandeville Survey District, the said corner of Rural Section 1393 being two miles or thereabouts in an easterly direction from the main bridge over the Waimakariri River to the Town of Kaiapoi.

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

Regulations to be revoked.	Date of Gazette in which Regulations published.
Regulation 10 of amending general regulations under Part II of Fisheries Act, 1908	21st September, 1917.
Amending general regulations under Part II of Fisheries Act, 1908	7th February, 1918.
Regulations for taking and sale of quinnat salmon	22nd February, 1923.
Regulations for taking and sale of quinnat salmon	3rd April, 1924.

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

Regulations under the Government Accident Insurance Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section thirty of the Government Accident Insurance Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities in that behalf vested in him, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the regulations set forth hereunder.

REGULATIONS.

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| Form of motor-car policy. | 1. A MOTOR-CAR policy issued under the authority of the provisions of section 4 of the Government Accident Insurance Amendment Act, 1924, shall be in the form set forth in the Schedule hereto: Provided, however, that such form may be altered by the General Manager in order to meet the requirements of any particular contract. |
| Conditions to be endorsed on motor-car policy. | 2. Any such motor-car policy shall be subject to the following conditions, which shall, so far as they are applicable to the particular contract, be endorsed on all such policies issued by the General Manager:— |

CONDITIONS.

1. Each accident shall be held to include a series of accidents occurring in or arising out of one event.
2. Notice shall be immediately given to an authorized officer or agent of the General Manager of any accident, or of any police or other proceedings against the insured or driver in connection therewith. Such notice must be given in writing and also by telegram if practicable. The General Manager will not be liable for any claim in respect of which such notice is not given. The insured shall give full information as to the circumstances of the accident and of all claims made, and, where practicable, the names and addresses of witnesses and all persons concerned in the accident.
3. No liability of any sort shall be admitted, nor any repudiation, offer, promise, or payment made to third parties, unless at the insured's own cost, without the written consent of the General Manager, who shall be entitled, if he so desires, to take over and conduct, in the name of the insured, the defence of any action, or to prosecute in his name any claim for indemnity, damages, or otherwise against any third party, and shall have full discretion in the settlement of any claim or in the conduct of any proceedings, including the right to abandon such proceedings at any time, and the insured shall give all such information and assistance as the General Manager may require.
4. No claim shall attach to this policy—
 - (a.) For any accident arising whilst the car is engaged in racing or pacemaking or reliability, speed, or other trial; or
 - (b.) Whilst the car is being used other than for the purposes named in Schedule of cars insured; or
 - (c.) If the interest in the car pass from the insured, unless the sanction of the General Manager is obtained and signified by endorsement upon the policy, by or on behalf of the General Manager; or
 - (d.) In the event of the car being insured otherwise than under this policy, unless expressly permitted by the General Manager by endorsement hereon; or
 - (e.) Whilst the car is knowingly being driven in a damaged or unsafe condition.
5. This policy does not apply outside the limits of the Dominion of New Zealand.
6. This policy does not cover loss or damage occasioned by or happening through earthquakes, invasion, foreign enemy, riot, civil commotion, or military or usurped power.
7. If there be any mis-statement in or a material fact be omitted from the proposal for the insurance or in the particulars furnished for effecting or renewing the insurance, or in support of a claim, this policy shall be void, and the premium forfeited.
8. All differences arising out of this policy shall, if required by the General Manager, be referred to the arbitration of some disinterested person to be agreed upon by both parties, or failing such agreement, of two such persons, one to be appointed by each party in difference; and in case of disagreement between the arbitrators, then such difference shall be decided by an umpire (who shall be a barrister-at-law actively practising his profession), who shall be appointed by them in writing before entering on the reference, and who shall sit with the arbitrators and preside at all their meetings. The death of any party shall not revoke or affect the authority or power of the arbitrator, arbitrators, or umpire respectively, and in the event of the death of an arbitrator or umpire another shall in each case be appointed in his stead by the party or arbitrators (as the case may be) by whom the arbitrator or umpire so dying was appointed. In case either party shall neglect or refuse, for the space of thirty days after request in writing from the other so to do, to nominate an arbitrator, the arbitrator of the other party shall proceed alone, and the award of such arbitrators, sole arbitrator, or umpire (as the case may be) shall be binding on all parties. If the arbitrator on either side so appointed as aforesaid declines, neglects, or is unable to act within ten days after receiving notice of any sitting or meeting, he shall cease to be arbitrator, and the arbitrator of the other party shall proceed alone. And in case such differences shall arise, the determination thereof in manner aforesaid (if so required by the General Manager) shall be a condition precedent to the liability of the General Manager to pay, and to the right of the insured or his legal representatives to recover any sum under this policy, and no action shall be brought or prosecuted to enforce any claim (if arbitration is so required by the General Manager) until the same shall have been agreed and adjusted, or shall have been determined and ascertained in manner aforesaid; and each party shall pay his or their own costs of and connected with the reference and arbitration, and a moiety of the cost of the award. It is expressly declared that all arbitration proceedings under this policy shall be subject to the provisions of this condition, any legislation to the contrary notwithstanding. No suit or action of any kind against the General Manager for the recovery of any claim upon, under, or by virtue of this policy shall be sustainable in any Court of law or equity unless such suit or action shall be commenced within six months from the time when the right of action accrues, or, if such claim is disputed by the General Manager, within six months next after the General Manager has notified the insured of such dispute; and in case any such action shall be commenced against the General Manager after the expiration of such period of six months, the lapse of time shall be taken and deemed as conclusive evidence against the validity of the claim thereby so attempted to be enforced, and may be pleaded in bar to any such action.
9. This insurance may be terminated at any time at the request of the insured, in which case the General Manager will retain the customary short-period rate for the time the policy has been in force. The General Manager shall at any time, by giving seven days' notice in writing to the insured by registered post at the insured's place of abode as shown in this policy, be at liberty to cancel and determine this policy as and from the date of expiry of such notice, and the General Manager will in that event refund to the insured the proportionate part of the premium received for the unexpired period of this policy.

SCHEDULE.

(Coat of Arms.)

M/C
Policy No.

New Zealand Government State Fire and Accident Insurance Office.

MOTOR-CAR POLICY.

(Under the Government Accident Insurance Act, 1908, and Amendments.)

WHEREAS the person named and described in the schedule at foot hereof (hereinafter called "the insured") has made to the STATE FIRE INSURANCE GENERAL MANAGER (hereinafter called "the General Manager") a written proposal and declaration, which proposal and declaration are the basis of this contract and are hereby declared to be incorporated herein.

Now, this policy witnesseth that in consideration of the payment to the General Manager of the sum shown in the said schedule as a premium, if, during the period of the currency of this policy as shown in the said schedule, or before 4 p.m. of the last day of any subsequent period in respect of which there shall have been paid to and accepted by the General Manager the sum required for the continuation of this policy: then the General Manager, in respect of any car described in the Schedule at foot hereof, shall, subject to the conditions contained herein and on the back hereof, and subject also at all times to the Acts in force relating to policies issued by the General Manager and to the regulations for the time being in force affecting the same, indemnify the insured, his executors, or administrators, against—

THIRD PARTY.

Section 1.—All sums for which the insured shall become legally liable for compensation in respect of—

- (a.) Accidental bodily injury (including loss of life) to any person other than a person in the insured's household or service, or driving, or being conveyed in such car.
- (b.) Accidental damage to property other than property actually the insured's own, or held in trust by the insured, or being conveyed by such car, where such injury or damage is caused by, through, or in connection with such car whilst being driven by the insured or by his paid driver, provided that each holds a license to drive, where such is required by law or by-law. The General Manager will also pay all costs and expenses incurred with the General Manager's written consent in defending any claim for such compensation. The liability of the General Manager under this section for any one accident or loss, including costs and expenses, is limited to £1,000.

It is agreed that, subject to the general terms and conditions of this policy, this section shall extend to indemnify—

- (1.) Any relative or any friend of the insured while driving such car with the insured's consent, provided such relative or friend holds a license to drive where such is required by law or by-law, and is not otherwise indemnified in respect of his liability to third parties;
- (2.) The insured, while driving a car not belonging to him, provided that any car otherwise insured by this policy shall not be in use at the time.

DAMAGE TO CAR.

Section 2.—The General Manager shall, subject to the limitations hereinafter provided, pay for, or at the General Manager's option replace or make good, all loss or damage to such car and/or its accessories and spare parts, including spare tires in, on, or about the car, by—

- (a.) Accidental external means or malicious acts, excluding the first £5 of each and every claim.

FIRE.

- (b.) Fire, lightning, explosion, or self-ignition.

THEFT.

- (c.) Theft, burglary, housebreaking, larceny, or attempt thereof, *excluding accessories, fittings, or parts, unless stolen with such car happening on land or whilst in transit by road, rail, and inland waterway in the Dominion of New Zealand.*

The General Manager shall not be liable for the cost of—

- (a.) Repairs or replacements rendered necessary by wear and tear or mechanical breakdown.
- (b.) Repairing or replacing lamps and tires unless damaged by an accident involving damage to the car itself to the extent of at least £5.

- SPECIAL CONDITIONS.—1. In the event of accident the insured shall take prompt steps to remove the car at his own expense to the nearest competent repairers, or to a railway-station.
2. In the event of accident involving damage, the insured shall not without the written consent of the General Manager repair or alter the damaged car until the General Manager's surveyor shall have had an opportunity, if desired, of examining the same, and until an estimate for the necessary repairs shall have been approved by the General Manager. The insured may elect to have the damaged car repaired by any particular firm of repairers, provided the General Manager's liability shall not exceed the cost of repairs as estimated by the surveyor appointed by the General Manager to inspect the damage.
3. The liability of the General Manager under this section for each accident or loss shall not exceed the amount named in the schedule hereto as the sum insured on the car and accessories.

Provided always that the insurance hereby made is and shall be subject to the conditions and memoranda (if any) endorsed hereon in like manner as if the same were respectively repeated and incorporated herein, and compliance with such conditions and memoranda, and each of them, shall be a condition precedent to the right of the insured to sue or recover hereunder.

In witness whereof the General Manager has hereunto set his hand this

Examined :

By authority of _____, General Manager.
_____, Branch Manager.

SCHEDULE OF CARS INSURED.

Name, Address, and Occupation of Insured.	Date of Commencement and Termination of Period covered by First Premium.	Make of Car.	Purposes for which Car is used.	H.P.	Number of Seats, including Driver.	Date of Manufacture.	Date of Purchase.	Purchase price of Car when New.	Amount actually paid for Car.	Sum Insured, including Accessories.	Maker's No. of Car.	Registered No. of Car.	Annual Premiums.
							£	£	£			£
	to							£	£	£			£
	4 p.m. on							£	£	£			£
							£	£	£			£

Please read the conditions and examine the policy, and, if incorrect, return it immediately for alteration.

M/C
Serial No.

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

Conferring on Whakatane County Council certain Powers of Borough Councils with respect to Waterworks.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by subsection one of section seventy-four of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1922, that the Governor-General may, in the manner prescribed by section one hundred and eighty-two of the Counties Act, 1920, confer on the Whakatane County Council such of the powers of Borough Councils as he thinks fit, with respect to the supply of water for domestic purposes for the Town of Matata and the district adjoining as may be specially defined in the instrument conferring such powers, and thereupon that County Council shall have and may exercise the said powers accordingly pursuant to the tenor of the Order in Council issued thereunder :

And whereas it is further enacted by subsection two of the aforesaid section seventy-four, as amended by section seventy-two of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1924, that any district defined for the purposes of the said section seventy-four shall be exempt from any rates made and levied under the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910, as from such date as may be determined by the Governor-General in Council :

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 in that behalf by the said enactments, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby confer on the said Whakatane County Council all the powers with respect to the supply of water for domestic purposes exercisable by a duly constituted Borough Council under sections eighty-two to eighty-seven (inclusive), Part XXIV (with the exception of sections two hundred and forty-five to two hundred and fifty), and section three hundred and thirty-nine of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and section eleven of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1921-22, such powers to be exercisable within the Town of Matata and adjoining district as defined in the Schedule hereto, and, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby declare that the area defined in the said Schedule shall be exempt from any rates made and levied under the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, 1910, as on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, County of Whakatane, situated in the Township of Matata and adjoining district, bounded—commencing at a point on the sea-coast in line with the eastern boundary of Section 8, Matata Parish—by a right line to the north-east corner of the aforesaid section, thence by the eastern and southern boundaries of that section and the southern boundaries of Sections 7B, 6C, 5A, 5B, and 3, Matata Parish, to the Matata Main Road; thence by that road to the Township of Richmond, and by the south-western and north-western boundaries of the Township of Richmond to the sea, and by the sea to the point of commencement: as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 15/11/11A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

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

Declaring Portions of the Kinohaku to Waiharakeke Road, in the Kawhia County, to be County Roads.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 16th day of February, 1925.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of the Kinohaku to Waiharakeke Road commencing at a point, marked 0 m. 0 ch. on plan, on the Awaroa-Waiharakeke Road adjoining Section 2, Block XIV, Kawhia North Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction crossing the Waiharakeke Inlet, and thence along the north-western boundary of Crown land and Part Hauturu West part No. 2B Section, Block XIV, Kawhia North Survey District, and terminating at a point, marked 0 m. 60 ch. on plan, on the said north-western boundary of Hauturu West, part No. 2B Section, being a distance of 60 chains, more or less.

Also all that portion of the Kinohaku to Waiharakeke Road commencing at a point, marked 1 m. 54 ch., on the western boundary of Hauturu West part No. 2B Section, Block XIV, Kawhia North Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction adjoining or passing through part Hauturu West part No. 2B Section, Block XIV, Kawhia North Survey District, Sections 4 and 5 (road reserve), and Section 2 (scenic reserve), Block II, Kawhia South Survey District, crossing the Waitangi Stream, and thence adjoining or passing through Kinohaku West 11A, Section 2B, Block II, Kawhia South Survey District, and Johnston's Grant, Blocks II and I, Kawhia South Survey District, and terminating at its junction with the Kawhia to Marakopa River Road at a point marked 3 m. 50 ch. on plan, being a distance of 1 mile 76 chains, more or less.

In the Auckland Land District, Kawhia County. As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61771, 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 Road in Block VIII, Mohaka Survey District, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the road declared to be a Government road: 4 acres 1 rood 38 perches. Adjoining or passing through Mohaka 1stA, situated in Block VIII, Mohaka Survey District (Hawke's Bay R.D.). (S.O. 753, green.)

In the Hawke's Bay Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 57698, 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

Declaring Portions of Road in Block IV, Mahinapua Survey District, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 a Government road.

SCHEDULE.

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

A. R. P.	
3 0 28	Adjoining or passing through Section 2912.
5 0 0	Crown land.

Situated in Block IV, Mahinapua Survey District (Westland R.D.). (S.O. 2422.)

In the Westland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61592, 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.

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Glenorchy Domain.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

Mark Harris,
William Stafford Northcoat,
John Thornton,
James Robert Adam Hume, and
George Reid

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

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—GLENORCHY DOMAIN.

SECTION 1, Block XX, Town of Glenorchy: Area, 23 acres 0 roods 37 perches.

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

Domain Board appointed to have Control of the Kaitaia Domain.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

Allen Bell, M.P.,
William Robert Grigg,
Frederick Herbert Selwyn Matthews,
Frederick Blackwell Rowe,
John Herbert Bedgood,
Frederick Holder, and
Thomas Hislop Kenny

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

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—KAITAIA DOMAIN.

ALLOTMENT 69, Ahipara Parish: Area, 34 acres 1 rood 39 perches.

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

Exempting certain Articles from Special Customs Duty in the Cook Islands.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three hundred of the Customs Act, 1913, it is provided that the Governor-General by Order in Council may remit any duty imposed by that section on certain classes of goods imported into the Cook Islands:

And whereas it is deemed expedient to exempt from such duty certain articles as herein set forth:

Now, therefore His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him as aforesaid and of every other power enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby exempt from the duty imposed by paragraph (b) of subsection one of the said section three hundred all articles or any class of articles included in the Schedule hereunder; and doth hereby declare that such exemption shall take effect as from the date of the making of this Order.

SCHEDULE.

TEXTILE piece-goods, of cotton, linen, jute, hessian, hemp, other vegetable fibre, or combinations of these materials with one another—

- (1.) Having thereon or therein patterns, devices, or designs which indicate that they are to be cut up;
- (2.) So woven, or marked, as to indicate that they are to be cut up;
- (3.) N.e.i. (including muslins of such qualities and patterns as may be approved by the Minister), not being tucked, sewn, or otherwise similarly worked.

(NOTE.—Textile piece-goods, of cotton, linen, jute, hessian, hemp, other vegetable fibre, or combinations of these materials with one another, hemmed or whipped in lieu of a selvedge, shall not be deemed to be sewn or similarly worked.)

Textile piece-goods—viz., dress nets, curtain nets, embroidery nets, and similar nets, lace-curtain material, and veilings, all kinds; muslins n.e.i.

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

License authorizing the Westport Borough Council to use Water from Christmas Creek, Lake Creek, and Lake Rochfort for the Purpose of generating Electricity, and to erect Electric Lines within the Borough of Westport and Portion of the Buller County.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby grant to the Westport Borough Council (hereinafter, with its successors and assigns, referred to as "the licensee")—subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto and to the regulations dated the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twelfth day of the same month, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution

therefor (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the regulations"), and which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein—a license to take and use from Christmas Creek, Lake Creek, and Lake Rochfort, in the Buller County, Land District of Nelson (hereinafter referred to as "the said streams"), for the purposes hereinafter set forth, streams of water (hereinafter referred to as "the said water") not exceeding sixty cubic feet per second at any one time from Christmas Creek, sixty cubic feet per second at any one time from Lake Creek, and thirty cubic feet per second at any one time from Lake Rochfort; and also to erect and maintain electric lines for power, lighting, heating, or other uses within the area of supply hereinafter described, the electric lines at present proposed to be erected being indicated on the plans marked P.D.W. 60547 and 60548, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District; but nothing herein shall be held to guarantee that the said streams contain sufficient water to supply the number of cubic feet per second hereinbefore mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

1. PLANS.

The licensee shall, before the works hereby authorized are commenced, forward for the approval of the Minister of Public Works (hereinafter referred to as "the Minister")—

- (a.) Full detailed drawings and specifications of the diverting weirs and dams.
- (b.) Drawings showing how and in what manner the water diverted is to be disposed of.
- (c.) Contour-plans showing difference in levels of water due to the construction of the headworks.

2. UTILIZATION OF THE WATER.

The said water shall be used solely for the purpose of generating electricity, and shall be returned to a tributary of Christmas Creek near the power-house.

3. LOCATION OF HEADWORKS.

The said water shall be taken from the said streams at the headworks situated in Block V, Kawatiri Survey District, at points indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60547, deposited as hereinbefore mentioned.

4. GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF WORKS.

The licensee is hereby authorized to construct, maintain, and use the following works for the purposes of this license; the position of the said works being indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60547 hereinbefore referred to:—

- (a.) Headworks consisting of dams and necessary intakes.
- (b.) Pipe-line, races, or flumes leading directly or indirectly from such intakes to the power-house hereinafter referred to.
- (c.) A power-house with all necessary equipment, including water-turbines, generators, transformers, lightning-arresters, switchboards, switches, exciters, and other appliances for generating electricity.
- (d.) Transmission and other lines within the area of supply hereinafter described.

5. INSPECTION OF WORKS.

The Inspecting Engineer, both during and after the construction of the works, shall have free access to and liberty at any time to inspect the same so as to ensure that the provisions of this license are given due effect to.

6. MAINTENANCE OF WORKS.

After the said works have been completed, the licensee shall maintain the same in proper working-order during the continuance of this license.

7. RIGHT TO ENTER LANDS, ETC.

The licensee shall have the right at any time or times during the continuance of this license, with the consent of the Minister, to enter upon any road or other land, whether vested in or occupied by the Crown or any other person or body corporate, and there to construct, erect, lay down, maintain, renew, or repair all such water-channels, control-gates, races, pipe-lines, or other things as are required for the generation of electricity in pursuance of this license.

8. POWER TO TAKE LAND.

The licensee is hereby empowered to take, under the Public Works Act, 1908, as for a public work such land as may, in the opinion of the Governor-General, be necessary to enable the licensee to construct and maintain the various works authorized by this license.

9. DURATION OF LICENSE.

This license shall, unless sooner determined in accordance with the provisions hereinafter expressed, continue in force for a period of forty-two years from the date hereof; provided that the Board of the Buller Electric-power District, an electric-power district duly constituted under the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, and including the area of supply hereinafter mentioned, shall have the right, at any time during the currency of this license, to purchase and take over the licensee's installation in the said area of supply, at a valuation to be agreed upon between the said Board and the licensee, and failing such agreement, at a valuation to be fixed by a single arbitrator to be appointed pursuant to the provisions of the Arbitration Act, 1908, and thereupon the Governor-General may by Order in Council revoke this license. Upon the expiry of the said term, or upon the sooner determination of this license by revocation or otherwise, all rights hereby granted to the licensee shall thereupon cease and determine; but such expiration or determination shall not relieve the licensee of any liability theretofore incurred under this license.

10. RENTAL.

The licensee shall, in respect of this license, pay to the Public Works Engineer for the district, or otherwise as the Minister may from time to time require, a rental at the rate of 1s. per annum per kilowatt of maximum output, as recorded by the wattmeter to be installed by the licensee at the power-house mentioned in clause 4 (c) hereof; payment to be made yearly on the 31st day of March in each year, commencing from the day electrical power is first supplied. For the purpose of this clause "maximum output" means twice the number of units generated and recorded in the half-hour during which the output is the maximum for the year. Wattmeter readings shall be recorded half-hourly throughout each day. The minimum rental shall not be less than £10 per annum.

11. CHARGES FOR ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

The charges for electrical energy shall not exceed 1s. per unit for lighting purposes, and 6d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes: provided that "lighting purposes" shall include the operation of motor generators for lighting purposes; and provided further that if accounts are paid within fourteen days of due date the charges shall not exceed 10d. per unit for lighting purposes and 4½d. per unit for motor-power, cooking, and heating purposes.

12. AREA OF SUPPLY.

The area of supply comprises the Borough of Westport as at present constituted, and portion of the Buller County in Blocks III, IV, VII, VIII, and part V, Kawatiri Survey District, Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60546, deposited as aforesaid, and thereon bordered blue.

13. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

The system of supply shall be as described in paragraphs (c) and (e) of clause 2 of the regulations.

The generating voltage shall be approximately 420 volts between the terminals.

The transmission voltage shall be approximately 6,600 volts between phases; and the distribution voltage shall be approximately 400 volts between phases and 230 volts between any phase and neutral.

14. LOCATION OF OVERHEAD LINES.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, one side of every road or street shall be left free by the licensee for telegraph-lines. Lines shall not be erected on both sides of a road or street unless the permission of the Minister of Telegraphs or the Post and Telegraph Department is first obtained in accordance with clause 5 of the regulations. Except at crossing-places, the minimum separation between a telephone-line and poles carrying high or extra-high tension circuits shall be equal to the height of the taller pole.

15. CONVERSION OF LINES FROM EARTH-WORKING TO METALLIC.

Notwithstanding anything herein contained, the licensee shall bear the cost of converting the Railways or Post and Telegraph Department's lines which are now erected from earth-working to metallic if such conversion is required by the Minister of Railways or the Minister of Telegraphs owing to electrical interference arising from the licensee's lines.

16. TELEGRAPH-LINES.

The licensee shall rectify to the satisfaction of the Minister of Railways or the Minister of Telegraphs any interference or disturbance caused by the erection or operation of the licensee's system that affects the satisfactory working of the

telegraph-lines which are the property of the Railways Department or the Telegraph Department and which were erected prior to the licensee's lines.

17. COMPENSATION PAYABLE FOR LAND INJURIOUSLY AFFECTED, ETC.

In respect of all land injuriously affected, and in respect of all damage done by the exercise of any of the powers conferred upon the licensee by this license, the licensee shall from time to time, as and when any such injury or damage accrues or happens, pay compensation in accordance with the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908.

18. CROWN NOT LIABLE TO PAY COMPENSATION.

Nothing in this license shall be held to cast upon or imply any liability upon His Majesty the King or upon the Government of New Zealand to pay compensation to any person, corporate body, or local authority by reason of the exercise by the licensee of the authority hereby granted; but the licensee shall be liable for any loss or damage which any person, corporate body, or local authority may sustain as the result of the exercise by the licensee of any of the powers granted by this license.

19. BEDS OF STREAMS NOT LEASED.

Nothing herein shall be held to constitute a lease from the Crown of the beds of the said streams, nor shall the provisions of Part IX of the Property Law Act, 1908, apply to this license.

20. CONTRACT BETWEEN LICENSEE AND CROWN.

This license shall be deemed to constitute a contract as between the licensee and His Majesty the King, and may be enforced as a contract by and against His said Majesty or the licensee accordingly.

21. TIME FOR SUBSTANTIAL COMPLETION OF WORKS.

The licensee shall substantially complete the works hereby authorized within a period of two years from the date of this license, or within such further time as the Minister may allow in the event of the work being delayed by strikes, lock-outs, breakdowns, or other unavoidable causes not due to any neglect by the licensee.

22. GRANTING OF OTHER WATER-RIGHTS.

Nothing herein shall prevent the Governor-General in Council from granting to any person or body corporate other than the licensee a license to take water from any portion of the said streams, except at the place where the licensee is by this license empowered to take it; provided that no such license shall so operate as to reduce the natural fall between the headworks and tail-water, or the volume of the water which the licensee is by this license authorized to take from the said streams.

23. FINES.

If the licensee fails or neglects—

- (a.) To use or maintain the said works, after completion, so as to secure the full benefit of the undertaking; or
- (b.) To observe any of the conditions or obligations herein imposed,—

then and in any such case the licensee shall be liable to a fine of £50 for every week or part of a week during which such default or neglect continues; or the Governor-General may by Order in Council revoke this license.

24. SERVICE OF NOTICE.

Notwithstanding anything in the last preceding clause, this license shall not be revoked, and no proceedings shall be taken for the recovery of a fine in respect of the breach thereof, unless and until notice in writing of the intention so to revoke the license or to take such proceedings has been served upon the licensee, or placed upon some principal or conspicuous part of the works, and default has been made by the licensee in repairing or remedying the breach or breaches specified in the said notice for the following periods:—

- (a.) For any breach which in the opinion of the Governor-General can be met by a fine, for thirty days after the service of such notice.
- (b.) For any breach which in the opinion of the Governor-General is of such a nature as to require the revocation of this license, for ninety days after the service of such notice.

25. APPLICATION OF REGULATIONS.

Where there is any inconsistency between the conditions of this license and the regulations the provisions of the conditions shall prevail.

26. SURRENDER OF LICENSE.

The licensee may at any time, with the consent of the Minister, surrender this license, and shall thereupon, if so required by the Minister, remove from the ground all removable equipment, machinery, buildings, poles, transmission-lines, and other plant herein authorized to be installed or provided. If the licensee fails or neglects so to remove the said plant within twelve months after being required so to do, such equipment, machinery, buildings, poles, lines, and other plant shall, without payment or compensation, vest in and become the property of the Crown.

27. REQUIREMENTS OF BULLER COUNTY COUNCIL.

Notwithstanding anything hereinbefore contained, the licensee shall not be entitled to construct, maintain, or use the works authorized by the license within the Buller County, except subject to such conditions, not inconsistent with the provisions of this license or any variation of this license, as may from time to time be agreed upon between the licensee and the Buller County Council.

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

Licensing Messrs. T. M. Lane and Sons (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark on the Pupuke River, Whangaroa Harbour, as a Site for the Stacking and Floating of Timber.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Messrs. T. M. Lane and Sons (Limited), (who with its successor and assigns is hereinafter referred to as "the company"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark on the Pupuke River, Whangaroa Harbour, as a site for the stacking and floating of timber, and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-seventy-first section of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 5950), showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied for such purpose, and the manner in which it is proposed to carry out the work:

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

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the company 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 company to use and occupy that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark which is particularly shown and delineated on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining thereon a site for the stacking and floating of timber constructed in accordance with the said plan, such license to be held and enjoyed by the company upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

- 1. 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.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the purpose aforesaid, as shown on plan M.D. 5950.

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 date hereof until the 31st day of March following, to be paid on the company being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall continue in force for fourteen years from the date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority; 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.

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

6. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, and the company may be required to clear the site at the company's own cost, 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.

7. The company shall maintain the above-mentioned site for the stacking and floating of timber in good order and repair, and shall at all times exhibit therefrom, and maintain at the company's own cost, any lights that may be required by the Minister; provided that no light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved of by the Minister.

8. The company shall keep the waterway of the river clear of all debris produced by the company's workings.

9. The company shall make provision for the safe and expeditious passage of vessels and boats through the said waterway.

10. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said site 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 on such site, 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.

11. The company shall be liable for any injury which may be sustained by any vessel or boat in passing through the site, or by contact therewith, and which may be occasioned by any default or neglect on the company's part.

12. 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 site for a period of thirty days;

(3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions; or

(4.) Be in any manner wound up or dissolved,—

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 proceedings 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 rights and privileges thereby 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 company shall, if required by the Minister so to do, clear the said site entirely and restore the said 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 to do so, the Minister may cause the said site to be cleared and the site so restored, and may recover the costs incurred by the said removal and restoration from the company.

14. The occupation of the site shall be deemed to be an acceptance by the company of the conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Licensing Charles Chambers to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Rocky (Omaha) Bay, Waiheke Island, as a Site for a Boat-shed and Slip.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Charles Chambers, of Auckland (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 Rocky (Omaha) Bay, Waiheke Island, as a site for a boat-shed and slip, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 5877 (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 slip is to be erected, as shown on plan marked M.D. 5877 deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structure thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term—

"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.

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore occupied by the said boat-shed and slip as shown on the plan marked M.D. 5877 (sheet 1).

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £2 in advance, payable on the 1st day of April 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 slip 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 slip, and all rights of ingress and egress thereon and therefrom.

6. The licensee shall maintain the above-mentioned boat-shed and slip 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 slip 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 slip, 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 time resumed by the Governor-General, and the licensee may be required to remove the boat-shed and slip, 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 slip may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the licensee's part.

12. In case the licensee shall—

(1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;

(2.) Cease to use or occupy the said boat-shed and slip for a period of thirty days;

(3.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or

(4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

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

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 slip 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 slip 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 slip shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

The Eastern Side of Portion of Eagle Street, in the City of Wellington, Exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-line.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

“The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not

apply to the north-eastern side of all that portion of Eagle Street beginning at a point approximately 433.19 links from its junction with Karori Road and extending for a distance of 85.25 links, being portion of street fronting Lot 54 (D.P. 1732), part Section 39, Karori Registration District, Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District”;

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

SCHEDULE.

THE eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Eagle Street, fronting Lot 54, D.P. 1732, Part Section 39, Karori R.D. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61151, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

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

The Eastern Side of Portion of Bayfield Road 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.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

“That the Auckland City Council, having control of Bayfield Road, 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 Lot 18 of Section 3, part Allotment 24, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland”;

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

SCHEDULE.

THE eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the North Auckland Land District (City of Auckland), known as Bayfield Road, fronting Lot 18 of Section 3, part Allotment 24, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 58705, 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.

Portion of the Hamilton Parade, in the Borough of Hamilton, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Hamilton Borough Council on the twenty-eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, viz. :—

"The Hamilton Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the portion of street hereinafter mentioned, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the portion of that street known as the Hamilton Parade, adjoining Allotments 3 and 4, Town of Hamilton West, as shown on deposited plans 17781 and 17782";

such portion of street being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of street in the Auckland Land District, Borough of Hamilton, known as the Hamilton Parade, adjoining Allotments 3 and 4, Town of Hamilton West. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61222 (two sheets), 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

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

"The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the south-western side of all that portion of Boston Terrace beginning at a point 252.9 links and 10 links from its junction with Aro Street and extending for a distance of 101.26 links, being portion of road fronting part Lot 1, part of Town Section 39, Polhill Gully Native Reserve, on plan W.D. 958, in Lands and Survey Office, and as more particularly described in certificate of title, Volume 106, folio 149, in office of District Land Registrar, City of Wellington";

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

SCHEDULE.

THE south-western side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Boston Terrace, fronting part Lot 1, being Part Town Section 39, City of Wellington. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61579, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

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

Regulations under the Land Act, 1924, for providing for the Care, Management, and Protection of Kapiti Island.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section three of the Land Act, 1924 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is enacted that the Governor-General may from time to time,

by Order in Council, make regulations for the purposes of the said Act as therein provided :

And whereas it is expedient that regulations should be made for the administration, control, and protection of that part of Kapiti Island which has been purchased for the purposes of conserving the natural scenery of the said island and providing a preserve for the fauna and flora of New Zealand :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the said Act, and 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 declare that such regulations shall come into force on the day of the publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

REGULATIONS.

1. In these regulations, unless inconsistent with the context,—

"Caretaker" means the officer appointed to protect the reserve and to do such other things as may be deemed to be required :

"Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Crown Lands for the Wellington Land District :

"Reserve" means that part of Kapiti Island which has been acquired for the purposes of conserving the natural scenery of the said island, and providing a preserve of the fauna and flora of New Zealand :

"Stock" means and includes all animals included within that term in the Stock Act, 1908.

KAPITI ISLAND RESERVE AND VISITORS.

2. No person shall enter on the reserve unless he has first obtained a written permit from the Commissioner, and, except where the permit specifies otherwise, the holder shall land at Rangitira and report to the Caretaker.

PRESERVATION OF THE FAUNA AND FLORA OF THE RESERVE.

3. (a.) The destruction of or interference in any way with the birds, or eggs and nests thereof, in the reserve is prohibited.

(b.) The destruction, injury, defacement, and disturbance in any way of the buildings, boats, fences, signs, notices, native vegetation, equipment, or other property on the reserve are prohibited.

(c.) Except as provided in clause (d) hereof, no person shall plant or sow on the reserve any exotic plant or seed except such as are required for the use of the Caretaker ; nor shall any exotic bird, insect, or animal be landed or liberated on the reserve.

(d.) For the purposes of destroying ground vermin or mustering stray stock, cats and dogs may be landed on the reserve ; provided the written consent of the Commissioner is first had and obtained.

(e.) Except with the written consent of the Commissioner, no firearms shall be landed on the reserve.

FIRES.

4. (a.) No fire shall be lighted except at a prepared site or on the beach without the permission of the Caretaker. Fires may be lighted only when necessary, and when no longer required shall be completely extinguished.

(b.) No person shall smoke on the reserve except at camping-sites on the beach or at other situations where there is no vegetation or combustible material. Wax matches must not be used on the reserve.

CAMPING.

5. (a.) No person shall camp on the reserve without a written permit from the Commissioner.

(b.) Any person camping on the reserve may camp only at a site approved by the Caretaker.

(c.) Campers shall not cut down any green tree or shrub.

(d.) No rubbish shall be left at any camp ; it must be either burned or buried.

PENALTY.

6. Any person committing a breach of these regulations shall upon conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding £25 for each offence and in the case of lighting fires without permission is also liable to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, but the infliction of such penalties shall not prevent the recovery from the offender of the value of the damage done.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, 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 Wellington 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 Kaitieke Domain, and be managed, administered, and dealt with as a public domain.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—KAITIEKE DOMAIN.

SECTIONS 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16, Block III, Town of Kaitieke: Area, 2 acres 1 rood.

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

Revoking Orders in Council fixing Maximum Prices of Flour, &c., and Bread.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 24th day of February, 1925.

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 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, revoke as on and from the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, the Orders in Council (making Board of Trade Regulations) mentioned in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ORDER in Council of the 6th day of March, 1924, published at page 663 of the *Gazette* for that year, fixing maximum prices of flour, bran, and pollard.

Order in Council of the 21st day of October, 1922, published at page 2856 of the *Gazette* for that year, fixing maximum prices of bread.

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

Transfer of certain War Funds in the Dominion of New Zealand to certain Societies or Trustees (Incorporated), under the War Funds Act, 1915.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section thirteen of the War Funds Act, 1915 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), it is provided that any person, society, or trustees (whether such society or trustees are incorporated or not) having control of any war fund may, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council, transfer such fund to any other society or trustees incorporated pursuant to section twelve of the said Act, to be applied by such last-mentioned society or trustees for the purposes for which such last-

mentioned society or trustees were incorporated, notwithstanding that such purposes may not be identical with the purposes for which the fund to be transferred was established; provided that consent shall not be given to any application under this section unless the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that the fund to be transferred can be administered by the incorporated society or trustees for substantially the same purposes as those for which the fund was established :

And whereas applications have been made by the societies or trustees having control of the funds named in the first column of the Schedule hereto (hereinafter referred to as "the said funds") for the consent of the Governor-General in Council to the transfer of the said funds to the societies or trustees incorporated under the said Act, set opposite the said funds respectively in the second column of the Schedule hereto :

And whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that the said funds can be administered by the said incorporated societies or trustees respectively for substantially the same purposes as those for which the said funds were established : And whereas it is desirable to consent to such transfers :

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 acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the transfer of the said funds to the said incorporated societies or trustees set opposite the said funds respectively in the second column of said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Funds transferred.	Organization to which transferred.
Te Kuiti District Returned Soldiers' Club Building Fund	Auckland Provincial Patriotic and War Relief Association (Incorporated).
Ohaeawai District Women's Knitting and Sewing Guild's Funds	Ditto.
Little River Relief Funds	Canterbury Patriotic Fund (Incorporated.)
Gore Citizens' Defence Committee's Fund	Southland War Funds Association (Incorporated).

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Te Awamutu Borough Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set part as a site for a public hall : And whereas it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Te Awamutu :

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 Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Te Awamutu, in trust, as a site for a public hall.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 32.48 perches, more or less, being part of Section 51, Town of Te Awamutu. Bounded towards the north-east by Redoubt Street, 175 links; towards the south-east by Sections 52 and 42 of aforesaid town, 116 links; towards the south-west by other part of said Section 51 (fire-brigade station), 175 links; towards the north-west by Roache Street, 116 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/3431a, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

Vesting a Reserve in the Te Awamutu Borough Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto has been duly set apart for a site for a fire-brigade station: And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to vest the said reserve in the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Te Awamutu:

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 Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Te Awamutu, in trust, for a site for a fire-brigade station.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 19.6 perches, more or less, being part of Section 51, Town of Te Awamutu. Bounded towards the north-east by other part of the said Section 51, 175 links; towards the south-east and south-west by Sections 54 and 53 (school-site) of the aforesaid town, 70 links and 175 links; and towards the north-west by Roache Street, 70 links: be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 22/3431, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered pink.

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

Vesting a Cemetery Reserve in the Howick Town Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Howick Town Board:

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 Howick Town Board, in trust, for a public cemetery.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 3 roods 12 perches, more or less, being Allotment 8 of Section 7 of small lots near the Village of Howick. Bounded towards the north by a line, 692 links; towards the east by a line and a road, 1131 links; towards the south by a road, 692 links; and towards the west by Allotment 7, 1131 links.

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

Vesting Water-supply System in Whakatane County Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS it is enacted by subsection one of section seventy-four of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1922, that the Governor-General may vest in the Corporation of the County of Whakatane the works already constructed by the Crown in connection with the installation of a water-supply system

for the Town of Matata and the district adjoining, together with all pipe-line easements and other rights or appurtenances acquired by His Majesty in connection with such water-supply system:

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 in that behalf by the said enactment, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that from and after the date hereof all the works constructed by the Crown in connection with the installation of a water-supply system for the Town of Matata and adjoining district, and all pipe-line easements and other rights or appurtenances acquired by His Majesty in connection with such water-supply system as generally described in the Schedule hereto, are hereby vested in the Corporation of the County of Whakatane.

SCHEDULE.

THE works consist of an intake dam in the Waitepuru Stream some 39 chains upstream from the south-east corner of the Township of Matata and a 3 in. supply-main, together with the necessary stopcocks, sluice-valves, air-valve, and standpipes as more particularly described hereunder.

DAM.

The dam is a mass-concrete structure 8 ft. high and of a mean length of 8 ft. built across a steep-sided gorge drained by the Waitepuru Stream.

The dam is pierced by a 9 in. cast-iron scour-pipe and a 3 in. cast-iron supply-pipe fitted upstream respectively with a 9-in.-diameter and a 3-in.-diameter sluice-valve. The intake-mouth of 3 in. supply is protected by a cast-iron rose-piece strainer.

PIPING.

The 3 in. supply for 360 ft. from the dam is of cast-iron pipes, and thereafter of wood. It runs for a length of 39 chains 13.2 links to the south-east corner of the town at the intersection of Pakeha and Pollen Streets, for 2484 links along Pollen Street, for 1073.7 links along St. John Street, and for 2654.4 links along Arawa Street, where it terminates.

The branches on left are—

Along Pakeha Street, 1,051 links of piping.
Along Wilson Street, 1,086 "
Along Mair Street, 844 "

The branches on right are—

1st, short branch, 456 links.
2nd, long branch, 2,963 "

VALVES, ETC.

In addition to the 3 in. and 9 in. valves at the dam, there are others—one each at Pakeha Street, Wilson Street, Arawa Street, and at the end of the long branch on right at St. John Street—six in all. Five of these are 3 in. and one 9 in. diameter.

Stopcocks are three in Pollen Street and one each in Pakeha and Wilson Streets; one each in the two right-hand branches at their junction opposite St. John and Heale Streets—seven in all.

Standpipes are four, one each in Mair Street and the short right-hand branch, and two in the long right-hand branch.

An air-valve in St. John Street is 140 links off the right-angled corner in pipe-line in Pollen Street.

The position of the said works is as shown approximately on the plan marked L. and S. 15/11/11, and deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey at Wellington.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Stratford County Council in respect of a Loan of £700, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of deviating and metalling the Kaiapoi Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 pre-

cedent 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 Stratford County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven hundred pounds for the purpose of deviating and metalling the Kaiapoi Road:

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

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Stratford County Council in respect of a Loan of £700, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of extending the Metalling of Toko Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Stratford County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven hundred pounds for the purpose of extending the metalling of Toko Road:

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

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

Prescribing the Term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the Sum of £20,000, being a Further Portion of a Loan of £40,000 authorized to be raised for Electric Works in the Waimate Borough Special Area.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 South Canterbury Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of forty thousand pounds for electric works in the Waimate Borough Special Area for a term of thirty-six and a half years, and is now desirous of raising the sum of twenty thousand pounds, being a further portion of the loan of forty thousand pounds:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the said sum of twenty thousand pounds shall be ten years, and the said South Canterbury Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twenty thousand pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Hutt County Council in respect of a Loan of £20,750, being a Portion of a Loan of £45,000 authorized to be raised for the Construction and Reconstruction of Main Roads and Main Highways, and all Works incidental thereto, and the Purchase of the Necessary Machinery therefor.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Hutt County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of forty-five thousand pounds for the construction and reconstruction of main roads and main highways, and all works incidental thereto, and the purchase of the necessary machinery therefor, and is now desirous of raising the sum of twenty thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds, being a portion of the loan of forty-five thousand pounds:

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

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Dannevirke Borough Council may borrow the Sum of £10,000, being a Portion of a Loan of £15,000 authorized to be raised for Street-construction.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Dannevirke Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of fifteen thousand pounds for street-construction, and is now desirous of raising the sum of ten thousand pounds, being a portion of the loan of fifteen thousand pounds :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Dannevirke Borough Council may borrow the said sum of ten thousand pounds shall be twenty years, and the said Dannevirke Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of ten thousand pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Ngaruawahia Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £900, authorized to be raised for completing the Erection of Town Hall, Municipal Offices, and Shops.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Ngaruawahia Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of nine thousand pounds for the purpose of erecting a town hall, municipal offices, and shops, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional sum of nine hundred pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of completing the undertaking :

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 Ngaruawahia Borough Council in respect of the said loan of nine hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum and the said Ngaruawahia Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of nine hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the sum of £10,000, being a Portion of a Loan of £40,000 authorized to be raised for Electric Works in the Waimate Borough Special Area.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 South Canterbury Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of forty thousand pounds for electric works in the Waimate Borough Special Area, for a term of thirty-six and a half years, and is now desirous of raising the sum of ten thousand pounds, being a portion of the loan of forty thousand pounds :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the said sum of ten thousand pounds shall be twenty years, and the said South Canterbury Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of ten thousand pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the Sum of £25,000, being a Portion of a Loan of £105,000 authorized to be raised for Electric Works in the Geraldine Special Area.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 South Canterbury Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of one hundred and five thousand pounds for electric works in the Geraldine

Area for a term of thirty-six and a half years, and is now desirous of raising the sum of twenty-five thousand pounds, being a portion of the loan of one hundred and five thousand pounds :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the said sum of twenty-five thousand pounds shall be twenty years, and the said South Canterbury Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twenty-five thousand pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the Sum of £50,000, being a Further Portion of a Loan of £105,000 authorized to be raised for Electric Works in the Geraldine Special Area.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 South Canterbury Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of one hundred and five thousand pounds for electric works in the Geraldine Special Area for a term of thirty-six and a half years, and is now desirous of raising the sum of fifty thousand pounds, being a further portion of the loan of one hundred and five thousand pounds :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the South Canterbury Electric-power Board may borrow the said sum of fifty thousand pounds shall be ten years, and the said South Canterbury Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of fifty thousand pounds for this term.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Thames Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £575, authorized to be raised for completing certain Public Works.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Thames Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six thousand five hundred pounds for the acquisition of lands required for approach roads, fencing, forming, and metalling such roads, constructing bridges and culverts, and other works in connection therewith, erecting cottage, outbuildings, and fences at municipal abattoir, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional sum of five hundred and seventy-five pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of completing the undertaking :

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 Thames Borough Council in respect of the said loan of five hundred and seventy-five pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Thames Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five hundred and seventy-five pounds accordingly.

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 £100, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of completing the Waterworks-extensions.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 five thousand eight hundred and sixty pounds for waterworks-extensions, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional sum of four hundred pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of completing the undertaking :

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 four 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 four hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Mackenzie County Council in respect of a Loan of £110, authorized to be raised for the Purchase of Plant for the Fairlie Fire Brigade.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Mackenzie County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of four hundred and ten pounds for the purchase of plant for the Fairlie Fire Brigade :

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

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Hokianga County Council in respect of a Loan of £7,500, authorized to be raised for Road Construction, Metalling, and Culverting.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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 Hokianga County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of seven thousand five hundred pounds for road construction, metalling, and culverting :

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

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

Removing Suspension of Duty on Bran and Pollard.
(C. No. 18.)

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section twelve of the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth, subject to the provisions of this Order, hereby revoke the Order in Council made on the twenty-fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and gazetted on the twenty-seventh day of March then instant, which suspended the existing Tariff (being the First Schedule to the Customs Amendment Act, 1921) in so far as it related to bran and pollard ; and doth hereby order that on the coming into operation of this Order in Council the duties of Customs imposed by the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, shall be levied on bran and pollard as if the Order in Council hereby revoked had not been made.

This Order in Council shall come into operation on the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

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

Revoking the Prohibition of the Exportation of Bran and Pollard. (C. No. 19).

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-seven of the Customs Act, 1913, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth, subject to the provisions of this Order, hereby revoke the Order in Council made on the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and gazetted on the twenty-sixth day of April then instant, which prohibited to the extent specified therein the exportation of bran and pollard from New Zealand.

This Order in Council shall come into operation on the first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

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

Revoking Fees for surveying and defining the Load-lines of Ships, and prescribing Others in lieu thereof.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the tenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of the same month, a regulation was made prescribing the fees to be paid for the surveying and defining of the load-lines of ships :

And whereas it is desirable to revoke the said regulation and to make another in lieu thereof :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section two hundred and twelve of the Shipping and Seamen Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the hereinbefore-recited regulation of the tenth day

of June, one thousand nine hundred and eight, and doth hereby make the following regulation in lieu thereof.

REGULATION.

THE following fees shall be paid in respect of the surveying and defining the load-line of ships, viz. :—

	£	s.	d.
For a ship under 150 tons gross	1	0	0
For a ship from 150 tons gross to 300 tons gross	2	0	0
" 300 " 1,000 "	4	0	0
" 1,000 " 2,000 "	6	0	0
" 2,000 " 3,000 "	8	0	0
" 3,000 " 4,000 "	10	0	0
And so on for ships of larger tonnage, adding for every 1,000 tons above 4,000 tons .. .	3	0	0

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

Validating the Proceedings in connection with a Loan of £150, proposed to be raised by the Council of the County of Waimarino.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Waimarino County Council, acting under and in pursuance of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, proposes to raise a loan of one hundred and fifty pounds for the purpose of culverting and forming Boyd's Road :

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

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

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

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

Changing the Purpose of a Reserve in the Auckland Land District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is a reserve duly set apart for public purposes, being a purpose within Class II of the Second Schedule of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, and such land is not vested in trust in any society, body corporate, or trustee :

And whereas it is expedient that such land should be appropriated for a public-school site, being a purpose within Class III of the said Second Schedule :

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the eleventh section of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908, do by this notification declare that the said land shall from and after the ninth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, be appropriated for a public-school site under Class III of the Public Reserves and Domains Act, 1908; and I do hereby direct that this notification shall be published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 2 roods 26.5 perches, more or less, being Lot 40 and Part Lot 35, as shown on plan No. 15615, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland. Bounded towards the north-east by part Lot 35

as shown on plan No. 15615 aforesaid, 600-03 links; towards the south-east by Lot 6 and Lot 5, as shown on deeds plan No. C. 90, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Auckland, 615-41 links; towards the south-west by Lot 3 and Lot 2 as shown on deeds plan No. C. 90 aforesaid, 600-01 links; towards the north-west by Storey Avenue, 606-51 links; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L and S. 6/6/352B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered purple.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the 8th day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, as the time at which the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction for cash or on deferred payments; and I hereby fix the price at which the said land shall be sold as that mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

Marlborough County.—Town of Blenheim.

ALLOTMENT 177 of Section 3, Omaka: Area, 1 rood; upset price, £765.

This residential property is situated in Charles Street, Blenheim, about fifteen chains from the post-office. Buildings consist of six-roomed residence with front veranda, bath-room, and pantry, also small motor-shed.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in Nelson Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease under Section 214 of the Land Act, 1924.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the fifteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.—CROWN LAND.

Murchison Conuty.—Maruia Survey District.—Westland Mining District.

(Exempt from rent for four years.)

SECTION 2, Block XVI: Area, 542 acres. Capital value, £300. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £6.

Situated in the Maruia Valley, nineteen miles from Murchison by metalled road, two miles from Paenga Post-office with school on opposite side of river. Cream-carting service to Murchison Dairy Factory. The section runs back from the road in successive terraces. About 170 acres hillside. A fire has been over about 200 acres of the section, part of which area was felled and grassed, but is now in fern. Remainder of area bushclad. Soil of fair quality, good on frontage, but poorer towards the back of the section. Sandstone and limestone formation. Forest of medium bush, principally mixed birch, well watered. Altitude, 600 ft. to 2,200 ft. above sea-level. There is a fence along the greater part of the frontage of this section and on part of the southern boundary.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Opening National-endowment Land in Nelson Land District for Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare and provide as follows, that is to say:—

The national-endowment rural land enumerated in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for selection on renewable lease on Wednesday, the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, at the rental specified in the said Schedule, and shall be deemed to be heavy-bush land.

After the first half-year's rent has been paid by the selector the further instalments of rent payable by him for a period of two years shall not be demanded; provided that if at any time during the first five years of his occupancy the selector disposes of his interest in the land the rent so conceded shall be paid by him in full, and thereupon the Land Board may remit such instalments of rent payable by the incoming tenant, not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of rent previously conceded to the selector, as the Board thinks fit.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.

Waimea County.—Hope Survey District.

(Exempt from rent for two years.)

SECTION 5, Block XIII: Area, 1,170 acres; capital value, £1,300; half-yearly rent, £32 10s.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Lands in Auckland Land District for Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and amendments, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, 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 Monday, the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, 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.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Whakatane County.—Rangitaiki Upper Survey District.—First-class Land.

Te Ngaroa Settlement.

SECTION 1s: Area, 109 acres 3 roods 9 perches. Capital value, £1,600; buildings, £340. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £36.

Section 2s: Area, 47 acres 0 roods 35 perches. Capital value, £945. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £21 5s. 3d.

Te Ngaroa Settlement is situated on the Rotorua-Whakatane Road, about one mile from Te Teko Township, on the Rangitaiki River, and about fourteen miles from Whakatane. There is a dairy factory at Riverslea on the East Coast Railway (Edgumbe Station) and a cheese factory near Matuku Settlement on the Tarawera River. Section 1s comprises about 67 acres of drained swamp land in fair pasture, the remainder being manuka flats, covered with a layer of volcanic sand. Section 2s comprises about 40 acres of drained swamp land in good pasture, the balance being a volcanic sand ridge in manuka running the length of the western boundary. A drain has been constructed on the eastern boundary.

IMPROVEMENTS.

The improvements not included in the capital value and to be paid for separately are—Section 1s: Kauri house 24 ft. by 27 ft. four rooms, range, two 600-gallon tanks, and cow-shed with concrete floor, and one 600-gallon tank; value, £340. Repayable in cash or in fourteen years by twenty-eight

half-yearly instalments of £17 3s. 5d; total half-yearly instalments on lease, £53 3s. 5d.

The following improvements are included in the capital values—Section 1s: 113 chains internal fence, half-share 57 chains boundary-fence, 66 chains drain (half in bad repair), bridge, and artesian well; value, £308 18s. 9d. Section 2s: 50 chains fence (2 wires and stakes) in bad repair, 7 chains good fence, 25 chains medium fence, and half-share 13 chains boundary-fence, value £43 2s. 6d.

SPECIAL CONDITION.

There is an annual drainage rate levied on these sections under the Rangitaiki Land Drainage Act, for the construction and maintenance of main drains, which is collected by the Land Drainage Branch of this Department, and the successful applicants will be responsible for rates accruing as from date of selection.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Town Lands in Otago Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the town lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Tuesday, the seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, 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 Act.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

Vincent County.—Town of Clyde.

SECTION 2, Block LV: Area, 7 acres 0 roods 36 perches. Capital value, £15. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 7s. 6d.

Section 3, Block LV: Area, 7 acres 1 rood 15 perches. Capital value, £15. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 7s. 6d.

Section 1, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 1 rood 28 perches. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 2, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 1 rood 33 perches. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 3, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 1 rood 37 perches. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 4, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 2 roods 1 perch. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 5, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 2 roods 6 perches. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 6, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 2 roods 10 perches. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 7, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 2 roods 15 perches. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 8, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 2 roods 19 perches. Capital value, £20. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 9, Block LIX: Area, 5 acres 2 roods 23 perches. Capital value, £17 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 8s. 9d.

Section 10, Block LIX: Area, 14 acres 1 rood 3 perches. Capital value, £45. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 2s. 6d.

Section 1, Block LX: Area, 11 acres 3 roods 22 perches. Capital value, £25. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 12s. 6d.

Section 2, Block LX: Area, 25 acres 3 roods 12 perches. Capital value, £50. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 5s.

Section 3, Block LX: Area, 23 acres 2 roods 2 perches. Capital value, £50. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 5s.

Level land of a light shingly nature. Commanded by Chatto Creek irrigation scheme, and may grow lucerne. Distant from half a mile to a mile from railway-station, school, and post-office.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General this 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Lands in the Otago Land District for Sale or Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, having received the report of the Under-Secretary in this behalf, as provided by section one hundred and seventy-six of the said Act, do hereby declare that the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for sale or selection on Tuesday, the seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five; and also that the lands mentioned in the said Schedule may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease; and I do hereby also fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased as mentioned in the said Schedule hereto, and do declare that the said lands shall be sold, occupied, or leased under and subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Bruce County.—Akatore Survey District.

SECTION 31, Block I: Area, 52 acres 1 rood 5 perches. Capital value, £25. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, 12s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Situated on northerly faces of ridges overlooking Town of Milton about two miles distant. Surface broken and steep; soil generally composed of rotten rock of a crumbling and moving nature. No improvements.

Clutha County.—Catlin's Survey District.

Section 17, Block VII: Area, 134 acres 1 rood 16 perches. Capital value, £120. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2 8s.

Weighted with £37 10s., valuation for felling and burning an area of 15 acres.

A rough bush section, steep towards shore and creek and the eastern and south-eastern boundaries. Situated about eight miles from Tawanui School and Railway-station on the Catlin's Branch Railway.

Section 18, Block VII: Area, 287 acres 1 rood. Capital value, £145. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3 12s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2 18s.

A rough bush section and fairly rough land. Situated about nine miles from Tawanui Railway-station and Post-office.

Section 19, Block VII: Area, 266 acres 1 rood. Capital value, £200. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £5. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £4.

Covered with dense rough bush; has a fair soil, but a broken surface. Situated about five miles and a half from Tahatika School and about nine miles and a half from Tawanui Railway-station on the Catlin's Branch Railway.

Section 20, Block VII: Area, 205 acres. Capital value, £130. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £3 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2 12s.

A heavy bush section with a broken surface. Situated about five miles and a half from Tahatika School and Post-office, and about ten miles from Tawanui Railway-station on the Catlin's Branch Railway.

Section 33, Block VII: Area, 36 acres 1 rood 35 perches. Capital value, £25. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, 12s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Broken bush section, uneven, native bush. Situated four miles from Tawanui Railway-station and Post-office and within four miles and a half of Tawanui School.

Clutha County.—Catlin's Survey District.

Section 65, Block IV: Area, 117 acres 3 roods 24 perches. Capital value, £60. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £1 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £1 4s.

A rough bush section with light soil; broken by a number of deep gullies. The general aspect is south-easterly. The timber is light, chiefly birch with dense undergrowth—fuchsia, and fern. Situated about twelve miles from Owaka and two miles from school. Formed road to within a mile of north-west corner.

Lake County.—Lower Wanaka Survey District.

Section 11, Block XIV: Area, 26 acres 0 roods 33 perches. Capital value, £25. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, 12s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Section 12, Block XIV: Area, 26 acres 2 roods 38 perches. Capital value, £25. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, 12s. 6d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, 10s.

Situated near Lake Wanaka, about two miles and a quarter from Pembroke. Sections dry, and soil light. No water, and cannot be irrigated.

Clutha County.—Tautuku Survey District.

Section 21, Block XII: Area, 153 acres 3 roods 5 perches. Capital value, £100. Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £2 10s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £2.

Weighted with £490 valuation for improvements consisting of felling, grassing, and stumping £210, fencing £60, and buildings £220.

Situated about four miles from Chaslands School and Post-office and about fourteen miles from Papatowai, which is about one mile from McLennan Railway-station. Heavy bush land, mostly kamai. About 100 acres felled, but bad with second growth. Soil poor, resting on stone and clay formation. Watered by springs and streams. Altitude, about 500 ft.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Tuesday, the twenty-first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction for cash or on deferred payments; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Town of Orewa Extension No. 9, Subdivisions of Allotment 279, Waiwera Parish.

Lot	Area	Upset Price.		
		R. P.	A. R.	P.
Lot 48 of Allotment 279	1 18	52	10 0
.. 49	1 15	52	10 0
.. 50	1 15	52	10 0
.. 51	1 15	52	10 0
.. 52	1 15	52	10 0
.. 53	1 15	52	10 0
.. 56	1 1	52	10 0
.. 58	1 0	52	10 0
.. 59	1 0	52	10 0
.. 60	1 0	52	10 0
.. 61	1 0	52	10 0
.. 62	1 0	52	10 0
.. 63	1 0	52	10 0
.. 64	1 4	52	10 0
.. 65	1 4	52	10 0
.. 66	1 4	52	10 0
.. 67	1 4	52	10 0
.. 68	1 4	52	10 0
.. 71	1 2	52	10 0
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.. 78	2 28	52	10 0
.. 79	1 0	52	10 0
.. 80	1 0	52	10 0
.. 81	1 0	52	10 0
.. 82	1 0	52	10 0
.. 83	1 0	52	10 0
.. 84	1 0	52	10 0
.. 85	1 0	52	10 0
.. 86	1 0	52	10 0
.. 87	2 11	52	10 0
.. 88	1 5	52	10 0
.. 89	1 5	52	10 0
.. 90	1 0	52	10 0
.. 91	2 11	52	10 0

DESCRIPTION.

Camping and seaside-residence sites facing the Orewa Beach, which is one of the best beaches handy to Auckland. The land is level and of a sandy nature, hummocky in places, and all in grass, fern, and manuka. Fresh water may be obtained by sinking. Access is from Silverdale, two miles and a half distant and Orewa, one mile distant. Both places have good steamer service.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

All sections will be sold subject to drainage easements.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint Wednesday, the eighth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, as the time at which the lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be sold by public auction; and I do hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

Pahiatua County.

PART Section 8, Block XIV, Mangahao Survey District:—
Mackenzie Village Settlement.

Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7: Area, 1 acre each; upset price, £20 each.

Each section is weighted with £2 5s., valuation for fencing, to be paid in cash.

These sections are situated about 20 chains from the Mangamaire Railway-station, near the Rexdale Dairy Factory. Comprise all flat land in grass. Fenced on boundary of Section 10, McKenzie Village Settlement, and on frontage to the Tutaekara Road.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 21st day of February, 1925.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Minister of Lands.

Selling apart Crown Land under Section 161 of the Land Act, 1924.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and sixty-one of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 13, Block XI, Ruakaka Survey District: Area, 3 acres 1 rood 22 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of February, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Miners' Rights no longer issued at Kumara, Stafford, and Rimu Post-offices.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon me by the Mining Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the post-offices at Kumara, Stafford, and Rimu shall no longer be post-offices at which miners' rights may be issued.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of February, 1925.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Mines.

(Mines N. 10.5.14.)

Judge of the Supreme Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 19th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Oscar Thorwald Johann Alpers, Esq.,

to be a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, under section 11 of the Judicature Act, 1908.

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

Resignation of Judge of Supreme Court.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 19th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the resignation by

The Honourable John Henry Hosking

of his office as a Judge of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, as from the 18th day of February, 1925.

F. H. D. BELL, for Prime Minister.

Chairman of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

John George Lewis Hewitt, Esq., S.M.,

to be Chairman of the Licensing Committees for the Districts of Rotorua and Tauranga, vice W. G. K. Kenrick, Esq., S.M., on leave.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Walter Parker

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Waipawa, vice C. O. Pratt.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

Member of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Matthew Albert Carr, Esq.,

to be a member of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wellington, vice C. W. Chilman, resigned.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

Justice of the Peace resigned.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 24th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the resignation by

Arthur James Rush, Esq.,

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

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

Bailiff of Magistrates' Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 17th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable Timothy Mannix

to be Bailiff of the Magistrates' Court at Lyttelton on and from the 1st day of February, 1925, vice Constable Charles Ross, transferred.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Justice.

Appointment of Officer under Part II of the Fisheries Act, 1908.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 18th February, 1925.

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

Thomas Hamilton Harvey,

of Rangitumau, Wairarapa, to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of the first-mentioned Act, in respect of the Wellington Acclimatization District.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 24th February, 1925.

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

Stanley Alfred Grant ..	..	Nokomai and Switzers.
John Eric Hope Stewart ..	..	Te Araroa.
Patrick Reginald Shannon ..	..	Granity (at Millerton).*
Alfred Andrews ..	..	Feilding.
Ralph Long ..	..	Mangonui.
William McNickle ..	..	Devonport.*

* Births and deaths only.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Registrar of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 19th February, 1925.

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

John Lodewyk Crowther, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Rotorua, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Rotorua, as from the 6th January, 1925.

Henry Hector Scott, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Stratford, as from the 3rd day of February, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Appointments in New Zealand (Reserve) Naval Forces.

Navy Office,
Wellington, 25th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointments in the New Zealand (Reserve) Naval Forces :—

As Lieutenant, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (New Zealand Division), with seniority to date 21st February, 1925,—

Oscar Weldon Carter.
Edric Cameron Alexander.
Roy Peard Henry Mays.
Andrew Gilmore Carnahan.
George Edwin Lisle Alderton.
William Theodore Edney.
Percy Palfrey Crawford, D.S.C.
Roland Evelyn Fry.
Richard Percy Nisbet, D.S.C.
Malcolm Stuart Kirkwood.
George Widdrington Horsley.
William James Connors.
Charles Henry Tarr Palmer.
Cecil Vincent Conolly.
Charles Caldwell Harrison-Smith.

As Paymaster-Lieutenant, Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve (New Zealand Division), with seniority to date 21st February, 1925,—

James Charles Hewson.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Award of Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 17th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to Major F. C. Soar, Regiment of New Zealand Artillery.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Awards of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 17th February, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration to the undermentioned officers :—

Major G. W. Cockroft, the Hawke's Bay Regiment.

Major R. Noble-Adams, M.B., New Zealand Medical Corps.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 19th February, 1925.

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

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Finance.

*OTOROHANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.**Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan.—Upper Mangawhero Special-rating Area.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the County of Otorohanga was taken on the 23rd day of January, 1925, on the proposal of the Otorohanga County Council to borrow the sum of £1,500 for the purpose of forming, culverting, and metalling the Mangawhero Road along frontages of Tahaia B, B 2A, and B 2C 3, and also to erect bridge over the Mangawhero Stream on the same road. The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 10; against the proposal was 1.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

F. POTTS, Chairman.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 23rd February, 1925.

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

F. H. D. BELL, for Minister of Finance.

*HOBSON COUNTY.**Whatoro—Opouteke Road Loan.*

NOTICE is hereby given that at the poll of ratepayers taken on 23rd January, 1925, on the proposal to borrow £500 for the purpose of acquiring and making deviation of the Whatoro—Opouteke Road the number of votes recorded was as follows :—

For the proposal, 10; against the proposal, 1.

I therefore declare the proposal to be carried.

Opanake Road Loan.

Notice is hereby given that at the poll of ratepayers taken on 23rd January, 1925, on the proposal to borrow £300 for the purpose of acquiring and forming the Opanake Road at Kaihu (Grice's Road), the number of votes recorded was as follows :—

For the proposal, 4; against the proposal, 0.

I therefore declare the proposal to be carried.

V. TROUNSON, Chairman.

Redefining Boundaries of the Borough of Feilding and the County of Oroua.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 19th February, 1925.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the Borough of Feilding are hereby defined as set out in the First Schedule hereto, the boundaries of the said borough having been altered by Order in Council dated the 22nd day of December, 1923, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and published in *Gazette* No. 1, of the 10th day of January, 1924, and also by an Order in Council dated the 12th day of December, 1924, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and published in the *Gazette* No. 85, of the 18th day of December, 1924.

And also, in pursuance of the provisions of the said section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the County of Oroua affected by the said alteration of boundaries of the Borough of Feilding made by the said Order in Council dated the 22nd day of December, 1923,

and by the said Order in Council dated the 12th day of December, 1924, are hereby defined as set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE BOROUGH OF FEILDING.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at the south-western corner of Section 184, Block XIV, Oroua Survey District, and proceeding thence easterly along the southern boundary of the said Section 184 and its production to the eastern side of the Makino Road; thence northerly along that road to the north-western corner of Section 161; thence easterly along the northern boundary of the said Section 161, and southerly along the eastern boundary-line of Sections 161, 160, 159, 158, 157, 156, 155, 154, 153, and 152, to the northern side of Roots Road; thence easterly along the northern side of Roots Road to a point in line with the eastern boundary of Section 86; across Roots Road, and southerly along that boundary and the eastern boundary of Section 88 to Port Street; thence easterly along the northern side of Port Street to Pharazyn Street; across Pharazyn Street, and along the southern boundary of Section 133 to Arnold Street; thence south-westerly along the north-western side of Arnold Street to Pharazyn Street; southerly along the eastern side of Pharazyn Street to the south-eastern side of Arnold Street; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern side of Arnold Street to the south-western boundary of Section 130; thence south-easterly along that boundary to the south-western corner of the said section; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundaries of Sections 130, 129, 128, and 127 on plan No. 20, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington, to the south-western boundary of the half-acre lot being part of Section 127 aforesaid; thence north-westerly along the south-western boundary of the aforesaid half-acre lot to its north-western corner; thence north-westerly along the north-western boundary of the aforesaid half-acre lot and its production to the north-eastern boundary of Section 126; thence south-easterly along the north-eastern boundary of Section 126 to the south-eastern corner of the said section 126; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of Section 125, plan No. 20, deposited as aforesaid, to Reid's Road; across Reid's Road, and south-easterly along its north-eastern side to the south-eastern side of Kimbolton Road; thence south-westerly along Kimbolton Road to the Kiwitea Stream; down left bank of that stream, and the right bank of the Oroua River to the railway reserve; thence north-westerly along the north-eastern side of the said reserve to South Street; along the southern side of that street, the eastern side of Awahuri Road, the southern side of Haggitt Street, the eastern side of Windsor Terrace, and the northern side of Glasgow Terrace to a point in line with the eastern boundary of Lot 1, shown on plan No. 2289, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence to and along that boundary and the northern boundaries of Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 on said deposited plan, the eastern boundary of Lot 6 (deposited plan No. 999), and its production to the northern side of Ranfurly Road; thence along that side of Ranfurly Road and along the western boundary of Allotment 26A and part of the western boundary of Allotment 26; thence by lines bearing $314^{\circ} 12'$ distance 112 links, bearing $351^{\circ} 40'$ distance 292.8 links, to a point on the southern boundary of Allotment 24, distant 204.6 links from the north-western corner of said Allotment 26; thence along a right line to the south-western corner of Allotment 23, deposited plan 999, and along the western boundary of that Allotment to Sandon Road; thence along the southern side of that road to its intersection with a right line parallel to and distant 1000 links from the western side of West Street; thence northerly along said line to the road forming the northern boundary of Section 132, and along the southern side of that road to the north-eastern corner of said Section 132; thence northerly along a right line crossing said road to the eastern boundary of Section 130, and along said boundary to the point of commencement.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

BOUNDARIES OF THE COUNTY OF OROUA.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District, bounded towards the north and north-east by the Kiwitea County from a point in the middle of the Rangitikei River in line with the production of the northern boundary of Subdivision N of the Manchester Block; thence by a right line to and along that boundary to the north-eastern corner of the said block; thence south-easterly along the north-eastern boundaries of the Manchester Block Registration District, to the south-eastern corner of the said Manchester Block Registration District; thence south-westerly along the south-eastern boundary of the aforesaid registration district to the Manawatu River; thence across that river to the north-eastern corner of Section 49,

Block III, Gorge Survey District; thence south-westerly along the western boundaries of Sections 49, 50, 166, Ferry Reserve, Sections 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, across a road, Sections 26, 28, 30, 32, 33, 34, to the southernmost corner of the last-mentioned section, Blocks III and V, Gorge Survey District; thence north-westerly along the middle of the road forming the southern boundaries of Sections 34, 47, and 46, Block V aforesaid, to the Manawatu River; across that river, and along the southern boundaries of Sections 452 and 451 and the eastern boundaries of Sections 450 and 449, Block VIII, Kairanga Survey District, to the southernmost corner of the last-mentioned section; thence north-westerly along the south-western boundary of the last-mentioned section to the Palmerston-Gorge Road; across that road, and along the road forming the south-western boundary of Sections 21, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, and 29, Block VIII aforesaid; along the road forming the south-eastern boundary of Section 13, Block VIII aforesaid, to its southernmost corner; thence north-westerly along the road forming south-western boundaries of Sections 13 and 12, Block VIII, and Sections 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, and 5, to the Palmerston - New Plymouth Railway; thence by that railway to the Oroua River; across that river, and by the southern and western boundaries of the Borough of Feilding, heretofore described, to the middle of Highfield Road; thence by a line along the middle of Highfield Road to the south-eastern corner of Allotment No. 23 of Section No. 131 on plan No. 1235, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence by the southern boundary of that allotment to its south-western corner; thence by Sections Nos. 128, 127, 123, 122, and 117, in Block XIII, Oroua Survey District, and the northern boundary of the last-mentioned section produced to the middle of the road at its north-western corner; thence by a line along the middle of the road forming the western and part of the northern boundaries of Section No. 116 in Block IX, Oroua Survey District, to the Mangaone Stream; thence by that stream to the northern boundary of Section No. 112 in Block IX aforesaid; thence by that section to its north-western corner; thence by Section No. 111 in Block XII, Rangitoto Survey District, across a road, and by Section No. 101, Block XII aforesaid, the southern boundary of Section No. 144, Native Reserve, to a public road; thence across that road and by its western side to the southern boundary of Section No. 99; thence by the southern boundary of that section and its production to the middle of the Rangitikei River; and thence towards the west by a line along the middle of the Rangitikei River to the place of commencement: excluding therefrom the Borough of Feilding.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Notice making and levying Rates under the Rangitikei Land Drainage Act, 1910.

I, ALEXANDER DONALD McLEOD, Minister of Lands, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Rangitikei Land Drainage Act, 1910, do hereby make and levy upon the unimproved value of all lands liable to be rated in pursuance of that Act a rate on a graduated scale as specified in the Schedule hereto according to the classification of the land.

The said rates will be payable in one sum on the 12th day of March, 1925, to the Collector of Rates for the Rangitikei Land Drainage District at the Chief Drainage Engineer's Office, 5 Law Court Buildings, High Street, Auckland, at which office the rate-book will be open for inspection.

A copy of the rate-book may be inspected by ratepayers at the office of the Chief Drainage Engineer at Thorndon near Whakatane, at all times at which that office is open for transaction of public business.

SCHEDULE.

CLASS A: On the unimproved value of all lands classified as Class A by the arbitrators appointed under the said Act, tenpence and ninety-seven one-hundredths of a penny (10d. and 97/100d.) in the pound.

Class B: On the unimproved value of all lands classified as Class B by the arbitrators appointed under the said Act, sevenpence and thirty-one one-hundredths of a penny (7d. and 31/100d.) in the pound.

Class C: On the unimproved value of all lands classified as Class C by the arbitrators appointed under the said Act, threepence and sixty-five one-hundredths of a penny (3d. and 65/100d.) in the pound.

Class D: On the unimproved value of all lands classified as Class D by the arbitrators appointed under the said Act, one penny and twenty-one one-hundredths of a penny (1d. and 21/100d.) in the pound.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Certificates of Naturalization granted.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 24th February, 1925.

IT is hereby notified, for public information, that certificates of naturalization, in accordance with the provisions of the British Nationality and Status of Aliens (in New Zealand) Act, 1923, have been granted to the persons named and described hereunder.

RICH D. F. BOLLARD, Minister of Internal Affairs.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Country of Birth.	Date of Naturalization.
Cocurullo, James	Longlands	Cook	Italy	23/2/25.
Devoich, Lvonimir	Omana Tunnel	Miner	Dalmatia	"
Docookin, Constantine	Leeston	Labourer	Russia	"
Redman, Albert Fred Henry	Waihola	"	Germany	"
Roband, Peter Nelson	Greytown	Retired farmer	Sweden	"
Sefont, Emanuel	Auckland	Diver and labourer	Chili	"
Thaughland, Christian*	"	Seaman	Norway.	"

* Certificate under section 9; previously naturalized 20th September, 1912.

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.

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Armstrong, Beatrice Syrena	Northland, Wellington	Married woman ..	3/9/23	21/2/25	Intestate	Wellington.
2	Baker, Elizabeth Fullerton	Formerly of New Plymouth, but late of Eastbourne, near Wellington	" ..	4/1/25	21/2/25	Testate	"
3	Cairncross, William	Wellington	Pantryman	2/1/25	18/2/25	Intestate	"
4	Cameron, Kelvin Eric	Wanganui	Surveyor's assistant	21/12/24	21/2/25	Testate	"
5	Greer, James Courtney	Wellington	Accountant	21/7/24	21/2/25	"	"
6	Hunter, Louisa	Martinborough	Married woman ..	26/4/19	18/2/25	Intestate	"
7	Jackson, Emma Madeleine	Auckland	"	28/12/24	18/2/25	Testate	Auckland.
8	Kilmartin, Edward	Westport	Labourer	7/1/25	21/2/25	Intestate	Hokitika.
9	Nicholas, Mary	Gisborne	Married woman ..	31/1/25	18/2/25	"	Gisborne.
10	Phipps, William	Waikari	Labourer	23/12/24	18/2/25	"	Christchurch.
11	Richards, Joseph Sydney ..	Christchurch	Driver	17/1/25	18/2/25	"	"
12	Steinberg, Sandar	Gisborne	Labourer	4/11/24	21/2/25	Testate	Gisborne.
13	Wiley, Damarus Owen	Aotuhia, near Whangamomona	Widow	24/5/24	21/2/25	Intestate	New Plymouth.
14	Young, Robert Henry Gordon	Auckland	Insurance clerk ..	11/12/24	21/2/25	"	Auckland.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, N.Z., 24th February, 1925.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Mining Privileges struck off the Registers.—Notice under the Mining Amendment Act, 1914.

Mining Registrar's Office, Naseby, 7th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 30 (4) of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914, that the mining privileges mentioned in the Schedule hereto have been struck off the Registers.

J. S. MOSLEY, Deputy Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
348	19/4/69	Water-race	Little Kyeburn	J. P. Brown.
5331	24/12/80	"	Mount Burster	"
4227	11/5/20	"	Murphy's Creek	E. B. Callery and P. Donoghue.
1766	17/6/04	"	Bush Creek	J. W. Cooper.
663	20/1/80	"	Pegleg Gully.	Ann Dillon.
3258	10/5/11	"	Stuart's Gully	Patrick Hanrahan, jun.
2649	6/11/07	"	Annetts Creek	Patrick Kinney.
2266	30/3/06	"	Maerewhenua River ..	Alex. and G. Meikle.
4344	5/6/22	"	South West Creek	W. A. McLean and others.
3915	12/11/15	"	Camp Creek	George Sutherland.
1836	4/3/87	"	German Jack's Creek ..	J. T. Weatherall and others.
1695	16/3/04	"	Serpentine Creek	"
1696	16/3/04	"	Sowburn Creek	"
1697	16/3/04	"	Steels Creek	"
8673	7/9/97	"	German Gully	Edgar Williamson.
14	24/1/99	"	Scrubby Gully	"

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of New Zealand during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1924.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Gisborne.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau (including Picton).	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1923.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	Quantities.		Revenue.	£
Spirits	per gal.	80003	182	7921	2390	2404	9397	73068	11822	1993	2517	1253	3770	359	43839	4390	48	38844	7680	165,445 gal.	291,880	273,560	
perfum.		489					7	585	16		4	3	2		216			134		368	1,459	1,705	
Cigars and Snuff	per lb.	2219		2	116		177	2482	280		48	2	34		1567	9		1297	11	13,742 lb.	8,244	6,890	
Cigarettes		48197	2	2488	3535	1425	4931	39614	5861	1145	1924	569	1777	536	20268	2205	4	15558	4853		154,892	145,443	
Tobacco, manufactured	per lb.	53162	1	2410	4433	1665	5749	33969	5828	1352	2086	705	2102	485	20062	3734		16982	6483	599,287 lb.	161,208	179,926	
unmanufactured	per lb.	191						7153	824											81,687	8,168	7,690	
Wine, sparkling	per gal.	730		42	13		34	1193	133		25	2	15		341	3		176	18	3,818 gal.	2,725	1,647	
South African	per gal.	16																		34	16	1	
Australian	per gal.	1546		32	57	79	83	1184	340	76	76	47	179	45	939	203		628	220	28,820	5,734	4,592	
other kinds		1356		96	16	5	60	1361	130	15	91		7	10	1330	1		312	11	15,906	4,801	4,042	
South African	per gal.	780	23	16	46	8		511	53	less 1	11	19	less 4		868	51		113	90	14,765	2,584	2,361	
Ale, beer, &c.	per gal.	342		2	21	8	88	511	17	13	36	12			441	7		95	69	16,664	1,666	1,305	
Chicory, Cocoa, and Chocolate—																							
General Tariff	per lb.	74			10			101	4							35	10		59	21	16,437 lb.	314	431
British Preferential Tariff	per lb.	382						362						28		132	12		104	63	86,736	1,083	1,960
Tea—																							
General Tariff	per lb.	201			less 15		2	215	8		5				6	88	4		221	3	86,269	738	696
British Preferential Tariff	per lb.	66			15			78	2						15				2	3	28,022	181	221
Goods by Weight—																							
General Tariff		7982		47	390		200	4913	451		69	less 1	13	1	1566	66		1027	3538		20,262	17,068	
British Preferential Tariff		18132	less 1	231	1204	14	647	10774	881	41	114	71	212	34	4460	387	11	3663	1408		42,286	31,845	
South African Tariff		1						4							1						6	351	
Goods ad valorem—																							
General Tariff		122084		134	1499	3330	184	3235	129390	6726	274	1225	165	1145	314	66443	5247	310	42397	3923		388,085	375,762
British Preferential Tariff		197300	2104	3677	7849	755	8531	180751	14392	1272	2729	797	1976	540	88810	9297	1965	63264	10747		596,756	689,400	
South African Tariff		145						43							71						259	163	
Other Duties—																							
General Tariff		16200		41	871		706	17519	1319	8	488	2	27		8485	246		7086	341		53,339	40,942	
British Preferential Tariff		7925	10	98	150	14	58	8840	974	9	52	29	32		4500	2597	81	4230	300		29,899	29,350	
South African Tariff																							
Primage		38768	25	238	679	1823	89	1468	31755	2712	127	461	167	335	64	16105	1712	189	12036	2519		111,272	112,378
Special duty on goods from countries having depreciated currency		1807		2	9	35	2	35	1477	92	12	30	2		7	218	34	10	486	49		4,307	4,304

(a) 36s., 30s., 18s., 16s., 4s. 6d. per gallon.

(b) 70s., 90s. per gallon.

(c) 25s. 6d. per 1,000 of 2½lb. and under, and 10s. 6d. per lb.

(d) 10s., 4s. 10d., 4s. 8d. per lb.

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1924—continued.
CUSTOMS DUTIES—continued.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Gisborne.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau (including Pictou).	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1923.
																					Quantities.	Revenue.	
Totals—		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
General Tariff	332908	319	14533	15104	5691	24575	311641	33356	4800	8512	2707	8890	1715	164543	15919	362	124088	27008	..	1,096,681	1,056,510	
British Preferential Tariff	225673	2113	4055	9232	862	9330	202422	16642	1398	2977	949	2429	634	98979	12499	2057	71994	12744	..	677,039	757,069	
South African Tariff	942	23	16	46	8	..	558	53	..	less 1	11	19	less 4	940	51	..	113	90	..	2,865	2,876	
Primage	38768	25	238	679	1833	89	1468	31755	2712	127	461	167	335	64	16105	1712	189	12036	2519	..	111,272	112,378
Special duty on goods from countries having depreciated currency	1807	..	2	9	35	2	35	1477	92	12	30	2	..	7	218	34	10	486	49	..	4,307	4,304
Grand totals	600098	25	2695	19292	26290	6652	35408	547853	52865	6337	11979	3836	11673	2416	280785	30215	2618	208717	42410	..	1,892,164	..
Corresponding quarter, 1923	623985	8	422	21873	27276	7183	35098	562421	49830	5876	12991	3421	10255	1775	279623	31478	4362	212665	42595	..	..	1,933,137

COMPARATIVE RETURN of CUSTOMS DUTIES for the YEARS 1923 and 1924.

Year 1924 .. .. .	.. .. .	2297003	30	4326	78079	106745	27784	139763	2212912	207612	23263	49159	14558	42615	7257	1097816	133600	11794	859066	167565	..	7,480,947	..
Year 1923 .. .. .	.. .. .	2246907	22	1437	78795	96166	28087	127024	2101033	181986	21048	46962	13694	40648	6410	1085355	100797	15970	841620	153100	..	..	7,187,061

EXCISE DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Lyttelton.	Dunedin.	Other Ports.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1923.
							Quantities.	Revenue.	
Beer	£ 34,808	£ 16,196	£ 23,880	£ 65,675	£ 37,505	3,699,395 gal.	£ 178,064	£ 180,270
Tobacco	395	516	496	546	1,019	26,264 lb.	2,972	2,278
Cigars and Snuff	421	..	..	..	..	2,050 .	421	371
Cigarettes, manufactured by machinery	7,095	8,562	2,528	2,879	127	77,058 .	21,191	19,003
Totals	42,719	25,274	26,904	69,100	38,651	..	202,648	..
Corresponding quarter, 1923	41,968	23,435	31,032	67,693	37,794	..	..	201,922

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF EXCISE DUTIES FOR THE YEARS 1923 AND 1924.

Year 1924 .. .. .	.. .. .	156,753	90,029	106,241	245,823	140,529	..	739,375	..
Year 1923 .. .. .	.. .. .	152,967	86,732	108,620	225,082	138,333	..	..	711,734

* Minimum, 11½d. per gallon, increasing by 1½d. for every unit of specific gravity above 1047.

Supplementary Graded List of Primary-school Teachers, 1925.

Education Department,
Wellington, 23rd February, 1925.

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 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.
Adam, Gertrude Elizabeth	C	215	Canterbury	1/2/25
Adams, Mona Stacey	C	208	Otago	1/2/25
Allan, Winifred Clara	C	208	Wellington	1/2/25
Ayson, Alice Marie Douglas	C	211	Wellington	1/2/25
Barwell, Joyce Alice	C	211	Auckland	1/2/25
Bassett, Alan	B	202	Auckland	1/2/25
Belcher, Mary Ida	C	211	Otago	1/2/25
Bell, Florence Annie Isitene	B	205	Wellington	1/2/25
Berry, Louie	C	207	Otago	1/2/25
Bice, Cora Rebecca	C	216	Wellington	1/2/25
Black, Margaret Annie	B	208	Otago	1/2/25
Blacklock, Ethelwin	C	211	Auckland	1/2/25
Blewett, Grace Helen	C	207	Wellington	1/2/25
Boland, Mary Winifred	C	210	Otago	1/2/25
Botting, Mildred Emilie Doris	C	211	Otago	1/2/25
Bragg, Nathaniel Bernard George	D	229	Wellington	1/2/25
Brown, Mary Agnes	C	208	Otago	1/2/25
Browne, Robert Annal Stanley	D	110	..	1/1/25
Carson, Margaret Caroline	C	202	Otago	1/2/25
Carter, Olive Josephine	C	211	Otago	1/2/25
Caughley, Frank Gordon	B	205	Wellington	1/2/25
Charles, Robert	D	136	Hawke's Bay	1/1/25
Chitney, Isabel Ellen	C	214	Wellington	1/2/25
Collins, Kenneth Alfred Lionel	C	216	Wellington	1/2/25
Corrigan, Ellen Gertrude	D	219	Otago	1/2/25
Cross, Miro Gertrude	C	211	Auckland	1/2/25
Cross, Roma	C	211	Wellington	1/2/25
Croy, Eva Mary	C	214	Wellington	1/2/25
Cunningham, Agnes Mary	C	..	(Private)	1/10/24
Dabinett, Alice Sophia	C	213	Wellington	1/2/25
Dawkins, Kenneth Bruce	D	217	Auckland	1/2/25
Day, Annie Evangeline	C	210	Auckland	1/2/25
Duncan, Cecilia	C	202	Wellington	1/2/25
Elie, Marion Jane	C	210	Auckland	1/2/25
Elliott, Elfreda Louisa, B.A.	B	201	Auckland	1/2/25
Elliott, John Ernest	C	214	Auckland	1/2/25
Fabian, Mabel Roma	D	217	Wellington	1/2/25
Falconer, Mavis	C	212	Canterbury	1/2/25
Forrester, Grace Louise	D	224	Auckland	1/2/25
Forsyth, Minnie Alexandra	B	211	Wellington	1/2/25
Fowler, Ronald John Malise	C	211	Canterbury	1/2/25
Frean, Frederick Peek	C	203	Auckland	1/2/25
Garrett, Eunice Frances	C	217	Otago	1/2/25
Gibbs, Kathleen Gabriel	D	219	Canterbury	1/2/25
Godfrey, Gwendoline Isabel	C	215	Wellington	1/2/25
Goldfinch, Doris Myrtle	D	220	Wellington	1/2/25
Goodwin, Mabel Emily	D	228	Canterbury	1/2/25
Gormley, Mary Margarita	C	200	Wellington	1/2/25
Gorrie, Margaret Stewart	D	219	Auckland	1/2/25
Gourdie, James Winton	D	224	Canterbury	1/2/25
Grant, David (ii)	C	..	(Technical)	1/10/24
Griffin, Elsa Alexandra	C	210	Wellington	1/2/25
Haggett, Francis Guy	C	205	Wellington	1/2/25
Harford, Majorie Ellen	D	219	Nelson	1/10/24
Hawkes, Helen (Mrs.)	D	207	Otago	1/10/24
Hawthorne, Hector Robert	D	224	Canterbury	1/2/25
Hepburn, Keith McKenzie	C	221	Auckland	1/10/24
Hickey, Margaret Gladys	D	..	(Private)	1/10/24
Hobin, William Vernon	C	210	Wellington	1/2/25
Horswell, Isabel Dorothy	C	208	Otago	1/2/25
Hunter, Joseph (ii)	C	206	Otago	1/2/25
Hunter, Mary Elizabeth	C	210	Canterbury	1/2/25
Hurley, Barbara Veronica	C	214	Canterbury	1/2/25
Jameson, Doris Gwendoline	C	208	Auckland	1/2/25

Name.	Certificate.	Corrected Consecutive Number in Graded List.	Grading District.	Date of Grading or Certificate or Promotion.
Jordan, Aileen Eliza	C	206	Auckland	1/2/25
Kennedy, Kathleen	C	131	..	1/11/24
King, Geoffrey John, B.A.	B	154	Wellington	1/1/24
Lamb, Frances Louisa	C	209	Wellington	1/2/25
Lancaster, Alice	D	202	Wanganui	1/1/25
Lauren, Mary Fredrika	C	213	Otago	1/2/25
Lawn, Arthur William Lamason	D	219	Wellington	1/2/25
Leather, Mary Josephine Joyce	D	221	Auckland	1/2/25
Ledingham, James George	C	208	Otago	1/2/25
Ledingham, Morris Frank	B	202	Otago	1/2/25
Lewthwaite, Clara	C	204	Canterbury	1/2/25
Lloyd, Constance Sophie	C	204	Auckland	1/2/25
Long, Eileen Honora	C	206	Auckland	1/2/25
Lysnar, Sybil Hilton	D	222	Auckland	1/2/25
McArthur, Ida Mary	C	209	Auckland	1/2/25
Macdonald, Alexander Nicol	C	207	Otago	1/10/24
McDonald, Isabella Catherine	C	189	Hawke's Bay	1/1/25
Macfarlane, Margaret Ritchie	D	188	Hawke's Bay	1/1/25
McFarlane, Thomas Andrew Duncan	C	208	Otago	1/2/25
Macken, Amy Henrietta	C	213	Auckland	1/2/25
McMillan, Eva Gertrude	D	228	Wellington	1/2/25
MacNab, Catherine Emily	C	211	Canterbury	1/2/25
McPherson, Jessie Cunningham	C	209	Canterbury	1/2/25
Marshall, Iona Machrie	D	226	Otago	1/2/25
Meads, Cyril Hamish	D	229	Wellington	1/2/25
Melles, Muriel	C	213	Wellington	1/2/25
Melville, John (ii)	C	208	Auckland	1/2/25
Milne, Margaret Alice	C	212	Otago	1/2/25
Moore, Marian	C	208	Otago	1/2/25
Moore, James Lorleia	C	213	Wellington	1/2/25
Mumm, Dorna Hinemoa	C	212	Wellington	1/2/25
O'Connor, Eilie Mary	C	209	Canterbury	1/2/25
O'Connor, Florence Eileen	C	210	Otago	1/2/25
O'Donnell, Mary Ellen	C	204	Wellington	1/2/25
Ohlson, Alyn Beresford	C	206	Auckland	1/2/25
Paine, Wilfred Reynolds	C	213	Canterbury	1/2/25
Peach, Nancy Islip	C	208	Wellington	1/2/25
Pette, Constance Mary	D	..	(Private)	1/2/25
Phillips, Grace Marion	C	210	Auckland	1/2/25
Phillips, Thomas	C	212	Auckland	1/2/25
Phillips, William John	C	204	Wellington	1/2/25
Ponsonby, Beatrice	D	175	..	1/2/25
Ponsonby, Mabel	D	137	..	1/2/25
Priestley, Arthur Donald	B	203	Wellington	1/2/25
Quartermain, Linda Mildred	C	212	Canterbury	1/2/25
Rance, Annie Millar	D	208	Southland	1/10/24
Rawlinson, Arthur Field	C	206	Otago	1/2/25
Read, Gwen Raema	C	210	Wellington	1/2/25
Reid, Annie Davidson	C	210	Canterbury	1/2/25
Richards, Arthur Charles	C	203	Auckland	1/2/25
Richardson, George Maxwell	C	211	Wellington	1/2/25
Ridgley, Roie Mavis	D	227	Wellington	1/2/25
Ridgway, Dulcie Myra	D	222	Otago	1/2/25
Rigg, Alice Mary	C	208	Auckland	1/2/25
Ritchie, Jessie Adair	B	207	Otago	1/2/25
Robbins, Charles William Bernard	D	221	Canterbury	1/2/25
Rosemergy, Evelyn Thelma	C	214	Wellington	1/2/25
Ross, Grace	C	212	Wellington	1/2/25
Rule, Phyllis Alva	C	209	Auckland	1/2/25
Rumsey, Christina Henry	C	215	Otago	1/2/25
Runciman, Lettie Christian	D	221	Auckland	1/2/25
Russell, Leslie	C	210	Auckland	1/2/25
Savage, Mary Ellen, B.A.	B	185	..	1/2/25
Scott, Leonard Nixon	C	207	Auckland	1/2/25
Scott, Margaret Gibson	C	209	Otago	1/2/25
Scott, Winifred Florence	C	209	Auckland	1/2/25
Shand, Elaine Belle	D	225	Auckland	1/2/25
Siebert, Ivy Auriel	C	208	Auckland	1/2/25
Sim, Hazel Mavis	C	211	Otago	1/2/25
Slocombe, Ivy	C	209	Canterbury	1/2/25
Smith, Noah Riley William Morrison	B	204	Auckland	1/2/25
Stalker, Jane Catherine	C	212	Otago	1/2/25
Stevenson, Clara Pollock	C	205	Auckland	1/2/25
Stunell, George Reeves	D	229	Wellington	1/2/25
Sullivan, Daisy Clarendia Mary	C	201	Canterbury	1/2/25
Thompson, Albert Edward	D	214	Hawke's Bay	1/10/24
Thompson, Mavis Winifred	C	217	Wellington	1/2/25
Todd, Freda Jane	C	210	Canterbury	1/2/25

Name.	Certificate.	Corrected Consecutive Number in Graded List.	Grading District.	Date of Grading or Certificate or Promotion.
Tregurtha, Elsie ..	C	220	Wellington	1/2/25
Turner, Annie Elva ..	C	209	Auckland	1/2/25
Turner, Elma Frances ..	C	214	Otago ..	1/2/25
Turner, Frances Ellen Kathleen	C	212	Canterbury	1/2/25
Turner, Leicester William	C	214	Canterbury	1/2/25
Turner, Miles James ..	D	230	Canterbury	1/2/25
Vickers, Elizabeth Mary Foster	D	230	Otago ..	1/10/24
Vooght, Eileen Constance	C	211	Wellington	1/2/25
Weir, Christina (Mrs.) ..	C	...	..	1/2/25
Whalley, Ruby Evelyn ..	D	235	Wanganui	1/10/24
Wharton, Mary Lenore Alma	C	205	Canterbury	1/2/25
Whelan, Albert James Roy	C	204	Auckland	1/2/25
Whimp, Maurice Mulloy ..	D	228	Auckland	1/2/25
Whiteley, Ruth ..	C	211	Otago ..	1/2/25
Whyte, Frederick John Bennett	C	210	Auckland	1/2/25
Williamson, Amy Robertson	D	222	Otago ..	1/10/24
Wilson, Theodora Louisa	C	210	Auckland	1/2/25
Wilton, Wallace Francis Brogden	C	212	Wellington	1/2/25
Winter, William Maurice	C	207	Auckland	1/2/25
Withell, Ivan Roberts ..	B	202	Canterbury	1/2/25

TEACHERS TO WHOM LICENSES TO TEACH HAVE BEEN ISSUED.

Name.	District.	Date of License.
Alder, Henry George ..	Auckland ..	1/12/24 to 31/12/26
Cameron, Margaret Annie	Hawke's Bay	30/6/24 to 30/6/26*
Freeman, Frederick Cecil Robert William	Canterbury..	1/12/24 to 31/12/26
Hickey, Margaretta Kathleen	Taranaki ..	1/12/24 to 31/12/26
Kelly, Bernard ..	Southland ..	31/12/24 to 31/12/26*
McKinley, John ..	(Private) ..	31/12/24 to 31/12/26*
Simpson, Alexander Elvins	Taranaki ..	1/12/24 to 31/12/26
Tabraham, Minnie (Mrs.) ..	Canterbury..	1/2/25 to 30/6/27
Woods, Hugh ..	Nelson ..	1/12/24 to 31/12/26

* License renewed.

Alterations to the Scale of Fares, Rates, and Charges in Force upon the New Zealand Government Railways.

IN pursuance of all powers and authorities enabling me under the Government Railways Act, 1908, and its amendments, I, Joseph Gordon Coates, Minister of Railways, do hereby make the following alterations in the scale of fares, rates, and charges in force on the New Zealand Government Railways open for traffic.

PART II.—LUGGAGE, PARCELS, HORSES, ETC.

Left Luggage.

By adding the following:—

Commercial travellers will be allowed eighteen hours' free storage for their samples, conditionally on the Department not being liable in any circumstances whatever for any loss or damage in respect of the same.

If samples in respect of which free storage is granted under the provisions hereof are left in the custody of the Department for a longer period than eighteen hours the ordinary cloak-room charges will be made for time in excess of the free allowance stipulated above.

PART III.—GOODS.

By adding the following:—

(Regulation 44.)

THE NEW ZEALAND AND SOUTH SEAS EXHIBITION, DUNEDIN, 1925-1926.

In consideration of their being carried solely at the risk of consignors and of the Government being freed of all liability in connection therewith, exhibits consigned for exhibition at the New Zealand and South Seas Exhibition to be opened at Dunedin on or about 12th November, 1925, will be carried free on the New Zealand Government rail-

ways at the sole risk of the owner, provided that each package shall be consigned to the Secretary of the Exhibition and marked legibly "For Exhibition at the New Zealand and South Seas Exhibition."

Under similar conditions and on the production of a certificate from the Secretary of the Exhibition stating that the exhibits have not been transferred, exchanged, or sold, and are still the property of the original consignors, free railage will be granted on the return journey.

All loading and unloading shall be done at the risk and expense of the consignors.

In the event of any portion of the exhibits being sold the full ordinary railway charges must be paid on the whole of the exhibits as originally consigned to the Exhibition and also on the unsold portion which is returned from the Exhibition.

As witness my hand this 20th day of February, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Railways

Result of Election of a Trustee of a Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 20th February, 1925.

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

G. P. NEWTON, Assistant Under-Secretary.

Ohaupo Drainage District, County of Waipa—
Bertie O'Connor.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Tikitiki on 12th March, 1925.

Registrar's Office,

Gisborne, 16th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Tikitiki on the 12th day of March, 1925, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Gisborne, 1925-5.] JNO. HARVEY, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATION FOR ASSESSMENT OF COMPENSATION.

No. 32. Applicant: The Waipuu County Council. Name of land: Tokomaru K 5. Nature of application: Application for assessment of compensation for 7 acres of land taken for a quarry reserve.

Officiating Ministers for 1925.—Notice No. 5.

Registrar-General's Office,

Wellington, 24th February, 1925.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Roman Catholic Church.

The Reverend Francis Joseph O'Shaughnessy.

Ringatu Church.

The Reverend Eria Raukura.

" Hoera Tupara.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Election of Member of Auckland Land Board.

District Lands and Survey Office,

Auckland, 23rd February, 1925.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 47 of the Land Act, 1924, and the regulations made thereunder, I, William Fairchild Marsh, Commissioner of Crown Lands and Returning Officer for the election of a member of the Auckland Land District, do hereby give notice that the following person has been duly nominated:—

Hayward, William George, of Ngatea.

And I do hereby declare that the same William George Hayward is duly elected a member of the Auckland Land Board as from the 3rd day of April, 1925.

W. F. MARSH, Returning Officer

Special Order passed by the Bay of Islands County Council declaring Solanum auriculatum to be a Noxious Weed.—Notice No. Ag. 2473.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 24th February, 1925.

THE following special order made by the Bay of Islands County Council is published in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of the Noxious Weeds Amendment Act, 1910.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

SPECIAL ORDER.

That pursuant to the powers conferred upon it by sections 4, 5, and 6 of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, this Council do now make a special order declaring the plant mentioned in the Schedule hereto to be a noxious weed within the meaning of the Act in the Bay of Islands County.

Schedule.

Solanum auriculatum (woolly nightshade).

The above special order was passed on the 11th December, 1924, and confirmed at a subsequent meeting on the 15th January, 1925.

Special Order passed by the Waitomo County Council declaring Broom, Foxglove, and Gorse to be Noxious Weeds.—Notice No. Ag. 2474.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 24th February, 1925.

THE following special order made by the Waitomo County Council is published in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of the Noxious Weeds Amendment Act, 1910.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

SPECIAL ORDER.

THAT this Council hereby resolves and declares, by way of special order, that the plants mentioned in the Schedule hereto (being plants mentioned in the Third Schedule to the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908) are noxious weeds within the County of Waitomo.

Schedule.

Broom (*Cytisus scoparius*).
Foxglove (*Digitalis purpurea*).
Gorse (*Ulex europæus*).

The above special order was made by the Waitomo County Council at a special meeting held on Friday, 12th December, 1924, and was duly confirmed at a subsequent meeting of the Council held on Friday, the 13th February, 1925.

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

Mining Registrar's Office, Kumara, 19th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with the provisions of section 30 (3) of the Mining Amendment Act, 1914, the mining privileges mentioned in the Schedule hereto will, unless cause to the contrary be shown, be struck off the Registers of Mining Privileges at the expiration of three months from the date hereof.

C. W. CARVER, Mining Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

No.	Date.	Nature of Privilege.	Locality.	Registered Holder.
720	19/4/1913	Aerial tramway ..	Turiwhate	New Zealand Greenstone (Limited).
749	14/6/1913	Special site	"	"
750	14/6/1913	"	"	"
751	14/6/1913	"	"	"
752	14/6/1913	"	"	"
923	17/9/1914	Road	"	"
117	10/6/1908	Residence-site ..	Larrikins	Annie Ritchie.

Amendment to the Regulations under the Public Service Act, 1912.

IN pursuance and exercise of the authority conferred on him by the Public Service Act, 1912 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), the Commissioner, with the approval of the Governor-General in Council, doth hereby, in respect of the regulations made under the said Act on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and the amendments thereof made from time to time under the provisions of the said Act, make the amendment shown in the Schedule hereto.

Such amendment shall have effect from and after the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATION 56 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

"56. The Commissioner may, subject to Departmental convenience, grant to officers who are required to perform military service under the Defence Act, 1909, and its amendments, leave of absence for the purpose of attending compulsory camps and compulsory courses of military instruction.

"Leave of absence granted in pursuance of this regulation shall not be deducted from the officer's annual leave."

As witness my hand this 17th day of February, 1925.

P. VERSCHAFFELT,
Public Service Commissioner.

In pursuance of the provisions of the Public Service Act, 1912, the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, approves of the foregoing regulation.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

Approved in Council this 23rd day of February, 1925.

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

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Wellington Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 16th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that the license 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, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: O.R.P. Lease No. 804. Section 2, Block X, Mikimiki Survey District. Formerly held by H. McDermott. Reason of forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Nelson Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 20th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the Courthouse, Westport, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 31st March, 1925, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

Town of Millerton.

SECTION 132: Area, 1 rood 8 perches; upset price, £50.

Situated in the Township of Millerton, on the south-east corner of Tasman and Calliope Streets. Suitable for building-site.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash.—One-fifth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer and the balance, with Crown grant fee of £1, is payable within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit will be forfeited and the sale of the land declared null and void.

Deferred Payments.—A deposit of 5 per cent. of the price bid, together with £1 ls. license fee, on the fall of the hammer, balance by equal annual instalments extending over a period of nineteen years with interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money, but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924.

Full particulars on application to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Nelson.

N. C. KENSINGTON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

National-endowment Land in Nelson Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 24th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned section is open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924; and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 1st April, 1925.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, on Thursday, 2nd April, 1925, at 10 o'clock a.m., but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of any other district.

After the first half-year's rent has been paid by the selector the further instalments of rent payable by him for a period of two years shall not be demanded; provided that if at any time during the first five years of his occupancy the selector disposes of his interest in the land the rent so conceded shall be paid by him in full, and thereupon the Land Board may remit such instalment of rent payable by the incoming tenant, not exceeding in the aggregate the amount of rent previously conceded to the selector, as the Board thinks fit.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.—NATIONAL ENDOWMENT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Waimea County.—Hope Survey District.

(Exempt from rent for two years.)

SECTION 5, Block XIII: Area, 1,170 acres; capital value, £1,300; half-yearly rent, £32 10s.

The improvements on this section consist of felling and grassing about 150 acres. A little fencing has also been done. There are an uncompleted hut, cow-shed, and yards on the property.

Situated in the Gowan Valley, about eleven miles from Glenhope Railway-station, eight miles by main road, then three miles metalled dray-road. With the exception of the area felled and sown, the section is entirely bushclad, principally birch, with some rimu. About 100 acres is flat and terrace land, balance is broken pastoral land, rather steep.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of lease, sixty-six years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of sixty-six years; but without right of purchase.
 2. Rent, 4 per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable on 1st January and 1st July in each year.
 3. Applicants to be seventeen years of age and upwards.
 4. Applicants to furnish statutory declaration with applications, and, on being declared successful, deposit £1 ls. (lease fee), and a half-year's rent. Rent for the broken period between date of lease and 1st January or 1st July following is also payable.
 5. Applications made on the same day are deemed to be simultaneous.
 6. Order of selection is decided by ballot.
 7. Successful applicant to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.
 8. Residence is to commence within four years in bush land or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, and to be continuous for ten years. Under certain conditions personal residence may be dispensed with.
 9. *Improvements.*—Lessee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the price; within two years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land, 10s. for every acre of second-class land, and 2s. 6d. for every acre of third-class land.
 10. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
 11. Transfer not allowed until completion of two years' continuous residence, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.
 12. Roads may be taken through the lands at any time within seven years; twice the original value to be allowed for area taken for such roads.
 13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.
- Full particulars may be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Nelson.

N. C. KENSINGTON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Land for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Blenheim, 24th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction, for cash or on deferred payment, at the District Lands and Survey Office, Blenheim, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, the 8th day of April, 1925, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—TOWN LAND.

Marlborough County.—Town of Blenheim.

ALLOTMENT 177 of Section 3, Omaka: Area, 1 rood. Capital value, £765.

This residential property is situated in Charles Street, Blenheim, about fifteen chains from the post-office. Buildings consist of six-roomed residence with front veranda, bathroom, and pantry, also small motor-shed.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser may pay for the land in cash or by deferred payments extending over a period of nineteen years. The terms are—

- (1.) *Cash.*—One-fifth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown-grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter.
- (2.) *Deferred Payments.*—5 per cent. of the purchase-money and license fee (£1 ls.) on the fall of the hammer; balance by equal annual instalments extending over nineteen years, with interest payable half-yearly at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the

right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount.

In either case, if the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount already paid shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale of the land be null and void.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

J. STEVENSON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Domain in North Auckland Land District for Lease by Public Tender.

North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 24th February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for a lease of the undermentioned domain will be received at the North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, the 2nd April, 1925, under the provisions of section 2 of the Public Reserves and Domains Amendment Act, 1917.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—MARAEOHA DOMAIN.
SECTIONS 174A, 175, 196A, Tauhoa Parish: Area, 51 acres; upset annual rental, £1 15s.

Terms of Conditions.

1. Tenders to be accompanied by half-yearly rent, at the rate offered, together with £1 1s. lease fee.
2. Term of lease, seven (7) years, rental to be paid half-yearly in advance.
3. Lessee not to sublet, transfer, or otherwise dispose of the land without the consent of the Commissioner of Crown Lands.
4. Tenancy terminable at any time, either as to the whole or part of the land on twelve months notice, in the event of the land being otherwise required for any purpose.
5. No compensation to be claimed or allowed, either on account of termination of tenancy or for improvements effected on the land.
6. Noxious weeds, fern, and rabbits to be kept down during the tenancy, and lessee to take immediate steps to check the spread of fern.
7. Lease is liable to forfeiture for non-compliance with conditions.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, North Auckland.

H. J. LOWE,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICE.

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.—Westland Forest-conservation Region.

State Forest Service,
Hokitika, 23rd February, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Hokitika, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 13th March, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

WESTLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.—WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber on that piece of land containing 32 acres, situated in Block VII, Waitaha Survey District, portion of Provisional State Forest Reserve No. 1630, situated about nine miles from Ross Railway-station.

The total estimated quantity in superficial feet is 833,300 of rimu.

Upset price: £841.

Ground rent: £1 12s. per annum.

Time for removal: One year.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for one-third of the purchase-money, together with half-year's ground-rent and £1 1s. license fee, must accompany the tender, and the balance be paid by two equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid three months after date of sale.

In addition, the ground rent shall be paid half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

Terms and Conditions.

1. All instalment-payments shall be secured by "on demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at current bank rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.
 2. The right to cut and remove the timber will be sold in accordance with the provisions of the Forests Act, 1921-22, the regulations in force thereunder, and these conditions.
 3. The attention of all tenderers is drawn to the fact that the local controlling body may require the successful tenderer to pay any claims or charges which may be made by that body for the maintenance of the road over which the timber may be transported, and before a sawmill license is issued a letter indicating that satisfactory arrangements have been made in this connection must be produced to the undersigned.
 4. Intending tenderers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relative to the sale.
 5. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for each species. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.
 6. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing-date for receipt of tenders.
 7. If no tender is accepted for the timber herein mentioned, it will remain open for application at the upset price until further notice.
 8. Tenders should be on the special form obtainable from any office of the State Forest Service, and should be enclosed in envelopes addressed "Conservator of Forests, Hokitika," and endorsed "Tender for Timber."
- The conditions which will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser, and further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Director of Forestry, Wellington.

A. D. MCGAVOCK, Conservator of Forests.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHRISTIAN CHARLES PORTER, of Green Lane, Auckland, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 25th day of February, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

W. S. FISHER,
Office Assignee.
16th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR PERCY KERR, of Te Puia Springs, East Coast, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Tokomaru Bay on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.
14th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE HERBERT GRAYSON, of New Lynn, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 2nd day of March, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.
19th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN EDWARD PARRANT, of Ohakune, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at Ohakune, at the office of J. Jones, on Monday, the 23rd day of February, 1925, at 10 o'clock a.m.

C. MASTERS,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Taihape, 17th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LEONARD BASIL RITCHIE, of Wanganui, Motor-driver, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Friday, the 27th day of February, 1925, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.
19th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LOUIS STUART, of Kahautara, Featherston, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Featherston, on Monday, the 23rd day of February, 1925, at 10 o'clock a.m.

ARTHUR D. LOW,
Deputy Official Assignee.
17th February, 1925.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of THOMAS BISHOP, of Nelson, Piano-dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a second and final dividend of 7d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved and accepted claims, at my office, Hardy Street, Nelson.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
17th February, 1925.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of GEORGE HENRY ALLAN, of Collingwood, Journalist.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 20s. in the pound is now due and payable at my office, Hardy Street, Nelson, on all proved and accepted claims.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
19th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES GRANT, of Mahana, Fruitgrower, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 5th day of March, 1925, at 3.30 o'clock.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
20th February, 1925.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of WILLIAM HARTLEY HESLOP, of Takaka, Storekeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 1s. 8d. in the pound is now payable on all proved and accepted claims at my office, Hardy Street, Nelson.

W. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
23rd February, 1925.

In Bankruptcy.

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

Freeth, Ernest John William, of Blenheim, Painter—First and final dividend of 6½d. in the pound.
Reid, Ronald Ian, of Blenheim, Wool-buyer—First and final dividend of 11d. in the pound.

A. F. BENT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
Blenheim, 21st February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DONALD LINDSAY GORDON MUNDY, of Greymouth, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 27th day of February, 1925, at 2.30 o'clock.

A. NAYLOR,
Deputy Official Assignee.
20th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT ALEXANDER BEATON STEVENSON, formerly of Westerfield, Farmer, but now of Ashburton, Taxi-proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Saturday, the 28th February, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

J. B. CHRISTIAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.
5th February, 1925.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RAYMOND GEORGE DAWSON, of Woodlands, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden in Magistrates' Court-room, Courthouse, Invercargill, on Monday, the 23rd day of February, 1925, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

CHARLES B. ROUT,
Deputy Official Assignee.
17th February, 1925.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of EMILY BRENDA, of Wellington, Widow, for 14.6 perches, more or less, being part of Section 480, City of Wellington, and being also Lot 3 on deposited plan No. 546, and being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 84, folio 40, 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 25th day of February, 1925, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

5249. SAM HAIGH.—1 acre 0 roods 6.2 perches, part Block "A," Greytown Small-farm Settlement, Section 117, Main Street. Occupied by applicant. Plan 6946.

5278. GIBSONS AND PATERSON (LIMITED), 8.75 perches, part Section 150, City of Wellington (Garrett Street). Occupied by Jane Devanny. Plan 6895.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1925, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

1635. THE NELSON DIOCESAN TRUST BOARD.—Part of Section 154, District of Motueka, containing 3 roods 25.4 perches. Occupied by tenants. Plan 1335.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 17th day of February, 1925, at the Land Registry Office, Nelson.

J. CARADUS, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, Vol. 19, folio 234, for Section 3260, Town of Hokitika, whereof THE WESTLAND HOSPITAL AND CHARITABLE AID BOARD (now known as The Westland Hospital Board) is the registered proprietor, and evidence having been furnished of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Hokitika, this 21st day of February, 1925.

E. C. ADAMS, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month of the issue of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

13311. HENRY JAMES CHESMAR.—Part of Rural Sections 1027 and 1354, Block XIII, Christchurch Survey District, and Blocks I and II, Halswell Survey District. Occupied by applicant.

13312. FREDERICK ERNEST DODGE.—Part of Rural Section 206, Lot 1, deposit plan No. 7277, corner Bealey Avenue and Stoneyhurst Street, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1925, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title, Vol. 241, folio 215, for part Lot 37, deposit plan 2120, part of Rural Section 80, Block XI, Christchurch Survey District, whereof ELEANOR STRINGER, of Christchurch, Married Woman, is the registered proprietor, and evidence having been furnished of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch, this 23rd day of February, 1925.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of sections 266 and 267 of the above Act, that the name of the under-mentioned company will, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved:—

R. D. Barford and Company (Limited). 1914/5.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at New Plymouth, this 16th day of February, 1925.

A. L. B. ROSS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Invercargill Trotting Club at a meeting held on the 16th day of December, 1924, at Invercargill, with a recommendation by the chairman of such club, Mr. J. B. Thomson, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by His Excellency the Governor-General in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. J. B. Thomson, the chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. T. A. Henry seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman and Secretary be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

INVERCARGILL TROTTING CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

In pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Invercargill Trotting Club, a trotting club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to us "the said club"), doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the racecourse situate in the district of Invercargill, and known as the Southland Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings:—

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

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

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

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

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

The foregoing regulations of the Invercargill Trotting Club were made and passed by such club on the 16th day of December, 1924, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

J. B. THOMSON, Chairman.
R. B. CAWS, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Invercargill Trotting Club are hereby approved this 11th day of February, 1925.

215 CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

HUTT COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING AND LEVYING A SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Counties Act, 1920, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Hutt County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Hutt County Council under the above-mentioned Acts, for the purpose of constructing roads, and all works incidental thereto, on the western or seaward side of the railway-line, Township Pukerua, being Number 21 Special-rating District, Horokiwi Riding, County of Hutt, the said Hutt County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1d. and $\frac{1}{4}$ d. ($1\frac{1}{4}$ d.) in the £1 (pound), upon a capital value of all rateable property in the Number 21 Special-rating District: and such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and to be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off."

216 A. J. MACPHERSON, County Clerk.

WAITOMO ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD.

NOTICE OF RESULT OF POLL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the rate-payers of the Waitomo Electric-power Board District, taken on the 6th day of February, 1925, on the proposal of the Waitomo Electric-power Board to borrow the sum of £70,000 (seventy thousand pounds) for the purpose of distributing electrical energy in the Waitomo Electric-power Board District and for the carrying-out of such other works, undertakings, and purposes as are authorized by the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, and amendments thereto, including engineering expenses and the purchase of all necessary materials, goods, and equipment, plant and land, as set out fully in the issues of the *King Country Chronicle* of the 6th, 13th, 20th, and 27th January, 1925,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 271; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 35.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

W. A. LEE, Chairman.

Dated this 18th day of February, 1925.

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NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

WE hereby give notice that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us in the business of Motion-picture Advertisers, under the style of "Animated Advertisements," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 10th day of February, 1925.

Wellington, 19th February, 1925.

OLIVER ARNOLD TOWNSEND.
PERCY CLARKE LUXFORD.

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THE ALU-MAGNUS PRODUCTS (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that an extraordinary general meeting of the above company was held at the registered office of the company, 220 Lambton Quay, Wellington, on Wednesday, the 11th day of February, 1925, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, when a resolution was passed that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. A. H. T. JONES, of 220 Lambton Quay, Wellington, be appointed sole Liquidator.

A. H. T. JONES,
Liquidator.

Wellington, 17th February, 1925.

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NOTICE UNDER THE PUBLIC WORKS ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Education Board of the District of Auckland intends to take under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of a public school the following lands, namely:—

All these pieces of land situated in the Provincial District of Auckland, containing, firstly, 35 perches, more or less, being part of Allotment Fifty (50) of Section Forty-four (44) of the City of Auckland; and, secondly, 18-85 perches, more or less, being portion of Allotment Fifty-one (51) of Section Forty-four (44) in the City of Auckland.

A plan of the said lands is deposited at the office of the Education Board of the District of Auckland, Shortland Street, Auckland, and is there open for inspection by all persons at all reasonable hours.

All persons affected are hereby required and called upon to set forth in writing any well-grounded objections to the taking of such land and to send such writing within forty (40) days of the first publication of this notice to the Education Board of the District of Auckland at its office in Williamson's Chambers, Shortland Street, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland this eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five (1925).

E. C. PURDIE,
Secretary to the Education Board
of the District of Auckland.

This notice was first published on the 19th day of February, 1925, in the *New Zealand Herald* newspaper.

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In the matter of the Companies' Act, 1908; and in the matter of THE RAILHEAD DAIRY FACTORY COMPANY (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above company duly convened and held at Tahakopa on the sixteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that ROBERT ROBERTSON STEWART, of Balclutha, Solicitor, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator, for the purpose of such winding-up, at a fee of £10."

Dated at Tahakopa this 16th day of December, 1924.

DAVID NEIL.

Witness to the signature of David Neil—John Dunlop,
Farmer, Tahakopa.

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HOWARD GOLD-SLUICING COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the above company held on 12th January, 1925, the subjoined resolution was duly passed, and at an extraordinary general meeting of the company held on 2nd February, 1925, the same was duly confirmed, as a special resolution, viz.:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908, and that the assets of the company be sold to another company to be called "Howard Sluicing Company (Limited), having a capital of £2,100, divided into 8,400 shares of 5s. each, for a sum equal to the amount owing by the company at the date of liquidation, and an allotment of fully paid-up shares in the capital of the new company equal to one share for every ten shares remaining upon the register of this company at the date of liquidation, the shares in the new company to be offered, in the first instance, for 14 days, to the shareholders in this company on the basis of one contributing share for every four shares held by them in the company at par, the same to be payable 1s. per share on application, 1s. per share on allotment, and the balance in calls of 6d. per share at intervals of not less than one month."

And at the last above-named meeting, HENRY GILFILLAN, of Auckland, Company Secretary, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

H. GILFILLAN, Liquidator.

Auckland, 17th February, 1925.

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UNCLAIMED MONEYS ACT, 1908.

REGISTER OF MONEY UNCLAIMED HELD BY THE NATIONAL MUTUAL LIFE ASSOCIATION OF AUSTRALASIA (LIMITED).

Name, Occupation, and Last Known Address of Owner on Books.	Total Amount due to Owner.	Description of Unclaimed Money.	Date of Last Claim.
Arthur John Cooper, Carter, 5 Bidwell Street, Wellington	£ s. d. 70 19 5	Balance of proceeds of matured policy No. 141055	No claim received.
William James Cooper, Labourer, Ashburton	15 0 6	Balance of proceeds of matured policy No. 16561D issued by the Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Limited)	"
William Grant, Manager of Paper Mills, Grand Hotel, Perth W.A.	52 1 3	Balance of proceeds of matured policy No. 14013D issued by the Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Limited)	"
John Johansen, Farmer, Feilding	6 19 2	Balance of proceeds of matured policy No. 14191A issued by the Mutual Assurance Society of Victoria (Limited)	"
John McArthur, Farmer, Clyde, Otago	57 7 5	Balance of proceeds of matured policy No. 21905	"
Alfred George William Pilcher, Farm Labourer, Midbury	39 10 7	Balance of proceeds of matured policy No. 140035	"

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THE NORTHERN KAURI GUMFIELDS (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the above company held on 26th January, 1925, the subjoined resolution was duly passed, and at an extraordinary general meeting of the company held on 16th February, 1925, the same was duly confirmed, as a special resolution, viz. :—

“That the NORTHERN KAURI GUMFIELDS (LIMITED) be wound up voluntarily, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908.”

And at the last above-named meeting, HENRY GILFILLAN and JAMES ALEXANDER GENTLES, of Auckland, Company Secretaries, were appointed Liquidators for the purpose of such winding-up.

H. GILFILLAN,
J. A. GENTLES, } Liquidators.

Auckland, 17th February, 1925.

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In the matter of the Companies Act; and in the matter of the OURUWHERO LANDS (LIMITED), in liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following resolution was passed on 3rd February, 1925, and confirmed on 19th February, 1925, viz. :—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. ERIC B. BENNET be appointed Liquidator.”

ERIC B. BENNET,
Liquidator.

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Under the Mining Act, 1908.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE FOR A WATER-RACE.

To the Warden of the Otago Mining District at Cromwell.

PURSUANT to the Mining Act, 1908, the undersigned, Samuel William Edward John, of Hawea Flat, Farmer, hereby applies for a license for a water-race as specified in the Schedule hereto, the course whereof has been duly marked out for the purpose.

Precise time of marking out privilege applied for: 9 a.m., 15/1/25.

Date and number of miner's right: 14/1/25; 17592.

Address for service: Care of Brodrick and Dawson, Solicitors, Cromwell.

Dated at Cromwell this 23rd day of January, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

Locality of the race and of its starting and terminal points: Commencing at a point in Drake's Creek on Section 7, Block XIII, Lower Hawea District, and running in a westerly direction, passing through the corner of homestead of Run 236c; thence on to the said Section 7 and continuing in a westerly direction through the lower part of said Section 7 close to the boundary-fence between Section 7 and the said homestead-site of Run 236c; then crossing the road; thence through Section 35, Block I, Lower Hawea District, being the freehold land of Maria M. McCarthy, close to the boundary-fence between that section and Section 34, Block I aforesaid; and terminating at the boundary of Section 26, Block I aforesaid, being the freehold land of the applicant.

Length and intended course of race: 2,033 yards; westerly.

Point of intake: One on Drake's Creek.

Estimated time and cost of construction: Part already constructed; balance will take one week to construct, and cost £10.

Mean depth and breadth: 6 in. deep; 1 ft. wide.

Number of heads to be diverted: One-half head.

Purpose for which water is to be used: Domestic and stock purposes.

Proposed term of license: Twenty-one years.

SAMUEL WILLIAM EDWARD JOHN
(By his Solicitor, J. T. DAWSON),

Applicant.

Precise time of filing the foregoing application: 3.30 p.m., 23/1/25.

Time and place appointed for the hearing of the application and all objections thereto: Wednesday, the 18th day of March, 1925, at 10 a.m. at Warden's Court at Cromwell.

Objections must be filed in the Registrar's office and notified to applicant at least three days before the time so appointed.

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F. SCOTT, Deputy Mining Registrar.

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