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Additional Land at Milton taken for the Purposes of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS it has been found desirable for the use, convenience, and enjoyment of the Waitaki-Bluff Railway to take further land at Milton, 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 areas of the pieces of land :—

A. R. P.	
0 2 4.5	Part Section 131 (D.P. 596).
1 2 6	Part Section 131 (D.P. 902).
1 2 26.5	Part Lot 13 (D.P. 2721) of Section 132.

Situated in Block XVI, Tokomairiro District, Borough of Milton.

In the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 35671, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, 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 30th day of April, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Declaring Portions of a Railway Reserve at Whangamarino to be Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is provided that in the case of any land taken, purchased, or acquired for a Government work, and not required for that purpose, the Governor-General may, on recommendation by the Minister, by Proclamation, declare such land to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908, and thereupon the land may be administered and disposed of under that Act accordingly :

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 five of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby proclaim and declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land : 26 acres 3 roods 1 perch and 25 acres 3 roods 13 perches.

Portions of railway reserve, Section 152, Whangamarino Parish, Block XI, Maramarua Survey District, Waikato County. (S.O. 23624, blue.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 35693, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 30th day of April, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Additional Land at Morrinsville for the Purposes of the Kaipara-Waikato Railway.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, it is enacted that if at any time after the issue or making of any Proclamation taking land under the Public Works Act, 1908, and before the payment or award of any compensation in respect of the taking thereof, it is found that the land, or any part thereof, is not required for the purpose for which it is taken the Governor-General may, by a subsequent Proclamation gazetted, revoke the former Proclamation, either wholly or so far as he thinks necessary:

And whereas it is found that part of the land at Morrinsville taken for the purposes of the Waikato-Thames Railway by a Proclamation made under the Public Works Act, 1908, dated the seventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four (hereinafter termed "the said Proclamation"), and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 17, of the twenty-seventh day of the same month, page 735, (amended by an Erratum published in the *New Zealand Gazette*, No. 28, of the 24th April, 1924), is not required for the purpose for which it was taken:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, and of all other powers enabling me in this behalf, do hereby revoke so much of the said Proclamation as amended as effects the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land: 1 rood 19-44 perches. Part railway reserve (part Lot 23, D.P. 2461), Block VI, Maungakawa Survey District, Borough of Morrinsville. (S.O. 22892, blue.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 33038, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon coloured neutral tint.

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 April, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XII, Hokonui Survey District, Southland County.

[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 road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 9 acres 1 rood 34 perches. Being portion of Sections 23 and 276, situated in Block XII, Hokonui Survey District.

In the Southland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62249, 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 4th day of May, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Drill-shed in the City of Auckland.

[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 drill-shed; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 39 perches. Being portion of Allotment 29 of Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland, situated in Block XVI, Waitemata Survey District, City of Auckland. (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23333).

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62644, 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 2nd day of May, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XIV, Akatarawa 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 and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a road; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Coloured on Plan.	Shown on Plan P.W.D.	Sheet No. of Plan.
A. R. P.				
0 1 28-5	Section 170 ..	Red ..	62186	1
0 1 10-9	" 170 ..	Purple ..	62186	2
0 0 9-2	" 169 ..	Red ..	62186	3
	(S.O. 1956.)			
2 0 22	Sections 110 and 111 (S.O. 1957.)	Bordered red	62187	..

(Hutt R.D.)

Situated in Block XIV, Akatarawa Survey District.

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plans marked and coloured as above mentioned, 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 27th day of April, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Laying out and taking a Road in Block III, Russell Survey District, Bay of Islands County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road laid out and taken :
3 acres 3 roods 33 perches.
Being portion of Orokawa No. 3c Block, Block III, Russell Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23107.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62024, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 4th day of May, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Stopping a Government Road in Block XII, Maungatautari 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 areas of the pieces of road hereby stopped:—

A	R	P.	} Adjoining or passing through Section 9.
1	0	12·4	
0	0	0·7	
4	1	5·1	

Situated in Block XII, Maungatautari Survey District. (S.O. 23640.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62561, 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 2nd day of May, 1925.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Consenting to the raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1925.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice

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

SCHEDULE.

DANNEVIRKE County Council (for construction and reconstruction of main highways)	£ 45,000
Heathcote County Council (for completing the erection of the Aranui Public Hall)	108
Masterton County Council (for acquiring the necessary land and building thereon a worker's cottage)	1,000
Otaua Drainage Board (for widening, deepening, and straightening Awaroa Stream and constructing a stop-bank)	100
Orton Drainage Board (for drainage-works in the Orton District)	3,000
Paeroa Borough Council (for sewerage-connection advances)	2,000
Paeroa Borough Council (for waterworks)	6,000
Piako County Council (for metalling the Waiorongomai-Maungakawa Road)	2,100
Rangitikei County Council (for metalling portion of the Turakina Valley Road)	7,000
Rotorua County Council (for forming and culverting Sunset Road)	200
Waipawa County Council (for the construction and reconstruction of main highways and bridges) ..	45,000
Waipawa Borough Council (for fire-brigade purposes)	350
Waipawa Borough Council (for installing electric light in the municipal buildings)	350
Waimarino County Council (for workers' dwellings)	5,000

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Wairere Electric-power Board in respect of a Loan of £31,000, being the Balance of a Loan of £28,500 authorized to be raised for Electrical Reticulation.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 27th day of April, 1925.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Wairere Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of thirty-eight thousand five hundred pounds for electrical reticulation, and is now desirous of raising the sum of thirty-one thousand pounds, being the balance of the loan of thirty-eight thousand five hundred 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 Wairere Electric-power Board in respect of the said loan of thirty-one thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Wairere Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of thirty-one thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Thames County Council in respect of a Loan of £20,000, being a Further Portion of a Loan of £50,000 authorized to be raised for Roading and Bridging.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Thames County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of fifty thousand pounds for roading and bridging, and is now desirous of raising the sum of twenty thousand pounds, being a further portion of the loan of fifty 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 Thames County Council in respect of the said loan of twenty thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Thames County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twenty thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Horowhenua County Council in respect of a Loan of £12,000, being a Portion of a Loan of £90,000 authorized to be raised for providing the Council's Contribution towards the Construction or Reconstruction of the Main Highways throughout the Horowhenua County, and also for providing the Necessary Plant and Machinery for such Work.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Horowhenua County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of ninety thousand pounds for providing the Council's contribution towards the construction or reconstruction of the main highways throughout the Horowhenua County, and also for providing the necessary plant and machinery for such work, and is now desirous of raising the sum of twelve thousand pounds, being a portion of the loan of ninety 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 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 Horowhenua County Council in respect of the said loan of twelve thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding five and three-quarters per centum per annum, and the said Horowhenua County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of twelve thousand pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Dannevirke County Council in respect of a Loan of £45,000, authorized to be raised for the Construction and Reconstruction of Main Highways.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 24th day of April, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Dannevirke County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of forty-five thousand pounds for the construction and reconstruction of main highways :

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

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

Declaring Portion of the Mangaiti Road, in the Waitomo County, to be a County Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Taranaki Land District, Waitomo County, known as Mangaiti Road, commencing at

its junction with Tata Road at a point on the boundary between Sections 3 and 4, Block XII, Mapara Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through the said Section 4 and Sections 5, 6, and 7 (Crown land), Block XII, Mapara Survey District, and terminating at a point near the southern corner of the said Section 7), being a distance of 2 miles 56 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62411, 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 Northern Side of Portion of Bulteel Street, in the Borough of New Plymouth, 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 Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING 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 New Plymouth Borough Council on the 20th day of April, 1925, viz. :—

“That the New Plymouth Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the street hereinafter mentioned, hereby resolves and declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen, subsection one, of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the northern side of Bulteel Street to which Section 770, New Plymouth, has frontage”;
subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land adjoining the northern side of the portion of Bulteel 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 northern side of all that portion of street in the Taranaki Land District, Borough of New Plymouth, known as Bulteel Street, to which Section 770, Town of New Plymouth, has frontage. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62226, 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 Western Side of Portion of Percival Parade, 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 Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING 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 nineteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, viz. :—

“That the Auckland City Council, having control of Percival Parade, 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 Lots 2 and 3 of a subdivision of Lots (part) 10, 41, 42 of Allotment 12, 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 land adjoining the western side of the portion of Percival Parade (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of twenty-five feet from the centre-line of the said portion of street.

SCHEDULE.

THE western side of all that portion of street situated in the North Auckland Land District, City of Auckland, known as Percival Parade, fronting Lots 2 and 3 of a subdivision of part Lots 10, 41, and 42 of Allotment 12, Section 8, Suburbs of Auckland. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62050, 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.

Portions of Roads in Block III, Wyndham Survey District, County of Southland, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING 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 Southland County Council on the ninth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, viz. :—

“That the Southland County Council, being the local authority having control of the roads traversing Section 15, Block III, Wyndham Survey District, and the road between said Section 15 and Sections 2 and 4 of the said Block III, and the road between said Section 15 and Section 6 of the said block, Wyndham Survey District, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said roads above specified”;
such portions of roads being described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those portions of roads situated in the Southland Land District, Southland County, adjoining or passing through Section 15, Block III, Wyndham Survey District, as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62618, 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 Eastern Side of Portion of Weymouth Street, in the Borough of New Plymouth, 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 Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING 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 New Plymouth Borough Council on the nineteenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, viz. :—

“That the New Plymouth Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the street hereinafter mentioned, hereby resolves and declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen, subsection one, of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the eastern side of Weymouth Street to which Section 194, New Plymouth, has frontage”;
subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land adjoining the eastern side of the portion of Weymouth 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 Taranaki Land District, Borough of New Plymouth, known as Weymouth Street, fronting Section 194, Town of New Plymouth. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62329, 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

Restricting the Importation of Poultry from all Countries other than Australia. (C. No. 25.)

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1924.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section forty-six of the Customs Act, 1913, as amended by the Customs Amendment Act, 1921, 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 prohibit, save in accordance with the terms of a permit issued by the Minister of Agriculture, the importation of any live poultry (including domestic fowls, ducks, geese, and turkeys) from any country other than the Commonwealth of Australia, unless each lot is accompanied by a certificate dated not more than one month before the exportation of the poultry to which it relates and signed by a responsible officer of the Government of the country of export certifying that fowl-pest (*Pestis gallinarum*) has not been known to occur in that country during a period of two years immediately preceding the date of the certificate.

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

Warrant authorizing the Minister of Public Works to construct a Bridge and Approaches over the Waihou River at Kopu, and apportioning the Cost.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by section one hundred and nineteen of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby authorize the Minister of Public Works to construct the bridge and approaches described in the Schedule hereto; and I do also hereby declare that the cost thereof to the extent of twelve thousand pounds shall be borne by the Thames Borough Council, to the extent of twelve thousand pounds by the Hauraki Plains County Council, and to the extent of six thousand pounds by the Thames County Council; and I do further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Thames Borough Council, the Hauraki Plains County Council, and the Thames County Council respectively shall be paid from time to time out of the funds of the said Councils within a period of one month after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the Minister of Public Works, and all such payments shall be made to the credit of the Public Account, and bank receipts sent to the Minister of Public Works at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge in the Auckland Land District over the Waihou River, together with approaches thereto, in Blocks VII and VIII, Thames Survey District. As the site of the said bridge and approaches is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 61875, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 6th day of May, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

Lands temporarily reserved in the North Auckland, Auckland, Hawke's Bay, Wellington, Canterbury, and Otago Land Districts.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three hundred and fifty-nine of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby temporarily reserve from sale the lands in the North Auckland, Auckland, Hawke's Bay, Wellington, Canterbury, and Otago Land Districts described in the Schedule hereunder written, for the purposes specified in the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Locality.	Section.	Block.	Area.	Purpose for which Land reserved
NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
Village of Kaiwaka	Allotment 203 .. ..	..	A. R. P. 14 2 30	Recreation.
Kaiwaka Parish	„ 173 .. ..	..	0 1 11	Cemetery.
AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
Puniu Survey District	4 and 5	X	4 2 12	Public-school site.
Maketu Survey District	48	II	5 0 6	„
HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.				
Clive Survey District	Clive Suburban Sec. 3	III	0 3 11	Recreation.
WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.				
Ngamatea Survey District	4	IV	10 0 0	Resting-place for travelling stock.
CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.				
Town of Dromore	Reserve 4120 .. ..	..	4 2 18.6	Railway.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.				
Town of Komako	1247R .. ..	..	1 1 15	Recreation.
Tarras Survey District	1249R	VI	0 0 18	„
„	1250R	VI	0 0 24	Addition to public-school site.
Town of Pembroke	4	XV	8 3 23	Recreation.
Kurow Survey District	24	X	2 2 6	Addition to hospital-site.
Glenorchy Survey District	7	IV	115 1 19	Railway.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 1st day of May, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Revoking a Warrant setting apart Land under Section 161 of the Land Act, 1924.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by section five of the Land Act, 1924, and every other power and authority enabling me in that behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Warrant dated the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the nineteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, setting apart the land in the Schedule hereto for disposal under section one hundred and sixty-one of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 13, Block XI, Ruakaka Survey District: Area, 3 acres 1 rood 24 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 1st day of May, 1925.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Declaring Road-lines intersecting or adjacent to Land in Kinloch Settlement, Canterbury Land District, to be closed.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS a report has been received from the Surveyor-General, from which it appears that the roads described in the Schedule hereto are unformed and unused, and that the said roads intersect or are adjacent to land acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, and are not suitable to the subdivision of such land:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of section eighty of the Land for Settlements Act, 1908, as amended by section twenty-eight of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1920, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do by this notice hereby close the roads hereinafter described; and I do hereby declare that the said roads shall thereupon become subject to the Land for Settlements Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

KINLOCH SETTLEMENT.—AKAROA SURVEY DISTRICT.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of roads to be closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through Section
1	3	8	8318 and 18918, Block II.
2	1	19	19063, Block II.
0	0	14	3840 „ II.
0	0	30-9	1113 „ II.
4	0	1	3840 „ II.
1	2	6	1113 „ II.
0	1	2	2928 „ II.
3	0	26	9558, 18852 and 19065, Block II.
5	1	3	18850 and 21120, Block II.
2	3	0	2039, Block V.
8	1	4	18618, „ V.
28	0	0	24314, 22942, 22001, and 19181, Blocks V and VI.
20	0	38	18616 and 3300, Block V.
5	0	29	18654 and 3299, „ V.
5	0	23	2040 and 18655, „ V.

In the Canterbury Land District as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 19314, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2109, and thereon coloured green.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 2nd day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
For Minister of Lands.

Validating Proceedings in connection with the Shannon Borough Council's Loan of £1,100 for Water-supply Purposes.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE SIR FRANCIS BELL PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Shannon Borough Council proceeded by way of special order to raise a loan of one thousand one hundred pounds (£1,100) under section eighteen of the

Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, and the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and their respective amendments, for the purpose of completing the undertaking of providing a water-supply for the Borough of Shannon, for which a loan of eleven thousand pounds was authorized by a poll of the rate-payers of the said borough taken on the twenty-sixth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three (the said loan of eleven thousand pounds having been found insufficient to complete the said undertaking):

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the said loan were irregular in that the notices calling the meeting to pass the resolution by way of special order and the meeting to confirm the said resolution did not provide for the place of such meetings as required by section sixty-two, subsection two, of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920:

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the said loan were also irregular in that, although five full weeks intervened between the said two meetings, the public notice of the place and date fixed for the meeting to confirm the resolution to make the special order authorizing the raising of the loan and of such resolution were given only four times, and were not given once in each full week as required by section sixty-three, subsection (c), of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920:

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the district have not been misled by such irregularities as aforesaid, 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 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 order and declare that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the said notices had been correctly given, and as though public notice of the place and date fixed for the meeting to confirm the said resolution and of such resolution had been correctly given, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

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

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

Henry Joseph Stone, of Woodend

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

As witness my hand at Wellington this 28th day of April, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

Donald Wallace, of Takahue,

to be a Ranger under the said Act for the Mangonui-Whangaroa Acclimatization District.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 28th day of April, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

Laurence William Nelson, of Whangarei,

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

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 1st day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

George R. Seymour, of Mokai,

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

As witness my hand at Wellington this 1st day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

Sydney H. Jolly, of Hamurana,

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

As witness my hand at Wellington this 2nd day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

Douglas Brown Stewart, of Pokeno,
William Alan Paterson, of Huntly,
James McEwan, of Whangaripo, and
Geoffrey House Worker, of Wellsford,
Michael James Remington, of Karangahake,
Charles Albert Stenbridge, of Paeroa, and
Captain Charles Wheeler, of Takapuna,

to be Rangers under the said Act for the Auckland Acclimatization District.

As witness my hand at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

John Henry Keenan, of Coroglen,

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

As witness my hand at Wellington, this 4th day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

Adam James McNeill, of Pakipaki,

to be a Ranger under the said Act for the Hawke's Bay Acclimatization District.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 4th day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

Walter Powell, of Tawarenga,

to be a Ranger under the said Act for the Bay of Islands Acclimatization District.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 5th day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

John Pratt, of Te Kuiti, and
Charles Smith, of Auckland,

to be Rangers under the said Act for the Auckland Acclimatization District.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 5th day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Vice-Consul for the Netherlands at Dunedin appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 27th April, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that he has recognized provisionally the appointment by the Consul-General for the Netherlands, Sydney, of

G. L. Denniston, Esquire,

as Vice-Consul for the Netherlands at Dunedin during the temporary absence of the Vice-Consul, G. R. Ritchie, Esquire.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Returning Officer for the Akitio Rabbit District appointed.—
Notice No. Ag. 2497.*

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 4th May, 1925.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in terms of section 71 of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908,

Austin Patrick Campbell

to be Returning Officer to hold the first election of trustees for the Akitio Rabbit District, constituted under Part III of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

Member of Westland Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 1st May, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to reappoint

William Hill Chinn

to be a member of the Westland Land Board as from the 31st May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
For Minister of Lands.

District Public Trustee appointed.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 30th April, 1925.

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

George Ernest Miller, Esq.,

to be District Public Trustee at Wellington as from the 1st day of April, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 1st May, 1925.

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

Eleazar Griffiths, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the District of Riverton, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Riverton, as from the 21st April, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Under-Secretary of Justice appointed.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 4th May, 1925.

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

Robert Percy Ward, Esq.,

to be Under-Secretary of Justice, as from the 12th day of March, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Controller-General of Prisons and Inspector of Prisons and Chief Probation Officer appointed.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 5th May, 1925.

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

Michael Hawkins, Esq.,

to be Controller-General of Prisons and Inspector of Prisons for the purposes of the Prisons Act, 1908, and its amendments, and Chief Probation Officer for the purposes of the Offenders Probation Act, 1920, as from the 18th day of March, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 6th May, 1925.

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

James Selwyn Mosley, Esq.,

to be Assistant Clerk of the Magistrate's Court at Lawrence, for the purposes of section 8 of the Magistrates' Courts Amendment Act, 1922, and Assistant Clerk of the Warden's Court at Lawrence, in the Otago Mining District, constituted under the Mining Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of May, 1925.

Alexander Juriss, Esq.,

to be Crier at Christchurch of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, for the purposes of the Judicature Act, 1908, as from the 30th day of April, 1925.

Frank Graham Hutton, Esq.,

to be Returning Officer for the Auckland Central Electoral District, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, and the Returning Officer for the Licensing District of Auckland, for the purposes of the Licensing Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of May, 1925.

Harry Dyer Bennett, Esq.,

to be Crier at Dunedin of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, for the purposes of the Judicature Act, 1908, as from the 29th day of April, 1925.

James Miller, Esq.,

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court at Auckland, for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 28th day of April, 1925.

Charles Samuel Carrad, Esq.,

to be the Registrar of Electors for the Electoral District of Rangitikei, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of May, 1925.

Herbert John Copping, Esq.,

to be the Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Eden, for the purposes of the Legislature Act, 1908, as from the 4th day of May, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Secretary to the Treasury, &c., appointed.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 6th May, 1925.

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

Robert Edward Hayes, Esq.,

to be Secretary to the Treasury, Receiver-General, Paymaster-General, Registrar New Zealand Consols, and Registrar New Zealand Inscribed Stock in the Dominion of New Zealand, as from the 1st day of April, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the Territorial Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 1st May, 1925.

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

2ND N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S WELLINGTON WEST COAST).

Lieutenant C. R. F. Tilley, from the Wellington West Coast Regiment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1925.
Harry Leopold Spratt to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st April, 1925.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants. Dated 14th April, 1925.

Arthur James Follett Halcombe.
Clive Rippon Mayer.

5TH N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (OTAGO HUSSARS).

2nd Lieutenant R. C. Parata is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class II (b) R.D. 11. Dated 24th April, 1925.

9TH N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (NORTH AUCKLAND).

Lieutenant H. G. Carruth to be Captain. Dated 7th April 1925.

THE REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Captain A. E. Brendon, from the Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own), to be Captain (13th Coast Battery). Dated 23rd April, 1925.

Lieutenant A. A. Currey to be Captain (20th Pack Battery). Dated 20th April, 1925.

Lieutenant J. B. S. Lockhart (20th Pack Battery) is transferred to the 16th Pack Battery, with seniority as from the 31st March, 1925.

Lieutenant M. W. E. Shore (15th Coast Battery) is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b) R.D. 5. Dated 27th April, 1925.

*N.Z. CORPS OF SIGNALS.**Central Depot.*

2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) R. Wiltshire, from the N.Z. Corps of Signals, Southern Depot, to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*), with seniority as from the 7th November, 1924.

Southern Depot.

2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) R. Wiltshire is transferred to the N.Z. Corps of Signals, Central Depot. Dated 20th April, 1925.

Harry James Cummins to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*). Dated 24th April, 1925.

*THE N.Z. INFANTRY.**The Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own).*

Captain A. E. Brendon (3rd C. Battalion) is transferred to the Regiment of N.Z. Artillery, 13th Coast Battery. Dated 23rd April, 1925.

2nd Lieutenant L. L. Robertson, *M.M.*, from the Wellington West Coast Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant (1st Battalion), with seniority as from the 8th September, 1924.

The Wellington Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant E. E. Zohrab (1st Battalion) resigns his commission. Dated 20th April, 1925.

The Wellington West Coast Regiment.

Lieutenant C. R. F. Tilley (1st C. Battalion) is transferred to the 2nd N.Z. Mounted Rifles (Queen Alexandra's Wellington West Coast). Dated 20th April, 1925.

2nd Lieutenant L. L. Robertson, *M.M.* (1st Battalion), is transferred to the Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own). Dated 23rd April, 1925.

The Canterbury Regiment.

Captain A. K. Anderson (3rd C. Battalion) is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b) R.D. 10. Dated 16th April, 1925.

The Southland Regiment.

The notice published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 27 of 30th April, 1925, relating to 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) J. T. Erridge is cancelled, and the following substituted:—

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) J. T. Erridge (2nd C. Battalion) lapses. Dated 30th March, 1925.

N.Z. AIR FORCE.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants (*on probation*):—
William Collard Grant Mackie. Dated 25th March, 1925.
George Cyril Vincent Buckley. Dated 26th March, 1925.
Arthur Vans Gladstone. Dated 15th April, 1925.

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Henry Goulding Rice, *M.R.C.S.Eng., L.R.C.P.Lond.*, to be Captain, and is attached for duty to the 1st Battalion, the Hauraki Regiment. Dated 2nd March, 1925.

Lieutenant W. B. Reekie to be Captain. Dated 17th April, 1925.

Major R. C. Begg, *M.B., M.R.C.S.Eng.*, is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 20th April, 1925.

Captain A. C. Thomson, *M.B.*, is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 10th April, 1925.

Captain R. W. Edgar, *M.B.*, is transferred to the Reserve of Officers. Dated 16th April, 1925.

N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend G. T. Brown, Chaplain 4th Class, to be Chaplain 3rd Class. Dated 9th April, 1925.

The Reverend F. H. Radford, Chaplain 4th Class, is transferred to the Reserve List, Class II, R.D. 5. Dated 9th April, 1925.

R. HEATON RHODES, Minister of Defence

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 1st May, 1925.

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

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

WAIPAWA COUNTY COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the County of Waipawa taken on the 5th day of February, 1925, on the proposal of the Waipawa County Council to borrow the sum of £45,000 for the purpose of providing the Council's contribution under the Main Highways Act for the construction or reconstruction of the main highways in the County of Waipawa, to provide the necessary machinery for same, and to provide funds to erect certain new bridges and culverts in various parts of the county,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 370; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 123; informal, 1.

I therefore declare the proposal was carried.

Dated this 11th February, 1925.

A. M. COOK, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 1st May, 1925.

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

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

POHANGINA COUNTY COUNCIL.

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

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Mangapikopiko Riding was taken on the 13th day of February, 1925, on the proposal of the Pohangina County Council to borrow the sum of £350 for the purpose of rebuilding in concrete bridges in the Mangapikopiko Riding.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 19; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 5. I therefore declare that the poll was carried.

Dated this 16th day of February, 1925.

H. W. SMART, Chairman.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 1st May, 1925.

EMPIRE DAY will be celebrated on Wednesday the 3rd June, 1925, in conjunction with the anniversary of the birthday of His Majesty the King, and that day will be observed as a public holiday in the Government offices throughout the Dominion.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

First Meeting of the recently constituted Otaki Fire Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 5th May, 1925.

IN accordance with the provisions of section 36, subsection (6), of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, it is hereby notified that the first meeting of the Otaki Fire Board will be held at the Borough Council Chambers, Otaki, at 2 p.m. on Monday, 18th May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Members of Otaki Fire Board.

Wellington, 30th April, 1925.

THE undermentioned persons have been appointed or elected to be members of the Otaki Fire Board constituted under the Fire Brigades Act, 1908:—

Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Poole Brandon.

Elected by the Fire Insurance Companies—
Frederick G. Cray.
Vernon Irving.
Edward C. Rowe.

Elected by the Otaki Borough Council—
Harold Taylor.
Ernest Irvine.
William Bassett.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Election of Members of Fire Boards by Insurance Companies.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 2nd May, 1925.

PURSUANT to the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, and the rules made thereunder, it is hereby notified that an election by the insurance companies carrying on business in New Zealand of three members of the undermentioned Fire Boards will be held on Monday, the 18th May, 1925, in the manner prescribed by the said Act and rules:—

Auckland Fire Board.
Balclutha Fire Board.
Christchurch Fire Board.
Dannevirke Fire Board.
Dargaville Fire Board.
Dunedin Fire Board.
Eltham Fire Board.
Feilding Fire Board.
Foxton Fire Board.
Gisborne Fire Board.
Greymouth Fire Board.
Hamilton Fire Board.
Hastings Fire Board.
Hawera Fire Board.
Hokitika Fire Board.
Invercargill Fire Board.
Kaiapoi Fire Board.
Kaitangata Fire Board.
Lawrence Fire Board.
Levin Fire Board.

Masterton Fire Board.
Milton Fire Board.
Napier Fire Board.
New Plymouth Fire Board.
Oamaru Fire Board.
Ohakune Fire Board.
Otaki Fire Board.
Palmerston North Fire Board.
Petone Fire Board.
Port Chalmers Fire Board.
Rotorua Fire Board.
Taumarunui Fire Board.
Tauranga Fire Board.
Te Aroha Fire Board.
Timaru Fire Board.
Waihi Fire Board.
Waitara Fire Board.
Wanganui Fire Board.
Westport Fire Board.
Whangarei Fire Board.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 6th May, 1925.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Board of the Ngaroto Drainage District, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913.

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

NGAROTO DRAINAGE BOARD.

Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan of £2,000.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Ngaroto Drainage Board taken on the 8th day of April, 1925, on the proposal of the Ngaroto Drainage Board to borrow the sum of £2,000 for the construction of drainage-works for the Ngaroto Drainage District,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 66; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 35.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Te Awamutu this 8th day of April, 1925.

GEORGE FINCH, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 5th May, 1925.

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

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

WAITOMO COUNTY COUNCIL.

Result of Poll on Proposal to raise Loan.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Mangaokewa Special-rating Area in the County of Waitomo was taken on the 8th day of April, 1925, on the proposal of the Waitomo County Council to borrow the sum of £2,400 for the purpose of re-forming, widening, culverting, and metalling portion of the Mangaokewa Road.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 12; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 9.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Dated this 28th day of April, 1925.

ROBT. WERE, Chairman.

By-law of the Riverton Borough Council confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1910.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 5th May, 1925.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the by-law made by the Riverton Borough Council on the 16th day of March, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

IN pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-law of the Riverton Borough Council, and declare that the same came into force on the 1st day of April, 1925.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1925.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Special Order made by the Southland County Council declaring that Canadian Thistle and Ragweed shall be deemed not to be Noxious Weeds.—Notice No. Ag. 2498.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 5th May, 1925.

THE following special order made by the Southland County Council is published in accordance with the provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Agriculture.

SPECIAL ORDER.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, and the amendments of the said Act, the Southland County Council hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

That Canadian or Californian Thistle (*Oniscus arvensis*) and ragwort or ragweed (*Senecio jacobaea*) shall be deemed not to be noxious weeds within the County of Southland.

The foregoing resolution was passed by the Southland County Council as a special order on the 13th day of March, 1925, and confirmed as such on the 17th day of April, 1925.

Special Order passed by the Masterton Borough Council declaring Hemlock and Fennel to be Noxious Weeds.—Notice No. Ag. 2499.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 6th May, 1925.

THE following special order made by the Masterton Borough 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.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, and its amendments, the Masterton Borough Council doth hereby declare (by special order) that hemlock (*Conium maculatum*) and fennel (*Fœniculum vulgare*), being two of the plants named in the Third Schedule to the said Act, are noxious weeds within the meaning of the said Act within the Borough of Masterton.

The above special order was made by the Masterton Borough Council at a special meeting held on the 16th March, 1925, and was duly confirmed at a subsequent meeting of the Council on the 21st April, 1925.

Notice of Intention to take Additional Land, in the City of Wellington, for the Purposes of an Automatic-telephone Exchange.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, to execute a certain public work—to wit, the construction of an automatic-telephone exchange in the City of Wellington; and for the purposes of such public work the additional land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the Public Works Office, Wellington, and is there open for inspection; and that all persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land required to be taken: 2.55 perches.

Being part Lot 3, D.P. 5556, being part Section 28, situated in Block VI, Port Nicholson Survey District (Karori R.D.) (City of Wellington.) (S.O. 1965.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62405, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered red.

As witness my hand at Wellington this 30th day of April, 1925.

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

Result of Election of Trustees of Awatane Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 6th May, 1925.

THE following result of the election of the trustees of the Awatane Drainage District has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

J. HISLOP, Under-Secretary.

Awatane Drainage District, County of Otorohanga—
Martin Anso,
Arthur Nassau Austin,
John Budge,
Abel Illing, and
David McCracken.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 31st March, 1925, and for the corresponding period, 1924:—

WHANGAREI SECTION.				GISBORNE SECTION—continued.			
		1925.	1924.			1925.	1924.
		No.	No.			Tons.	Tons.
PASSENGERS,—				GOODS—continued.			
1st Class	..	2,156	2,568	Timber	..	1,137	841
2nd Class	..	12,644	15,604	Other Goods	..	4,169	3,758
Total	..	14,800	18,172	Total	..	5,306	4,599
Season Tickets	..	92	137	REVENUE,—			
Goods,—		No.	No.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Cattle	..	496	129	Passengers	..	688 10 6	829 19 9
Sheep and Pigs	..	9,816	6,622	Parcels	..	310 16 7	289 4 7
Total	..	10,312	6,751	Goods	..	2,330 1 7	2,271 8 9
Timber	..	2,710	4,253	Miscellaneous	..	16 7 2	16 13 0
Other Goods	..	15,442	16,079	Rents and Commissions	..	107 0 1	64 14 3
Total	..	18,152	20,332	Total	..	£3,452 15 11	£3,472 0 4
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
Passengers	..	2,759 9 1	1,990 4 11			1925.	1924.
Parcels	..	488 9 10	396 18 5	PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.
Goods	..	5,966 10 6	5,313 7 2	1st Class	..	89,790	96,099
Miscellaneous	..	309 17 5	484 10 9	2nd Class	..	464,749	561,102
Rents and Commissions	..	326 18 6	91 6 11	Total	..	554,539	657,201
Total..	..	£9,801 5 4	£8,276 8 2	Season Tickets	..	40,197	35,352
KAIHU SECTION.				Goods,—			
		1925.	1924.			No.	No.
		No.	No.	PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class	..	104	219	1st Class	..	23,539	22,068
2nd Class	..	2,202	2,327	Sheep and Pigs	..	647,486	523,804
Total	..	2,306	2,546	Total	..	671,025	545,872
Season Tickets	..	..	..	Timber	..	34,824	38,446
Goods,—		No.	No.	Other Goods	..	235,165	217,189
Cattle	..	6	..	Total	..	269,989	250,635
Sheep and Pigs	..	263	54	REVENUE,—			
Total	..	269	54			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Timber	..	890	1,142	Passengers	..	125,022 8 9	117,948 2 10
Other Goods	..	466	430	Parcels	..	21,503 5 7	20,915 3 9
Total	..	1,356	1,572	Goods	..	226,946 2 7	203,482 15 0
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Miscellaneous	..	9,467 7 2	8,897 10 2
Passengers	..	228 12 8	239 15 11	Rents and Commissions	..	7,739 19 9	5,712 6 9
Parcels	..	113 5 8	164 17 2	Total	..	£390,679 3 10	£356,955 18 6
Goods	..	518 6 8	602 0 11	SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.			
Miscellaneous	..	4 15 5	6 4 1			1925.	1924.
Rents and Commissions	..	20 16 6	17 6 0	PASSENGERS,—		No.	No.
Total..	..	£885 16 11	£1,030 4 1	1st Class	..	62,495	62,843
GISBORNE SECTION.				2nd Class	..	260,817	301,401
		1925.	1924.	Total	..	323,312	364,244
		No.	No.	Season Tickets	..	14,369	12,995
1st Class	..	727	874	Goods,—			
2nd Class	..	3,700	5,051			No.	No.
Total	..	4,427	5,925	Cattle	..	8,671	7,646
Season Tickets	..	..	14	Sheep and Pigs	..	946,939	815,197
Goods,—		No.	No.	Total	..	955,610	822,843
Cattle	..	63	43	Timber	..	27,316	36,086
Sheep and Pigs	..	21,666	26,953	Other Goods	..	263,130	238,953
Total	..	21,729	26,996	Total	..	290,446	269,989
REVENUE,—				REVENUE,—			
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	..	59,409 5 11	60,304 6 9	Passengers	..	13,954 18 3	11,865 19 7
Parcels	..	13,954 18 3	11,865 19 7	Parcels	..	177,142 15 10	148,414 14 7
Goods	..	6,951 16 9	6,606 15 10	Goods	..	2,958 18 1	2,329 0 5
Miscellaneous	..	2,958 18 1	2,329 0 5	Miscellaneous	..	..	..
Rents and Commissions	..	..	..	Rents and Commissions	..	..	..
Total	..	£260,417 14 10	£229,020 17 2	Total	..	..	..

WESTPORT SECTION.					PICTON SECTION.				
		1925.		1924.			1925.		1924.
PASSENGERS,—		No.		No.	PASSENGERS,—		No.		No.
1st Class	45	154	1st Class	..	..	1,213	986
2nd Class	6,377	6,772	2nd Class	..	..	4,644	6,052
Total	6,422	6,926	Total	..	..	5,857	7,038
Season Tickets	134	179	Season Tickets	..	..	7	13
GOODS,—		No.		No.	GOODS,—		No.		No.
Cattle, Calves	21	3	Cattle, Calves	..	..	92	47
Sheep and Pigs	303	446	Sheep and Pigs	..	..	37,901	20,770
Total	324	449	Total	..	..	37,993	20,817
		Tons.		Tons.			Tons.		Tons.
Timber	484	708	Timber	..	..	97	64
Other Goods	52,307	47,291	Other Goods	..	..	5,318	4,836
Total	52,791	47,999	Total	..	..	5,415	4,900
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Passengers	597 12 3	684 16 0	Passengers	..	..	697 2 8	597 8 8
Parcels	123 16 6	227 2 8	Parcels	..	..	269 11 7	248 7 6
Goods	9,905 15 11	9,151 11 0	Goods	..	..	2,666 6 2	2,032 9 5
Miscellaneous	823 10 9	515 19 1	Miscellaneous	..	..	238 13 2	180 6 3
Rents and Commissions	102 18 2	42 18 7	Rents and Commissions	..	..	91 9 7	49 14 9
Total	£11,553 18 7	£10,622 7 4	Total	..	..	£3,963 3 2	£3,108 6 7

NELSON SECTION.					LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.				
		1925.		1924.			1925.		1924.
PASSENGERS,—		No.		No.	PASSENGERS,—		No.		No.
1st Class	246	234	1st Class	..	..	545	849
2nd Class	3,978	4,838	2nd Class	..	..	1,664	1,626
Total	4,224	5,072	Total	..	..	2,209	2,475
Season Tickets	42	28	Season Tickets	..	..	2	..
GOODS,—		No.		No.	GOODS,—		No.		No.
Cattle, Calves	41	19	Cattle, Calves	..	..	27	8
Sheep and Pigs	5,042	5,458	Sheep and Pigs	..	..	2,624	913
Total	5,083	5,477	Total	..	..	2,651	921
		Tons.		Tons.			Tons.		Tons.
Timber	656	288	Timber	..	..	32	29
Other Goods	3,160	3,442	Other Goods	..	..	538	386
Total	3,816	3,730	Total	..	..	570	415
REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.	REVENUE,—		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Passengers	466 16 4	489 14 8	Passengers	..	..	474 5 3	573 16 1
Parcels	156 17 5	148 10 10	Parcels	..	..	131 15 3	120 0 3
Goods	1,776 16 6	1,435 3 1	Goods	..	..	434 4 7	244 1 1
Miscellaneous	35 2 9	14 1 1	Miscellaneous	..	..	5 17 3	0 12 7
Rents and Commissions	67 2 9	37 0 1	Rents and Commissions	..	..	..	1 8 0
Total	£2,502 15 9	£2,124 9 9	Total	..	..	£1,046 2 4	£939 18 0

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR 1924-25.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1924, to 31st March, 1925.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1925	728,000	1,167,724	3,333,882	7,194,406	12,424,012	537,554
1924	779,402	1,320,026	3,569,475	8,167,408	13,836,311	525,744
Increase	..	..	..	..	..	11,810
Decrease	51,402	152,302	235,593	973,002	1,412,299	..

All Sections.	Cattle.	Sheep and Pigs.	Total.	Timber.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1925	351,873	8,105,597	8,457,470	754,634	5,847,973	6,602,607
1924	320,434	7,723,971	8,044,405	724,116	5,795,341	6,519,457
Increase	31,439	381,626	413,065	30,518	52,632	83,150
Decrease	..	..	..	..	..	..

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 31st March, 1925.

Section	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period. Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Whangarei ..	88	£ 9,801 5 4	£ 98,379 2 0	£ 7,594 8 9	£ 115,781 15 10	117.69	£ 1,117 18 11	£ 1,315 14 0
Kaihu ..	24	885 16 11	9,071 14 3	807 3 11	9,224 10 3	101.68	377 19 9	384 7 1
Gisborne ..	60	3,452 15 11	38,000 17 10	3,460 12 10	36,386 9 9	95.75	728 7 3	697 8 4
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,158	390,679 3 10	4,157,510 18 3	258,030 2 6	2,935,490 10 11	70.61	3,601 14 8	2,543 1 6
Total ..	1,330	404,819 2 0	4,302,962 12 4	269,892 8 0	3,096,883 6 9	71.97		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,595	260,417 14 10	2,610,240 3 5	195,123 7 8	2,276,893 7 11	87.23	1,636 16 7	1,427 15 10
Westport ..	43	11,553 13 7	130,365 15 5	8,641 18 4	91,275 15 1	70.02	3,567 18 1	2,498 1 6
Nelson ..	61	2,502 15 9	24,736 17 2	3,068 19 4	31,862 5 1	128.80	405 10 5	522 6 8
Picton ..	56	3,963 3 2	34,122 15 1	3,219 14 11	36,221 9 1	106.15	609 6 8	646 16 3
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	1,046 2 4	10,096 2 4	1,066 9 0	12,279 6 10	121.62	..	..
Total ..	1,755	279,483 9 8	2,809,561 13 5	211,140 9 3	2,448,532 4 0	87.15		
Grand total ..	3,085	684,302 11 8	7,112,524 5 9	481,012 17 3	5,545,415 10 9	77.97		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period. Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Whangarei ..	88	£ 8,276 8 2	£ 90,138 10 0	£ 10,240 6 5	£ 96,791 18 3	107.38	£ 1,080 19 10	£ 1,160 15 10
Kaihu ..	24	1,030 4 1	8,942 12 11	965 11 8	10,111 4 11	113.07	372 12 3	421 6 0
Gisborne ..	49	3,472 0 4	39,168 19 0	2,339 19 3	33,034 0 0	84.34	799 7 4	674 3 3
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,151	356,955 18 6	4,059,142 11 10	242,689 3 8	2,842,663 12 7	70.03	3,537 0 6	2,477 0 4
Total ..	1,312	369,734 11 1	4,197,392 13 9	256,235 1 0	2,982,600 15 9	71.06		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,588	229,020 17 2	2,600,131 19 4	182,544 16 2	2,252,272 17 1	86.62	1,638 4 9	1,419 1 3
Westport ..	36	10,622 7 4	115,642 11 7	7,380 11 9	87,692 4 8	75.33	3,212 5 11	2,435 17 11
Nelson ..	61	2,124 9 9	24,773 5 8	2,887 4 11	29,942 18 11	120.87	406 2 5	490 17 4
Picton ..	56	3,108 6 7	37,397 16 6	2,983 19 11	40,801 3 0	109.10	667 16 5	728 11 10
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	939 18 0	8,872 5 0	872 16 1	10,455 13 0	117.85	..	..
Total ..	1,741	245,815 18 10	2,786,817 18 1	196,669 8 10	2,421,164 16 8	86.88		
Grand total ..	3,053	615,550 9 11	6,984,210 11 10	452,904 9 10	5,403,765 12 5	77.37		

COST OF CONSTRUCTION OF RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1924, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Whangarei ..	962,512	0 0	529,488	0 0
Kaihu ..	191,902	0 0	..	..
Tauranga ..	..	..	1,107,661	0 0
Gisborne ..	699,362	0 0	714,114	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	19,076,401	0 0	2,642,378	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	15,994,401	0 0	315,086	0 0
Westland ..	2,438,977	0 0	1,502,724	0 0
Westport ..	699,940	0 0	97,627	0 0
Nelson ..	444,816	0 0	98,684	0 0
Picton ..	637,691	0 0	18,128	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service ..	44,350	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—				
Surveys, North Island ..	..	..	35,103	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island ..	..	..	5,169	0 0
Surveys, South Island ..	..	..	5,763	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island ..	..	..	5,168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way ..	..	..	200,580	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. and R.I.A. Stores ..	159,075	0 0	..	..
Balance of cost of raising loan of £1,000,000 for Railways Improvement Authorization Act 1914 Account ..	..	..	61,726	0 0
Totals ..	£41,399,427	0 0	£7,339,394	0 0

Public Trustee.—Deceased Persons' Estates under Administration.

THE PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE OF NEW ZEALAND.—INCORPORATED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE PUBLIC TRUST OFFICE ACT, 1908.

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE during the Month of March, 1925:—

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks
1	Baigent, Walter or Walter James ..	Palmerston North	Carpenter ..	28/3/25	Intestate.
2	Baker, John Arthur Charles ..	Mosman, Sydney	Clerk ..	26/6/24	"
3	Barnes, Arthur Leslie Michael ..	Wellington	Drover ..	12/4/25	"
4	Barrett, William ..	Napier ..	Labourer ..	22/3/25	Testate.
5	Bateman, John Henry ..	Waitahuna ..	Stock agent ..	20/3/25	"
6	Beach, Maria Marion ..	Ashburton ..	Married woman ..	30/3/25	"
7	Best, John Fletcher ..	Auckland ..	Sales-manager ..	11/3/25	"
8	Black, James ..	Ruarangi ..	Gum-digger ..	1/4/25	Intestate.
9	Blake, Elizabeth Mary Ann ..	Wellington	Widow ..	17/4/25	Testate.
10	Bracey, Ellis Humprey ..	"	Civil servant ..	27/3/25	"
11	Brickell, Raymond Robert ..	Greymouth ..	Railway employee ..	7/4/25	Intestate.
12	Bryce, Isabel Mackay ..	Napier ..	Spinster ..	31/3/25	"
13	Burrows, Elizabeth ..	Howick ..	Married woman ..	22/3/25	Testate.
14	Campbell, Anne ..	Papakura ..	" ..	30/3/25	Intestate.
15	Campbell, Ellen ..	Queenstown	Widow ..	23/3/25	Testate.
16	Cane, Edward Henry ..	Napier ..	Draughtsman ..	13/3/25	"
17	Carrodus, Albert ..	Oamaru ..	Woolclasser ..	14/1/25	Intestate.
18	Caven, Robert ..	Onehunga ..	Mariner ..	7/4/25	Testate.
19	Cole, George ..	Christchurch ..	Retired farmer ..	28/4/25	"
20	Dale, George ..	Auckland ..	Cooper ..	5/3/25	Intestate.
21	Davies, Elizabeth ..	Normanby ..	Married woman ..	6/4/25	Testate.
22	Dawson, Mark ..	Whangarei ..	Farmer ..	6/3/25	Intestate.
23	Daysh, Lovell Rupert ..	Carterton ..	" ..	26/3/25	Testate.
24	Dickson, David ..	Invercargill ..	Mounted constable ..	20/2/25	Intestate.
25	Dowling, John ..	Te Puke ..	Quarryman ..	29/12/24	Testate.
26	Evans, Richard Robert ..	Kowhai Bush ..	Farmer ..	16/4/25	"
27	Exall, Oswald Walters ..	Rotorua ..	Journalist ..	3/4/25	"
28	Ford, Thomas ..	Christchurch ..	Tailor ..	4/1/24	Intestate.
29	Fosset, William ..	Upper Holloway, London	Auctioneer's porter	20/9/03	"
30	Fountaine, Lucy Jane ..	Christchurch ..	Widow ..	30/3/25	Testate.
31	Fraser, Maragret ..	Waipukurau ..	Spinster ..	20/11/24	Intestate.
32	Gibb, Robert ..	Blackball ..	Miner ..	18/3/25	"
33	Glass, George Kenneth ..	Mercer ..	School-teacher ..	1/3/25	Testate.
34	Graham, Hector Bruce ..	Horotiu ..	Accountant ..	1/4/25	Intestate.
35	Graham, Winifred ..	Hamilton ..	Married woman ..	1/4/25	"
36	Greenhill, John ..	Wellington ..	Watchman ..	31/3/25	"
37	Gustafsen, Bernherdt ..	"	Seaman ..	—/8/24	"
38	Hall, Joseph ..	Palmerston North	Licensed hawker	16/4/25	"
39	Hannigan, John Robert ..	Wellington ..	Labourer ..	4/1/25	"
40	Harcourt, William McKenzie ..	Athol ..	Retired farmer ..	27/2/25	Testate.
41	Harvey, Mary ..	Christchurch ..	Widow ..	20/3/25	"
42	Hay, Alexander ..	Whangamarino ..	Farmer ..	15/3/25	Intestate.
43	Heath, Eliza ..	Auckland ..	Widow ..	29/3/25	"
44	Henderson, Robert William ..	"	Labourer ..	9/4/25	"
45	Hickey, Timothy ..	Nelson ..	Retired police officer	27/3/25	Testate.
46	Kanneweischer, Oskar ..	Taumarunui ..	Locksmith ..	14/3/25	Intestate.
47	Kerr, George Coutts ..	"	Labourer ..	22/3/25	"
48	Liddell, Albert William ..	Waipawa ..	Telegraphist ..	24/3/25	Testate.
49	Ling, Benjamin ..	Otaki ..	Sheep-farmer ..	1/4/25	"
50	Luxford, Samuel Watkin ..	Devonport ..	Retired farmer ..	8/4/25	"
51	Mackey, Annie ..	Wellington ..	Widow ..	11/4/25	"
52	Mair, Charles ..	Sydney, N.S.W. ..	Engineer ..	"	"
53	Moir, Emma ..	Okaihau ..	Widow ..	23/2/25	Intestate.
54	Mollison, Benjamin ..	Wellington ..	Draper ..	21/3/18	Testate.
55	Monk, George ..	Makara, Wellington	Farmer ..	10/4/25	"
56	Morris, Robert ..	Opunake ..	Retired farmer ..	13/4/25	"
57	Murphy, George Herbert ..	Weraroa ..	Labourer ..	8/3/25	Intestate.
58	McCarbon, Michael ..	Queen Street, Wel- lington	" ..	10/4/25	"
59	McIntosh, Archibald ..	Masterton ..	Shearer ..	13/12/22	"
60	McKechnie, James ..	Wellington ..	Retired ..	14/4/25	Testate.
61	McMillan, Norman Frederick ..	Gisborne ..	Labourer ..	24/3/25	Intestate.
62	McMillan, Sarah Gwendoline ..	Auckland ..	Spinster ..	5/1/25	"
63	Newman, Charles Eric Ernest ..	Dunedin ..	Wharf labourer ..	4/4/25	Testate.
64	Nutting, Leslie James ..	Napier ..	Customs Examining Officer	30/1/25	Intestate.
65	O'Connor, Caroline Beatrice ..	Christchurch ..	Married woman ..	13/2/16	"
66	O'Kane, Bernard ..	Waitahuna ..	Miner ..	2/10/21	"
67	O'Kane, Rosanna ..	"	Widow ..	1/2/25	"
68	Orlowski, Ivy ..	Nelson ..	Married woman ..	14/3/25	"
69	Pearson, Margaret ..	Wellington ..	Widow ..	15/4/25	"
70	Peckover, Elise Marie ..	Christchurch ..	" ..	13/12/24	Testate.
71	Port, Charles Anthony ..	Round Hill ..	Miner ..	2/8/08	Intestate.
72	Potter, Charles William ..	Auckland ..	Labourer ..	1/3/25	Testate.

DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES UNDER ADMINISTRATION—*continued.*

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
73	Robertson, George	Ohura	Road contractor ..	17/3/25	Intestate.
74	Rogers, James	Hamilton	Telegraphist	26/3/25	Testate.
75	Rumbold, Henry Joseph Spicer	Onehunga	Farmer	23/3/25	"
76	Runciman, Mary Jane	Tokomaru Bay	Married woman	5/2/25	"
77	Rusbridge, Louisa	Christchurch	"	13/4/25	"
78	Shelton, Robert	Ngongotaha	Farmer	—/12/24	"
79	Smart, John	Temuka	Retired farmer	28/1/25	"
80	Smith, Agnes	Balclutha	"	12/11/24	Intestate.
81	Smith, Samuel Frederick	Bainesse, Palmerton North	Labourer	2/4/25	"
82	Sneddon, Walter	Dunedin	Retired	26/3/25	Testate.
83	Standen, James Thomas	Feilding	Contractor	14/4/25	"
84	Stephens, Robert	Christchurch	Carter	9/4/25	"
85	Stewart, William	Auckland	Old-age pensioner	4/12/24	Intestate.
86	Taylor, Alfred	Wellington	Bootmaker	15/4/25	"
87	Teasdale, Theodore Thomas	Melbourne	Salesman	10/3/25	Testate.
88	Thomson, Agnes	Dunedin	Widow	12/3/25	"
89	Thomson, Thomas	"	Retired blacksmith	21/7/18	Intestate.
90	Tohill, Henrietta	Christchurch	Widow	31/3/25	Testate.
91	Tucker, Arthur John	Opuawhanga	Bushman and blacksmith	16/4/25	"
92	Turnbull, Clementina Fraser	Auckland	Widow	30/3/25	"
93	Watson, Ada	Jamaica	Spinster	13/3/98	Intestate.
94	Wedge, John	Richmond Brook, Seddon	Labourer	9/1/25	"
95	Wensley, Joseph John	Blenheim	Retired bootmaker	18/5/23	Testate.
96	Wood, William	Waihi	Retired farmer	6/3/25	"

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 4th May, 1925.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

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	Christie, John Dalglish	Formerly of Reefton, but late of Grey-mouth	Auctioneer	14/10/24	29/4/25	Testate	Wellington.
2	Dickson, David	Invercargill	Police constable	20/2/25	30/4/25	Intestate	Invercargill.
3	Ford, Thomas	Christchurch	Tailor	4/1/24	29/4/25	"	Christchurch.
4	Gibb, Robert Jope	Blackball	Engine-driver	18/3/25	29/4/25	"	Hokitika.
5	Hall, Joseph	Palmerston North	Labourer	16/4/25	30/4/25	"	Wellington.
6	Heath, Eliza	Auckland	Widow	29/3/25	29/4/25	"	Auckland.
7	McIntosh, Archibald	Masterton	Shearer	13/12/22	30/4/25	"	Invercargill.
8	Newman, Charles Eric Ernest	Dunedin	Labourer	4/4/25	30/4/25	Testate	Dunedin.
9	Orlowski, Ivy	Nelson	Married woman	14/3/25	27/4/25	"	Nelson.
10	Potter, Charles William	Auckland	Harbour Board employee	1/3/25	30/4/25	"	Auckland.
11	Reynolds, Elizabeth (also known as Watson, Elizabeth)	Levin	Married woman	11/4/24	27/4/25	Intestate	Wellington.
12	Ryan, James	Miller's Flat	Labourer	13/2/25	29/4/25	"	Dunedin.
13	Smith, Samuel Frederick	Bainesse	Farm labourer	2/4/25	29/4/25	"	Wellington.
14	Thomson, Christina	St. Leonard's, Dunedin	Married woman	27/1/25	30/4/25	Testate	Dunedin.
15	Todd, Mary Jane	Formerly of Kirwee, but late of Frankton Junction	Widow	11/12/24	27/4/25	"	Auckland.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, N.Z., 4th May, 1925.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Special Books in Languages and Literature (French) for Teachers' Class C Certificate Examination, August, 1926.

Education Department,
Wellington, 5th May, 1925.

IN pursuance of regulations under the Education Act, 1914, and in correction of the notice published in *Gazette* No. 26, of the 23rd April, 1925, and of the list shown on page 35 of the Education Department's pamphlet N8 (Examination, Classification, and Grading of Teachers), notice is hereby given that at the Teachers' Class C Certificate Examination of August, 1926, the special books in French of which a knowledge will be required will be as follows:—
Balzac, "Le Père Goriot"; A Daudet, "Le Petit Chose"; Racine, "Iphigénie."

J. CAUGHLEY, Director of Education.

Election of Governors, Auckland Grammar School Board.

Auckland, 22nd April, 1925.

IN accordance with the Auckland Grammar School Act, 1899, and with the regulations thereunder for the election of Governors by the Education Board of the District of Auckland, I hereby notify that at a meeting of the said Board held this day

Mr. George Brownlee and
Mr. Horace Stephen Waterlow King

were duly re-elected Governors of the Board of Governors constituted by the said Act.

ARCH. BURNS,
Chairman of meeting.

Minister's Decisions under Customs Act.

Customs Department, Wellington, 5th May, 1925.

It is hereby notified for public information that the Hon. the Minister of Customs has decided to interpret the Customs Acts in relation to the undermentioned articles as follows:—

NOTE.—“Not elsewhere included” appears as n.e.i.; “other kinds” as o.k.; “articles and materials suited for, and to be used solely in, the fabrication or repair of goods within New Zealand” as a. and m.s. Articles marked thus † are revised decisions.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.		
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
3/84/6	A. and m.s., viz. :— Bootmakers' materials, viz.,— Supports, metal, to strengthen the waists of shoes and keep the heels in position: viz., “Heel-tites”	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
†11/39/5	Vehicles, all kinds, fittings for, viz.,— Radiator-core material (for the manufacture or repair of radiators of motor-vehicles), viz.,— Honey-comb or cellular material, of brass, tin, or other metal, rolled, drawn, or stamped, but not soldered or built-up in any way Brass or copper tubing fitted with tin or copper gills (Revises decision on page 91 of the Tariff-book.)	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
9/28/2	Boots, &c., and other footwear, n.e.i., viz. :— Sock-soles made partly of dressed woolled lamb-skin	As footwear n.e.i. (250)..	25 per cent.	37½ per cent.	45 per cent.
20/182	Cigarettes, viz. :— Miniature cigarettes for advertising purposes (claimed under Tariff item 612)	As cigarettes n.e.i. (96)	25s. 6d. per 1,000	25s. 6d. per 1,000	25s. 6d. per 1,000.
2/302/2	Coil pipes, for use with the “Mount Gilead” apple-butter cooker	As coil pipes (409) ..	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
3/165/6	Electric appliances and materials, viz. :— Lava tubes, unbaked, being identifiable as parts of electrical resistances	As resistances n.e.i. (433E)	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/102/18	Switches (high-tension), “K.P.F.” pole-top, including the insulating supports therefor	As switches (433E) ..	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/102/18	Telephone-extension bells	As electric appliances n.e.i. (434)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
14/23/11	Glassware n.e.i., viz. :— Glass bottles, having on the side a frosted space for writing or printing	As glassware n.e.i. (287)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
20/8/13	Life-saving apparatus n.e.i., &c., viz. :— Oxygen-compression pump, being a high-pressure pump peculiar to use in charging from storage-cylinders the oxygen-cylinders of rescue apparatus	As apparatus suited solely for use in poisonous gases, &c. (632)	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
2/368	Machines, dredging and excavating, viz.:— The “Nelson Loader,” an appliance for use with a “Fordson” tractor, for digging sand, gravel, &c., and loading it into wagons	As machines, excavating (446)	10 per cent.	15 per cent.	15 per cent.
2/371	Machines, mincing, food-chopping, and similar, viz. :— Cutting-machine, the “Iwel,” for cutting up meat, vegetables, &c.	As food-chopping and similar machines (476)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/49/12	Machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz. :— Bottle-corking machines, hand-power, viz.,— The “Reliable” No. 2 (Mauri Bros. and Thomson, manufacturers)	As machines, &c., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/302/2	Colander, the “Mount Gilead,” specially suited for use in the manufacture of apple-butter, for separating the skins, cores, &c.				

MINISTER'S DECISIONS UNDER CUSTOMS ACTS—*continued.*

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.		
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
	Machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz.— <i>continued.</i>				
2/112/50	Confectioners' machines, viz.— Chocolate - cooling machine for cooling chocolate bars, &c., in moulds (J. W. Greer Company, Manufacturers) (NOTE.—The electric motor is to be separately classified under item 433A, and the parts of the air-cooling apparatus for use with this machine are to be separately classified as under—Coil pipes under item 409, wooden case under item 609, fan under item 442)				
2/112/50	Chocolate drop press, power-driven, for pressing out confectionery into croquettes, tablets, &c.				
2/112/50	Cream - melting machine, consisting of a revolving beater enclosed in a steam-jacketed bronze cylinder (J. M. Lehmann, manufacturer)				
2/112/50	Double-kneading machine, a bronze trough with two revolving blades for mixing ingredients for confectionery (J. M. Lehmann, manufacturer)				
2/112/50	Sugar - sanding machine for sugar-coating gum and jelly confections (The Sugar Sanding Machines Company, manufacturers) (NOTE.—The elevator is to be separately classified under Tariff item 453.)				
2/112/50	Tempering - machine, for automatically maintaining liquid chocolate at the required temperature, by means of warm water circulating through hollow - metal rollers (J. M. Lehmann, manufacturer) (NOTE.—The pump is to be separately classified under Tariff item 462.)	As machines, &c., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/119/6	Coolers, the "Heenan" patent, types "K" and "V," for cooling the circulating water of internal-combustion engines, or for cooling, purifying, humidifying or drying the air in factories, &c. (NOTE.—The pumps are to be separately classified under Tariff item 462.)				
2/285/11	Filling-machine, the "Era" (Roberts' patent) for filling tins with paint, &c.				
2/235/11	Gas-making, viz.— Gas "washer," the "Livesey," specially suited for extracting tar from coal-gas				
†2/235/3	Retort-bench mountings, viz.: Mouth-pieces, furnace doors and door-frames, but not including hydraulic main or valves. (Amends decision on page 373 of the Tariff-book.)				
2/256/10	Ironing machines, viz.— Collar - shaper, the "Waterloo" (Sydney Machine Company, manufacturers) for use in ironing double collars				
2/256/6	Ironing, drying, and finishing machine, the "London Imperial" (D. and J. Tullis, Limited, manufacturers) (NOTE.—The electric motor is to be separately classified under Tariff item 433A)				
2/371	Meatworks appliances, viz.— Fat-extractor, turbine-centrifugal, the "Iwel," including one spare basket if imported therewith (NOTE.—The steam turbine is to be separately classified under Tariff item 424.)				

MINISTER'S DECISIONS UNDER CUSTOMS ACT—continued.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.						
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.				
	Machinery, &c., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz.— <i>continued.</i>								
	Meatworks appliances— <i>continued.</i>								
2/371	Fat melter and drier, the "Iwel"								
2/371	Fat melter, drier, and concentrator, the "Iwel"								
2/309	Mixing-machine, the "Burns," No. 21, capacity 150 lb., for mixing coffee or other ground material								
2/302/2	Pasteurizer, the "Mount Gilead," specially suited for pasteurizing fruit-juices after bottling (NOTE.—The bottle-car, a three-tier truck on which the filled bottles are packed and conveyed into the pasteurizer is to be separately classified under Tariff item 547.)								
2/362/2	Pillmaking plant, viz.,— Auto machine, No. 0, and ball-machine No. 00, including cutting-drums and oval shaper-rings therefor (Arthur Colton Company, manufacturers) (NOTE.—The elevator, for conveying the product of one machine to the other, is to be separately classified under Tariff item 453.)	As machines &c., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.				
2/362/2	Mass-mixer, double-worm (Arthur Colton Company, manufacturers)								
2/362/2	Pans, coating and polishing (Arthur Colton Company, manufacturers)								
2/18/59	Printers' machines, &c., viz.,— Collating-table on which are assembled sets of printed forms preparatory to binding in book-form								
2/18	Folders, viz.,— The "Aldrich" (Lisenby Manufacturing Company, manufacturers) (NOTE.—The electric motor is to be separately classified under Tariff item 433A.)								
2/18	Printing presses, viz.,— "The Autofede" attachment for feeding sheets of paper to a press (Lisenby Manufacturing Company, manufacturers) (NOTE.—The electric motor is to be separately classified under Tariff item 433A.)								
2/370	Tobacco-stalk-crushing machine for use in a tobacco-factory								
2/366	Machinery, &c., peculiar to metal-working, viz.:— Locking-machine, part of the "lock-bar" steel-pipe-making plant, including the so-called "pull-through winch"					As machines peculiar to metal-working (481) (1)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/366	Machinery n.e.i., viz.:— Hydraulic accumulator, for steel-pipe-making plant					As machinery n.e.i. (482)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
13/117	Measuring, &c., appliances, viz.:— Tape measures, being spring-return tapes enclosed in fancy cases representing dogs' heads, gold balls, fruits, &c.					As measuring, &c., appliances n.e.i. (475)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
†2/235/5	Metal, manufactured articles of, n.e.i., viz.:— Gasworks apparatus, viz.,— Hydraulic main, an appliance in which tar, &c., are separated from the gas leaving the retorts (Amends decision on page 373 of Tariff-book.)	As manufactured articles of metal n.e.i. (547)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.				

MINISTER'S DECISIONS UNDER CUSTOMS ACTS—continued.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.		
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
3/18/14	Pipes, tubes, and tubing, viz :— Asbestos-cement pipes	As pipes n.e.i. (403) (7)	Free ..	20 per cent.	20 per cent.
3/18/14	Stone, and articles made therefrom, or from cement, viz. :— Asbestos-cement flue-pipe bafflers, cone-caps, torpedo-head cowls, gutters (ogee and half-round), gutter-connections, and rain-water-pipe heads	As articles made from cement n.e.i. (310)	25 per cent.	35 per cent.	40 per cent.
†11/32/4	Tool-sets in bags, boxes, kits, or rolls (including those specially suited for motor-vehicles or cycles but not imported therewith) (Modifies decision on page 555 of the Tariff-book under "Motor-vehicles, &c., accessories for.")	The various articles to be classified under their appropriate headings	..	..	..
3/599	Tools, artificers', viz. :— Line-pins, for stretching a cord to give a line for laying bricks, &c.	As artificers' tools n.e.i. (433)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
†2/235/5	Valves, taps, &c., viz. :— Gas and tar valve, for controlling the delivery of gas and tar from the hydraulic main of a gas-generator (Amends decision on page 373 of the Tariff-book.)	As valves n.e.i. (541)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.

NOTE.—The decision appearing on page 77 of the Tariff-book, viz. : "Oil denatured by addition of 1½ lb. resin per gallon, if used in ropemaking" as a. and m.s. (643) is cancelled.

Minister's Order No. 36.]

GEO. CRAIG, Comptroller of Customs.

Certificates of Naturalization granted.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 5th May, 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.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD, Minister of Internal Affairs.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Country of Birth.	Date of Naturalization.
*Hansen, Carl Christian Peter Bodtker	Ongaonga ..	Sawmiller ..	Denmark ..	21/4/25.
Johnson, Siegfred Edward Harry ..	Alexandra ..	Orchardist ..	Denmark ..	1/5/25.
Matutinovich, Ivan ..	Dargaville ..	Farmer ..	Jugo-Slavia ..	"
Neilsen, Jens Peter ..	Gladstone ..	Retired farmer ..	Denmark ..	"
Olsen, Andrew ..	Kaiti ..	Labourer ..	Norway ..	"
Dominkovich, Marko ..	Waipapakauri ..	Gum-digger ..	Dalmatia ..	"
Brown, Thomas ..	Tisbury ..	Farmer ..	Norway ..	"
Short, George Frederick ..	Wanganui ..	Taxi-driver ..	Germany ..	4/5/25.
Faine, Rachel ..	Wellington ..	Dressmaker ..	Russia ..	"
Wenzel, Emil Arno ..	" ..	Baker ..	Germany ..	"
Rittner, William ..	" ..	Hotel-porter ..	" ..	"
Olsen, Peter ..	Invercargill ..	School-teacher ..	" ..	"

* Previously gazetted as Hensen, Carl Christian Peter Bodtker.

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

Mining Registrar's Office, Hokitika, 23rd April, 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.
HOKITIKA REGISTRY.				
1095	20/3/1903	Residence-site ..	Arthurstown ..	Lachlan McLachlan.
1698	24/11/1905	" ..	Rimu ..	Jane Gilroy.
KUMARA REGISTRY.				
102	12/9/1900	Residence-site ..	Kumara ..	Bessie Ellen Murphy.

Notice of Vesting of Land in the Public Trustee under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, Part II. Unclaimed Lands.

WHEREAS I, the undersigned, the Public Trustee, have, for the purposes of Part II of the Public Trust Office Act, 1908 (relating to unclaimed lands), made due inquiries with respect to the land described in the Schedule hereunder, and the whereabouts of the owner thereof, and have, in respect of the said land, given the notices prescribed by section 66 of that Act, and have in all respects complied with the provisions of that Act pertinent hereto: And whereas I have not thereby ascertained the whereabouts of the owner and believe that such owner or an agent of such owner is not in the Dominion, nor has such owner established his title to the said land, as required by the said Act: I hereby give notice that the said land is, under and by virtue of the said Act, vested in the Public Trustee as aforesaid, as from the date of the publication hereof, and will be administered under the Public Trust Office Act, 1908; the value of the land for the purposes of section 67 (d) of the said Act being less than £500.

Dated at Wellington, this 29th day of April, 1925.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that piece of land situate in the Parish of Mangatete, containing by admeasurement 40 acres, more or less, being south-western portion of Allotment 38. Bounded on the north-east by part Allotment 38, 2700 links; on the south-east by Allotments 34 and 35, 2600 links; on the south-west by a road 100 links wide, 150 links, 334 links, 432 links, 756 links, 577 links, 471 links, 550 links, and 90 links; and on the north-west by Allotment 41, 940 links; being the land included in unregistered Crown grant to Anne Jane Taylor, of Auckland, Settler.

Notice to Mariners No. 38 of 1925.

NEW ZEALAND.—WRECKS.—UNIFORM SYSTEM OF MARKING.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 2nd May, 1925.

MARINERS are hereby informed that the new "Uniform System of marking Wrecks," which came into force in England, Wales, Scotland, Ireland, and the Isle of Man on the 1st September, 1923, has, on the request of the Imperial authorities, been adopted by the Government of the Dominion of New Zealand, and will come into force in this Dominion on 1st August, 1925.

The new system of marking wrecks referred to above is as follows:—

BUOYING AND MARKING OF WRECKS.

PART I.

Preliminary.—Caution.

WHILE it may be assumed that care is taken to moor or anchor wreck-marking vessels and buoys securely, and, when lights are used, to fit them with efficient lighting-apparatus, yet mariners should not place undue reliance on wreck-marking vessels and buoys being maintained in position or on their lights, as through heavy weather or other causes they are liable both to drag their moorings and to break adrift, and their lights are liable to be extinguished.

Mariners should regard these marks and lights merely as aids to navigation, and, while observing all proper precautions, should give due heed to information contained in Notices to Mariners or to messages received by wireless telegraphy or telephony as to the position and bearings of a wreck, and they should not assume that a wreck has been removed from the position given by such notice or message merely because it may not be marked.

When two or more vessels and/or buoys are used to mark a wreck a mariner should not attempt to pass between them. Mariners should always give a wreck-mark a wide berth.

Colour for Wreck-marking Purposes.

Green shall be the colour for all purposes connected with wreck-marking, viz:—

For lights, buoys, balls, shapes, flags, wreck-marking vessels, &c.

Green colour should not be used—

(a.) For floating lights other than the green starboard side-light carried by ships under way.

(b.) For buoys and other markings afloat not used for wreck-marking purposes.

Vessels and buoys shall have the word "WRECK" painted in white letters on a green ground on their sides.

PART II.

For the Open Sea.—General.

Throughout the following regulations the words "Port hand" and "Starboard hand" refer to the definition of those words given at the end of this notice.

A light on a wreck-marking vessel shall be carried in a lantern so constructed as to show a clear and unbroken light visible all round the horizon at a distance of at least one mile.

If a wreck-marking buoy is lighted, the light shall be carried in a lantern so constructed as to show a clear light visible all round the horizon at a distance of at least one mile.

The word "visible" when applied to lights shall mean visible on a dark night with a clear atmosphere.

Shapes and Characteristics of Wreck-marking Buoys.

When a wreck-marking buoy is used it shall be one of the following shapes, and (if a light is carried) it shall be lighted in one of the manners following to indicate to the mariner on which hand he shall pass the buoy.

(a.) To be passed on the mariner's port hand—

Shape: Can.

Light: If lighted, a green light giving 2 flashes.

(b.) To be passed on the mariner's starboard hand—

Shape: Conical.

Light: If lighted, a green light giving 3 flashes.

(c.) To be passed on either side—

Shape: Spherical.

Light: If lighted, a green light giving 1 flash.

Characteristics of wreck-marking Vessels.

When a wreck-marking vessel is used it shall carry the lights and shapes and give the sound signals following to indicate to the mariner on which hand he should pass the vessel, viz:—

(1.) Lights.

(i.) Between sunset and sunrise to carry the following lights:—

(a.) To be passed on the mariner's port hand—

Two green lights in a vertical line not less than 6 ft. (1m8) apart, from the end of a cross-yard, the lower light to be of a height not less than 15 ft. (4m6) above the hull.

(b.) To be passed on the mariner's starboard hand—

Three green lights in a vertical line not less than 6 ft. (1m8) apart, from the end of a cross-yard, the lowest light to be of a height not less than 9 ft. (2m7) above the hull.

(c.) To be passed on either side—

Four green lights, two in a vertical line one over the other, not less than 6 ft. (1m8) apart, on each end of a cross-yard, with a horizontal distance between the lights at either end of the cross-yard not less than 15 ft. (4m6) and not exceeding 25 ft. (7m6). The height of the two lower lights to be not less than 15 ft. (4m6) above the hull.

(ii.) A wreck-marking vessel shall not carry the ordinary riding light for a vessel at anchor.

(2.) Shapes.

Between sunrise and sunset to carry green balls or shapes corresponding in number and arrangement to the green lights as detailed above.

(3.) Sound Signals.

A wreck-marking vessel during fog, mist, falling snow, or heavy-rain storms, whether by day or night, to ring a deep-toned bell at intervals of not more than thirty seconds as follows:—

(a.) To be passed on the mariner's port hand—

Two strokes in succession.

(b.) To be passed on the mariner's starboard hand—

Three strokes in succession.

(c.) To be passed on either side—

Four strokes in succession.

Definition of the Words "Starboard Hand" and "Port Hand."

The term "starboard hand" shall denote that side which would be on the right hand of the mariner either going with the main stream of flood or approaching a harbour, river, or estuary from seaward; the term "port hand" shall denote the left hand of the mariner under the same circumstances.

Direction of the "Main Stream of Flood Tide."

The mariner when approaching the coast must determine his position on the chart, and must note the direction of the main stream of flood tide.

PART III.

For Narrow Waters and in Rivers, Harbours, Estuaries, and the Approaches thereto.

The regulations for marking a wreck in the open sea (Part II) should be followed, unless the Marine Department should, in its discretion, determine otherwise.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 39 of 1925.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 5th May, 1925.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Navy Office, Department of Defence, Melbourne, is published for general information.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

SOUTH PACIFIC—SOLOMON ISLANDS, BOUGAINVILLE STRAIT.

Uncharted Reef reported.

A reef with approximately 18 ft. of water is reported to exist in the following position: Latitude 6° 48' 18" south, longitude 155° 50' 24" east.

Charts affected: Nos. 329, 2766.

Publication: Pacific Island Pilot, Vol. I.

Authority: Master, s.y. "Franklin."

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Kaikohe on the 10th June, 1925.

Registrar's Office,
Auckland, 1st May, 1925.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matters mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Kaikohe on the 10th day of June, 1925, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

[Tokerau 1925-6.]

E. P. EARLE, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

APPLICATIONS FOR COMPENSATION.

No. 36. Applicant: The Under-Secretary for Public Works. Name of land: Kohewhata 69. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for area taken for railway.

No. 37. Applicant: The Under-Secretary for Public Works. Name of land: Taraire 2M and 1E 3A, Tuhuna 12 and 2, and Taumataroa. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for area taken for railway.

Result of Election of Trustees of a Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th May, 1925.

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

J. HISLOP, Under-Secretary.

Eureka Drainage District, County of Waikato—
Thomas Thompson.
Paul Ringer.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICE.

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.—Southland Forest-conservation Region.

State Forest Service,
Invercargill, 4th May, 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, Invercargill, at 4 o'clock p.m. on Friday, the 29th May, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.—SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber on that piece of land containing approximately 185 acres, being parts of Sections 14A, Block IV, and Section 15, Block VII, Aparima Hundred.

The total estimated quantity in superficial feet is 788,981, being rimu, 198,076 ft.; miro, 30,090 ft.; kahikatea, 6,646 ft.; and silver birch, 554,169 ft.

Upset price: £571.

Ground rent: £9 5s. per annum.

Time for removal: Two years and a half.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for one-fourth 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 three equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid six 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, Invercargill," 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.

D. MACPHERSON, Conservator of Forests.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WYDUR, of Dargaville, Settler, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

27th April, 1925.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM MOODY, of 107A, Federal Street, Auckland, Seaman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 15th day of May, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

4th May, 1925.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that PATRICK HENRY, of Ohinewai, Flax-miller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my Office on Thursday, the 14th day of May, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

29th April, 1925.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES WILLIAM HEALEY, of Taradale, Builder and Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

28th April, 1925.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ERNEST HERBERT HICKS, of Hastings, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Wednesday, the 13th day of May, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

29th April, 1925.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM THOMAS COLLINS READING, of Napier, Pastrycook, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 11th day of May, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

28th April, 1925.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the Estate of WALTER FRANCIS TIBBITTS, of Petane, Storekeeper.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 1s. 3d. in the pound is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, Dickens Street, Napier.

2nd May, 1925.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that PERCY SOWERBY, of Hawera, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 10 Regent Street, Hawera, on Friday, the 8th day of May, 1925, at 2 o'clock.

27th April, 1925.

ROBERT S. SAGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Palmerston North.

NOTICE is hereby given that A. J. BEKEN, of Feilding, Pelt-grader, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Feilding, on Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1925, at 10 o'clock a.m.

2nd May, 1925.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that dividends in the under-mentioned estates are now payable on all proved and accepted claims, and upon production of promissory notes (if any) for endorsement.

S. H. Price, Confectioner, Wellington—First and final dividend of 5s. 1½d. in the pound.
F. Houldsworth, Grocer, Wellington—First dividend of 16s. 8d. in the pound.

W. E. Horan, Married Woman, Wellington—Second dividend of 5s. in the pound (making 15s. in the pound).

F. C. Cudby, Carpenter, Wellington—First and final dividend of 6s. 4d. in the pound.

C. Leslie, Boardinghouse-keeper, Wellington—First dividend of 2s. in the pound.

H. Gastein, Furniture-manufacturer, Wellington—Second dividend of 5d. in the pound (making 4s. 5d. in the pound).

Wellington, 6th May, 1925.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

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

Draper, James Edwin, of Blenheim, Butcher—First dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound.

Kenny, Edward Geils Morgan Courtenay (deceased), late of Picton, District Valuer—First and final dividend of 7s. in the pound.

Blenheim, 28th April, 1925.

A. F. BENT,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

In the estate of NEIL J. B. CULLING, of Greymouth, labourer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 11s. 9d. in the pound is now payable on all accepted proved claims at my office, Guinness Street, Greymouth.

Greymouth, 27th April, 1925.

A. NAYLOR,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Christchurch.

NOTICE is hereby given that COLIN WILLIAM DICKIE, of Lyndhurst, Carrier, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summons a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 8th day of May, 1925, at 11 o'clock a.m.

22nd April, 1925.

J. B. CHRISTIAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand,
Wellington District,
Palmerston North Registry.

In the matter of the Administration Act, 1908; and in the matter of the estate of MARTHA COLLINS, late of Papatawa, in the Provincial District of Hawke's Bay (Wife of Edwin Collins, Farmer), deceased.

I HEREBY give notice that by an order of the Supreme Court, Palmerston North, dated 8th April, 1925, I was appointed administrator of the estate of the above-named MARTHA COLLINS (deceased), and I hereby call a meeting of creditors to be held at my office, Ward Street, Dannevirke, on Wednesday, the 13th day of May, 1925, at 10 a.m.

All claims against the estate must be lodged with me on or before the 1st day of July, 1925.

Dannevirke, 1st May, 1925.

A. J. C. RUNCIMAN,
Administrator.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein-after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before the 8th June, 1925.

7346. MAURICE ROY RICKETTS, MARY FRANCES LEON FOY, GEORGE ELRINGTON RICKETTS, and WILLIAM CHARLES RICKETTS.—Part Allotment 16, Section 15, City of Auckland, containing 11-24 perches, fronting Albert Street. Unoccupied. Plan 18440.

7366. MORGAN CYPRIAN McMAHON O'BRIEN.—Part Allotment 68, Section 10, Suburbs of Auckland, containing 30-1 perches. Unoccupied. Plan 18320.

7378. THE BANK OF NEW ZEALAND.—Part of Fairburn's Claim, 269A, Parish of Manurewa, containing 14 perches,

fronting Great South Road in the Borough of Otahuhu. Unoccupied. Plan 18420.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1925, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 54, folio 67, Gisborne Registry, for all that parcel of land containing 1 rood, being the south-eastern moiety of Lot 3 on deposited plan No. 1320, part Suburban Section 186, of the Town of Gisborne, whereof JANE CHURCH, Wife of EDMUND CHURCH, of Gisborne, Builder, is the registered proprietor, notice is hereby given that it is my intention to issue a provisional certificate of title after the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Gisborne the 2nd day of May, 1925.

R. F. BAIRD, District Land Registrar.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

1644. HAROLD LEON HARLEY.—Part of Section 548, City of Nelson, containing 34 perches. Occupied by Isabella Kirby. Plan 1387.

1645. LYDIA ELIZA McPHERSON.—Part of Section 108, District of Waimea South, containing 8 acres 2 roods 7 perches. Occupied by applicant. Plan 1402.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1925, at the Land Registry Office, Nelson.

J. CARRADUS, 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 of the issue of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

13333. EMMA MAUDE FOSTER.—Part of Rural Section 324, Lot 78, deposit plan No. 6614, Jacobs Street, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1925, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE having been furnished of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 177, folio 58, in favour of WILLIAM HENRY ALLEN, of Dunedin, Fibrous-plaster Manufacturer, for Allotment 6 on deposited plan No. 2043, being part of Section 41, Block XX, Town of Dunedin, and application made to me to issue provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue provisional certificate of title accordingly, at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin the 4th day of May, 1925.

W. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

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

Mangatangi Land Company (Limited). 1917/29.
Hereford Park (Limited). 1916/12.

Given under my hand at Auckland this 27th day of April, 1925.

WM. G. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of section 266 of the above Act, that the name of the undermentioned 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:—

The Patent Metallic Grummet Washer Company (Limited). 1919/11.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at New Plymouth this 28th day of April, 1925.

A. L. B. ROSS,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

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

Kirkham and Hart (Limited). 1923/6.

Given under my hand at Napier this 2nd day of May, 1925.

W. JOHNSTON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

EMPIRE BUILDINGS (LIMITED).

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the affidavit and application of E. C. REYNOLDS and H. E. WILSON, two Directors of the EMPIRE BUILDINGS (LIMITED).

I HEREBY notify that no objection to such application having been made and lodged with me, as by the said Act required, I do now declare such company to be dissolved.

Dated at Dunedin this 28th day of April, 1925.

L. G. TUCK,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Cumings Stores (Limited).

Dated at Dunedin this 29th day of April, 1925.

L. G. TUCK,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of ELECTROLUX LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that ELECTROLUX LIMITED, a company duly incorporated in New South Wales, Australia, and having its principal office or place of business for New Zealand at Wellington, intends to commence business in the Canterbury District; and that the situation of the local office or place of business of the said company will be at Wardell's Buildings, Cashel Street, Christchurch.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1925.

ELECTROLUX LIMITED
(By its Attorney, H. JACKSON).

Young, White, and Courtney, Solicitors to the Company,
Wellington. 435

POHANGINA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,650 authorized to be raised by the Pohangina County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of re-erecting (in concrete) bridges in the Awahou Bridges Special-rating Area, the said Pohangina County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of eleven ninety-sixths of a penny in the £1 on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Awahou Bridges Special-rating Area, comprising the whole of the Awahou Riding (with the exception of Sections 1 to 13, Block II, Sections 1

to 5, Block 7, and Block IV, Gorge Survey District); and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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H. W. SMART, Chairman.

POHANGINA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £750 authorized to be raised by the Pohangina County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of re-erecting (in concrete) bridges in the Tamaki Riding, the said Pohangina County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of eleven one-hundred-and-fiftieths of a penny in the £1 on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Tamaki Riding of the Pohangina County; and such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of February and the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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H. W. SMART, Chairman.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership between N. H. THOMAS and H. J. PRYOR, carrying on business at Martinborough as Builders and Contractors, under name of "Thomas and Pryor," has been dissolved as from 24th April, 1925.

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THOMAS AND PRYOR.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us the undersigned, WILLIAM FORT and JAMES AUGUSTINE ROCHE, carrying on business as Pork-butchers at Dunedin, under the style or firm of "Fort, Roche, and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 21st day of April, 1925.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said WILLIAM FORT, who will continue to carry on the said business.

As witness our hands this 27th day of April, 1925.

W. FORT.
J. A. ROCHE.

Witness—S. Solomon, Solicitor, Dunedin.

On my retirement from the above business I wish to thank our customers for their kindness to us in the past, and to respectfully request that they will in the future give to Mr. Fort the same support that they have hitherto given to the old firm.

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J. A. ROCHE.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, KENNETH WILLIAM MILLER, M.B., Ch.B., University of New Zealand, 1924, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 27th May, 1925, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Dunedin.

KENNETH WILLIAM MILLER,
Dunedin Hospital.

Dated at Dunedin, 27th April, 1925.

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NELSON CITY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and sinking fund and other charges (if any) on a loan of thirty-three thousand six hundred pounds authorized to be raised by the Nelson City Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of streets-improvement, drainage-extension, quarry-

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extension, and other works, the said Nelson City Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of fourpence in the pound upon the rateable value (being the annual value of all rateable property within the City of Nelson, comprising the whole of the City of Nelson as defined by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly in one sum on the 23rd day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of fifteen years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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G. A. EDMONDS, Town Clerk.

SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

TOKONUI-HALDANE ROAD LOAN OF £1,000.—RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one thousand pounds, authorized to be raised under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of providing the money required additional to the Government grant of £1,700, for the construction, formation, and gravelling of the Tokonui-Haldane Road in the County of Southland, the said Southland County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and one-fourteenth of a penny (1 1/14 penny) in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Tokonui-Haldane Special-rating Area, being all that area in the County of Southland bounded as follows: Commencing at the north-western corner of Section 48, Block VI, Otago Survey District, and thence by the northern boundaries of the said Section 48 and of Section 35 of the said block; thence by the eastern boundary of the said Section 35, the northern boundaries of Sections 27, 26, 7, and 17, Block X, Waikawa Survey District, the eastern boundary of Section 32 of the said Block X, the northern and part of the eastern boundary of Section 23 of the said block, the northern boundary of Block VIII, Waikawa Survey District, part of the eastern boundary of the said block, the northern, eastern, and southern boundaries of Section 20, Block II, Waikawa Survey District; thence generally on the south by the sea to the western boundary of Section 26, Block II, Otago Survey District; and thence by the western boundary of the said Section 26 and of Section 19 of the said block, part of the southern boundary, the western and northern boundaries of Section 14 of the said block, and the western boundaries of Sections 52, 51, and 49, Block VI, Otago Survey District, to the commencing-point, which said area comprises the following lands—namely, the whole of Block VII, Otago Survey District, and Blocks VIII and IX, Waikawa Survey District; Sections 14, 19, 25, and 26, Block II, Otago Survey District; Sections 35, 39, 48 to 52 inclusive, Block VI, Otago Survey District; and Sections 1 to 7 inclusive, 17, 19 to 23 inclusive, and 26 to 32 inclusive, Block X, Waikawa Survey District; and Section 20, Block II, Waikawa Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of January and the first day of July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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A. J. SERVICE, County Clerk.

PARENGA KAURI OILS (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of PARENGA KAURI OILS (LIMITED), a public company incorporated under the above Act.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of shareholders in the above-named company held at Auckland on the 30th day of April, 1925, the following extraordinary resolution was passed:—

"It having been proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, it is hereby resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. E. A. CRAIG, Accountant, of Auckland, be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

All claims against the above-named company must be made on or before the 31st May, 1925, otherwise they may be excluded from any distribution of the assets.

Dated at Auckland, this 30th day of April, 1925.

E. A. CRAIG,
Liquidator.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between FREDERICK CHARLES DAVIDSON and ROBERT PALMER, carrying on business as Merchants at Rotorua, under the style or firm of "F. C. Davidson and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of December, 1924, so far as concerns the said ROBERT PALMER, who retires from the said firm.

Dated the 30th day of April, 1925.

445 ROBERT PALMER.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of VULCANIZERS (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that a special resolution was duly passed by entry in the minute-book on the 20th day of March, 1925, for the voluntary liquidation of the company and for the appointment of HAROLD EDGAR EDGLEY as Liquidator.

Dated this 20th day of April, 1925.

446 H. E. EDGLEY,
Liquidator.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned JAMES BUTLER, JOHN THOMAS BUTLER, and CHARLES JOSEPH BUTLER, carrying on business at Winton and elsewhere in Southland as Contractors under the style of "J. J. and C. Butler," has been dissolved as from the 4th day of February, 1925, by mutual consent.

All liabilities of the late firm will be discharged by the above-named James Butler and John Thomas Butler, who will carry on the business under the style of "J. and J. Butler."

Dated this 28th day of February, 1925.

C. J. BUTLER.

Witness to the signature of Charles Joseph Butler—Brian D. Mehaffey, Law Clerk, Winton.

JAMES BUTLER.
JOHN T. BUTLER.

Witness to the signatures of James Butler and John Thomas Butler—Brian D. Mehaffey, Law Clerk, Winton. 447

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between the undersigned, JAMES BUTLER and JOHN THOMAS BUTLER, carrying on business at Winton and elsewhere in Southland as Contractors under the style of "J. and J. Butler," has been dissolved as from the 27th day of April, 1925, by mutual consent.

Each of the said parties shall carry on in his name a similar business to that heretofore carried on by the said Partnership.

Dated this 27th day of April, 1925.

JAMES BUTLER.

Witness to the signature of James Butler—Brian D. Mehaffey, Law Clerk, Winton.

JOHN T. BUTLER.

Witness to the signature of John Thomas Butler—Brian D. Mehaffey, Law Clerk, Winton. 448

In the matter of a Bill intituled An Act to amend the Roman Catholic Bishop of Auckland Empowering Act, 1914, and the Roman Catholic Bishop of Auckland Empowering Act, 1924.

NOTICE is hereby given that application is intended to be made by petition to the General Assembly for leave to bring in a Bill during the ensuing session of Parliament.

The object of such application is to obtain legislative power to repeal section 7 of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Auckland Empowering Act, 1914, and to provide that the net rents and profits arising from the land described in the First Schedule to the said Act, or the income arising from the proceeds of the sale thereof, shall be employed, in such shares and proportions as the Roman Catholic Bishop of Auckland for the time being deems proper, for the maintenance and support of the schools mentioned in the said Act, whether or not such schools shall be situated on the lands mentioned in the First and Second Schedules to the said Act respectively.

A further object is to extend the definition of the term "Hereditaments" in section 2 of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Auckland Empowering Act, 1924, so as to enable such

term to apply to land or chattel interests in land now or hereafter vested in the said Bishop jointly or in common with another or others, and to enable the said land to be sold or disposed of.

Copies of the said Bill will be deposited in the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders, Wellington, within seven days after the commencement of the ensuing session of the General Assembly.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1925.

449 HENRY N. CLEARY,
Promoter and Petitioner.

WAIPUKURAU COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the Waipukurau County Council proposes, under the provisions of the above-mentioned Acts, to execute a certain public work—namely, the formation of a public road; and for the purposes of such public work the lands described in the Schedule hereto are required to be taken; and notice is hereby further given that a plan of the lands so required to be taken is deposited in the public office of the Clerk of the said Council, situate in Northumberland Street, Waipukurau, and is open for inspection without fee by all persons during ordinary business hours.

All persons affected by the execution of the said public work or by the taking of such lands who have any well grounded objections to the execution of the said public work or to the taking of the said lands must state their objections in writing and send the same within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the County Clerk at the Council Chambers aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

Area of parcel of land to be taken: 2 roods 4·4 perches. Being portion of Block No. 77. Coloured on plan pink. Situate in Porangahan C.G.D.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1925.

450 F. W. ELLIOTT,
County Clerk.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between RICHARD URIDGE and MARCUS PHILIP POOL in the business of Grocers and Provision-merchants at Eastbourne has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 30th day of April, 1925. Mr. URIDGE will continue to carry on business at the same address, and will receive all moneys payable to and pay all debts owing by the Partnership.

Dated at Wellington this 30th day of April, 1925.

451 M. P. POOL.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between MARK GREEN and CHARLES DAVIS, carrying on business as Drapers under the style of "Green and Davis," at 174 Lambton Quay, Wellington, has been dissolved as from the 1st day of February, 1925, the said CHARLES DAVIS having retired from the said business, which is now being carried on by "MARK GREEN (LIMITED)." All debts owing to the late Partnership business and all out-goings due by the same will be collected and settled respectively by MARK GREEN (LIMITED).

Dated at Wellington this 17th day of April, 1925.

452 MARK GREEN.
CHARLES DAVIS.

CHRISTCHURCH TRAMWAY BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER.—£12,000 LOAN.

IN exercise of the powers conferred on it by the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1920, and the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1921, and all other powers it enabling, the Christchurch Tramway Board hereby resolves by way of special order—

First, to raise a loan of £12,000 for the following purposes:—

- (a.) Part cost of new bridge over the Avon River at New Brighton and track-work in connection therewith: £3,500.
- (b.) Development of Board's quarry at McCormack's Bay, including purchase of land: £4,500.
- (c.) Additions to repair shop and extension of fire-extinguishing system, extension to overhead-feeder system and other incidentals necessary to the development and improvement of the Board's existing tramway system: £4,000.

Second, that the said sum of £12,000 shall be repayable on the first day of April, 1934, or such earlier date as may be determined by the Board.

Third, that for the purpose of providing interest and sinking fund on the said loan of £12,000 the Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of 0.009d. in the £1 upon the capital value of all rateable property in the Christchurch Tramway District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of the loan, and be payable on the first day of April in each year during the currency of the loan, being a period of ten years, or such shorter period as may be determined by the Board, or until the loan is fully paid off. It is not proposed to pay out of the loan the cost of raising the loan nor the interest and sinking fund for the first year.

HERBERT PEARCE,

Chairman, Christchurch Tramway Board.

15th April, 1925.

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WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION STRIKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of four hundred pounds, authorized to be raised by the Waipa County Council under the above-mentioned Act for making, enlarging, altering, extending, and repairing drains in the Pirongia Drainage District, the Waipa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and one-fifth of a penny in the pound on lands classified "A," three-fifths of a penny in the pound on lands classified "B," and one-tenth of a penny in the pound on lands classified "C," upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Pirongia Drainage District as described in the Schedule hereto; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the first day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

SCHEDULE.

All that area in the County of Waipa and Parish of Mangapiko bounded, commencing at the southern corner of Allotment 156, by Allotments 156 and 157 to the eastern corner of the last-mentioned allotment; thence by a line across a road to the southern boundary of Allotment 290; thence by Allotments 290, 285, 286, 284, 282, 280, 278, a line across a road, and Allotment 268 to the southern corner of the last-mentioned allotment; thence by a line across a road to the north-western corner of Allotment 193A; thence by Allotment 193A, 191, 189, and 188 to the south-western corner of the last-mentioned allotment; thence by a line across a road to the northern boundary of Allotment 182; thence by Allotments 182, 185, a line across a road, Allotments 180, 179, 178, 177, and 176, to the northern corner of the last-mentioned allotment; thence by a road bounding Allotment 173 to the commencing-point.

STEWART REID, Chairman.

THOS. GRANT, Clerk.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the final meeting of shareholders of THE GOLDEN TREASURE SLUICING (LIMITED) will be held in my office, National Bank Chambers, Shortland Street, Auckland, on Monday, 25th May, at 12 noon, to receive Liquidator's report and statement of accounts.

G. O'HALLORAN, Liquidator.

Auckland, 4th May, 1925.

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