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*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed in Block XIX, Taringatua Survey District, Southland County.*

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A. R. P.	Portion of Section 123; coloured red
0 0 37·9	„ 81 „ purple.
1 1 6·9	„ 123 „ red.
0 2 14·5	„ „ „

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 1 acre 3 roods 33·4 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 123; coloured green.

All situated in Block XIX, Taringatua Survey District (Southland R.D.). (S.O. R. 529.)

All in the Southland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65046, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 47/946.)

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*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Blocks II and VI, Hapuakohe Survey District, Waikato County.*

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

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 1 acre 0 roods 27·7 perches.  
Portion of Allotment 288, Blocks II and VI; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 1 acre 0 roods 13·9 perches.  
Adjoining or passing through Allotments 288, 209, and 210, Block VI; coloured green.

All situated in Taupiri Parish, Hapuakohe Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23756.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65540, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 34/1626/1.)

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block XVI, Halswell Survey District, Wairewa County.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R. P.	Being Portion of
0	1 39.9	Section 165; coloured red.
0	0 28.5	" "
1	2 11.5	Sections 2041, 2049, 2598; coloured red.
0	0 1.9	Section 5770; coloured red.
0	0 14.3	" 29495 "
1	0 17.3	" 165; coloured yellow.
1	0 37.2	Sections 2041, 2049, 2598; coloured yellow.
0	0 4.2	Section 165; coloured yellow.
0	0 6.9	" 165 " yellow.
0	2 37.4	" 165 " blue.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	1 36	Section 165; coloured green.
0	2 11.8	Sections 165, 2041, 2049, 2598; coloured green.
3	3 3	Sections 165, 2041, 2049, 2598, 5769, 7021; coloured green.

All situated in Block XVI, Halswell Survey District (Canterbury R.D.). (S.O. 863/402.)

All in the Canterbury Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 63124, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 45/537.)

*Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

HAUTURU West No. 1 Block, Section 2G, Kawhia North Survey District: Approximate area, 79 acres, 2 roods 32 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 16th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Declaring certain Land in Samoa to be Free from Native Title.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereunder was Native land in Samoa within the meaning of the Samoa Act, 1921:

And whereas the freehold of the said land has been purchased from the Native owners by His Majesty the King, and the purchase-money has been duly paid to the Native owners:

And whereas by section two hundred and eighty-two of the Samoa Act, 1921, it is provided that a Proclamation by the Governor-General that any land vested in the Crown is free from Native title shall in all Courts and in all proceedings be accepted as conclusive proof of the fact so proclaimed:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and in exercise of the power and authority so conferred upon me by section two hundred and eighty-two of the Samoa Act, 1921, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare the land described in the Schedule hereto, which is vested in the Crown, is free from Native title.

SCHEDULE.

ALL those pieces or parcels of land situated at Fagamalo in the Island of Savai'i in Western Samoa, and being parcels 18, 19, and 20, of Flur 5 (Savai'i) of the district of Saleaula as shown on the maps of the said district in the Survey Office at Apia, on plan No. 15 S/Vs.

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 15th day of March, 1926.

F. H. D. BELL, Minister of External Affairs.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Parish of Maungatapere, North Auckland Land District.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R. P.	Portion of
0	1 1	Allotment 98, Parish of Maungatapere; coloured blue.
0	0 5	Allotment 97, Parish of Maungatapere; coloured red.
0	0 35	Allotment 97, Parish of Maungatapere; coloured red.
0	0 15	Allotment 97, Parish of Maungatapere; coloured red.

(Block XVI, Purua Survey District.)

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R. P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0 38	Allotment 80, Parish of Maungatapere, Block IV, Tangihua Survey District, and Block XVI, Purua Survey District; coloured green.
0	0 14.5	Allotment 144, Parish of Maungatapere, Block XVI, Purua Survey District; coloured green.
0	3 30	Allotments 80 and 98, Parish of Maungatapere, Block XVI, Purua Survey District; coloured green.
0	1 5	Allotment 144, Parish of Maungatapere, Block XVI, Purua Survey District; coloured green.
0	0 33	Allotments 97 and 144, Parish of Maungatapere, Block XVI, Purua Survey District; coloured green.

A. R. F.  
0 0 25 Allotment 144, Parish of Maungatapere, Block XVI, Purua Survey District; coloured green.  
0 3 11-5 Allotments 97 and 144, Parish of Maungatapere, Block XVI, Purua Survey District; coloured green.

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/1345, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2166, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 19th day of March, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Land set apart for Selection.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section forty-seven of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, it is, amongst other things, enacted that in no case shall any moneys be expended under the provisions of the said section forty-seven in connection with any block of land, unless that block is set apart for selection under that section pursuant to Proclamation in that behalf.

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

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—PUKEFOTO BLOCK.

*Crown Land.*

SECTIONS 1 to 149 (inclusive), Block IV, Ahipara Survey District: Area, 38 acres 2 roods 9.5 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 17th day of March, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Road closed in Blocks IV and V, Kurow Survey District, Otago Land District.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed: 14 acres 0 roods 8 perches.

Situated in Blocks IV and V, Kurow Survey District, and bounded on the north by the Kurow-Omarama Road opposite the southern corner of Section 7, Block V, Kurow Survey District; on the east by Crown land; on the south by Section 1, Block XVI, Town of Kurow; and on the west by Run 9 of 23, Kurow Survey District.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 8/9/254, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2165, 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 16th day of March, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Settlement Land in Gisborne Land District proclaimed to be Crown Land.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section forty-nine of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, it is enacted that the Governor-General may by Proclamation declare any land acquired under that Act to be, *inter alia*, ordinary Crown land available for disposal under the Land Act, 1924:

And whereas it is deemed expedient that the land described in the Schedule hereto, and which was acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, shall cease to be settlement land and become ordinary Crown land for disposal under the Land Act, 1924:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities so conferred upon me by the aforesaid section forty-nine, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that from and after the date of the gazetting hereof the land described in the Schedule hereto, which was acquired under the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, shall be Crown land available for disposal under the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 2, Block XIV, Mata Survey District: Area, 6 acres 0 roods 12 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 16th day of March, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*Amending a Proclamation setting apart Crown Land as and for Provisional State Forests.*

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation dated the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (hereinafter referred to as "the said Proclamation"), certain Crown lands in Westland, Marlborough, Otago, and Southland Land Districts were set apart as and for provisional State forests in terms of section thirty-four of the War Legislation and Statute Law Amendment Act, 1918:

And whereas in the said Proclamation an error was made in the description of the boundaries of an area of one thousand one hundred and sixty acres, more or less in Block I, Cloudy Bay Survey District, and Block IV, Onamalutu Survey District, Marlborough Land District, and it is desirable that the error should be rectified:

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 upon me by section three of the Forests Amendment Act, 1925, do hereby amend the said Proclamation by substituting the description of the said area set forth in the Schedule hereto for the description of the said area set forth in the said Proclamation.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.—NELSON-MARLBOROUGH FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

*Provisional State Forest No. 27.*

ALL that area in Block I, Cloudy Bay Survey District, and Block IV, Onamalutu Survey District, containing an area of 1,160 acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: Commencing at the north-west corner, towards the north generally by Sections 1 and 7, Block XIII, Linkwater Survey District; towards the east by Section 3, Block XIII aforesaid, and Section 10, Block I, Cloudy Bay Survey District; towards the south generally by a public road, by Run 155A, and Section 12, Block IV, Onamalutu Survey District; and towards the west generally by S.G.R. 85, Block IV aforesaid, and Section 14, Block I, Cloudy Bay Survey District, to the point of commencement: as the same is more particularly delineated on plan No. 110/1, deposited in the Head Office, State Forest Service, Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 16th day of March, 1926.

O. HAWKEN, Commissioner of State Forests.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

*New Zealand Reparation Estates Amendment Order, 1926.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by virtue of the provisions of the Treaty of Peace with Germany which was signed at Versailles on the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920, His Majesty, in right of the Government of New Zealand, is entitled to certain property situated in Western Samoa and at one time belonging to German nationals or German companies :

And whereas the said property has hitherto been known as "Samoa Crown Estates," and it is desirable that it should for the future be known as "New Zealand Reparation Estates," and that a corresponding alteration should be made in the names of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920, and its amendments, and other Orders in Council affecting the said property, and in the names of the officers, accounts, and matters connected therewith :

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 that Dominion, and in pursuance of the authority in that behalf conferred upon him by the Treaties of Peace Act, 1919, the Samoa Act, 1921, the Western Samoa Order in Council, 1920, and all other authorities and powers in this behalf him enabling, doth hereby order as follows :—

1. This Order may be cited as the New Zealand Reparation Estates Amendment Order, 1926, and shall come into operation on the fifteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

2. The following Orders in Council, namely :—

The Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920 ;

The Samoan Crown Estates Amendment Order, 1920 ;

The Order in Council made on the fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one ; and expressed to be in amendment of clause eight of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920 ;

The Order in Council made on the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and expressed to be in amendment of clause eight of the Samoan Crown Estates Order, 1920 ;

The Order in Council made on the twelfth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, making regulations relating to the Samoa Treasury and the Samoan Crown Estates Account ;

The Samoan Crown Estates Amendment Order, 1923 ;

The Samoan Crown Estates Amendment Order, 1924 ;

The Samoan Crown Estates Amendment Order, 1925 ;

And any other Orders in Council now in force in which any of the words or phrases noted hereunder are used,—

are hereby amended by substituting for the several words and phrases set out in the first column of the Schedule hereto, wherever such words and phrases occur in the Orders in Council hereinbefore referred to, the respective words and phrases set out in the second column of the said Schedule.

## SCHEDULE.

First Column.	Second Column.
Samoan Crown Estates Order ..	New Zealand Reparation Estates Order.
Samoan Crown Estates Amendment Order ..	New Zealand Reparation Estates Amendment Order.
Samoan Crown Estates (or Estate) ..	New Zealand Reparation Estates (or Estate).
Samoan Crown Estates Account ..	New Zealand Reparation Estates Account.
General Manager of Crown Estates ..	General Manager of Reparation Estates.
Samoan Crown Estates Board ..	New Zealand Reparation Estates Board.

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

*Allocating Cost of certain Proceedings under Section 131 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, Borough of Upper Hutt.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance of the powers and authorities vested in him by section one hundred and thirty-one of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920 (hereinafter referred to as the "said Act"), and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct that the Upper Hutt Borough Council and the Hutt County Council shall defray in the following proportions the costs of the Commission appointed under the said Act by His Excellency the Governor-General on the twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, in connection with the proposal to constitute the Borough of Upper Hutt—that is to say, the Upper Hutt Borough Council shall defray two-thirds of the said costs and the Hutt County Council shall defray one-third thereof; and with the like advice and consent doth hereby also direct that the said Upper Hutt Borough Council shall defray all the costs of the poll taken under the said Act on the ninth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, in connection with the proposal to constitute the said borough.

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

*Altering the Description of a Government Road in Highway District No. 11.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities 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, from the date of gazetting of this Order in Council, hereby alter the Order in Council dated the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 40, of the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, declaring portions of roads in Highway District No. 11 to be Government roads, by deleting the description therein of the Nelson-Blenheim Road, and substituting the following description in lieu thereof.

## SCHEDULE.

*Nelson-Blenheim.*—All that portion of the Nelson-Blenheim Road, in the Waimea and Marlborough counties, commencing at Lud Bridge, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly and a south-easterly direction, passing over Whangamoia Saddle, Rai Saddle, and passing through Wakamarino, Havelock, and Okaramio, and terminating at the southern end of the Wairau Bridge, being a distance of 54 miles 40 chains, more or less. Marked A-B on plan. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked M.H. 44, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue and marked as above mentioned.

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

*Arrangements for taking Poll respecting Proposed Borough of Hikurangi, County of Whangarei.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct that a poll shall be taken on the proposal that the area described in the Schedule hereto may be constituted a borough under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, by name the Borough of Hikurangi; and, further, doth hereby make the following appointments and arrangements for the purpose of taking the said poll:—

1. Alexander Mearns Rust, of Hikurangi, to be the Returning Officer for the purpose of taking the said poll, and also to be the person authorized to prepare a voters roll of the persons entitled to vote at the said poll.
2. The voters roll prepared and signed by the said Alexander Mearns Rust shall be the voters roll to be used at the said poll.
3. Each person on such roll shall have and may exercise one vote, and no more.
4. The said poll shall be taken on Thursday, the eighth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and shall close at six o'clock in the afternoon of that day.
5. Except as herein provided, the poll shall be taken as nearly as may be in the manner provided by the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1908, and the Returning Officer hereby appointed shall be deemed to be a Returning Officer appointed for the purposes of that Act.

## SCHEDULE.

AREA PROPOSED TO BE CONSTITUTED THE BOROUGH OF HIKURANGI.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District being the Town District of Hikurangi, as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1908, page 1170.

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

*Regulations under the Motor-vehicles Act, 1924, with respect to Motor-vehicles held by the St. Saviour's Orphanages, Christchurch.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Motor-vehicles Act, 1924 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare any motor-vehicle held by the St. Saviour's Orphanages, Christchurch, and used exclusively for purposes of a public nature, to be exempt from the payment of the annual license fees prescribed by the said Act; and doth hereby declare that this regulation shall come into force on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

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

*Authorizing the Laying-off of a Street in the City of Nelson of a Width less than 66 ft. but not less than 49 ft. 6 in.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize the Nelson City Council to permit the laying-off of a street of a width less than sixty-six feet, but not less than forty-nine feet six inches, within the area described in the Schedule hereto, it being inexpedient to lay off a street of a width of sixty-six feet within the said area.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area situated in the Nelson Land District, City of Nelson, containing approximately 2 acres 0 roods 11 perches, being part of a block of land containing 6 acres granted to William Collins by Crown grant registered under No. 147, dated 18th September, 1851, and being part of the land contained in Deeds Index, Volume 2, folio 696. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65482, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered blue.

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

(P.W. 51/365.)

*Board of Trade (Gas) Amending Regulations, 1926.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by section twenty-six of the Board of Trade Act, 1919, and by section twenty-seven of the Finance Act, 1924, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby, on the recommendation of the Minister of

Industries and Commerce, make the following Board of Trade regulations relating to the regulation and control of the supply and sale of gas.

REGULATIONS.

1. THESE regulations may be cited as the Board of Trade (Gas) Amending Regulations, 1926, and shall come into force on the date of publication of this Order in Council in the *Gazette*.

2. Clause 2 of the Board of Trade (Gas) Regulations, 1924 (hereinafter called "the said regulations"), is hereby amended as follows:—

(a.) By deleting from the definition of "a cubic foot" the word "space," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "volume."

(b.) By deleting from the definition of "gas company" or "company" the word "coal-gas," and inserting in lieu thereof the word "gas."

3. Clause 3 of the said regulations is revoked, and the following clause substituted:—

"3. (a.) The Minister may from time to time, by order in writing, require any gas company to declare the calorific value of the gas which it intends to supply:

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

"(b.) Every gas company on which such an order is served shall comply therewith by declaration in writing executed by the company or signed by some responsible officer on behalf of the company and delivered to the Minister at the office of the Department of Industries and Commerce at Wellington not later than fourteen days after the service upon it of such order.

"(c.) The Minister may from time to time, by order or orders in writing, require any gas company, on and from the date following the day of service of the order or any later date stated in the order,—

"(i.) To sell each therm or each thousand cubic feet of gas of the declared calorific value at a price or prices not greater than the maximum price or prices stated in the order.

"(ii.) To supply gas of the declared calorific value at not less than the minimum pressure or pressures stated in the order.

"(iii.) To supply gas free from sulphuretted hydrogen.

"(d.) So long as any order under the last preceding sub-clause (c) hereof is in force no gas company shall sell or supply gas contrary to the requirements of such order."

4. Clause 4 of the said regulations is amended by deleting all the words after the word "altered."

5. Clause 17 of the said regulations is amended by inserting after the word "Gas-examiners" the words "and Inspectors of Meters."

6. Clause 18 of the said regulations is amended by adding thereto the following further subclause:—

"(4.) The foregoing provisions of this clause are without prejudice to the liability of any person or company in respect of any offence committed by such person or company and arising out of any of the other provisions contained in these regulations, save that if the same act or omission constitutes an offence under this clause and also an offence under any of the other provisions of these regulations, proceedings in respect thereof shall be instituted under this clause alone."

7. Clause 20 of the said regulations is revoked.

8. Clause 21 of the said regulations is amended—

(a.) By inserting before the words "station meter" the word "standard":

(b.) By adding the words "and no company shall deliver gas manufactured by it into a gas-holder unless the same has been so registered."

9. Clause 22 is amended by adding thereto the following words: "Such annual return shall be furnished in respect of the year ending on the 31st day of December in every calendar year or ending on any other date which may by permission in writing of the Minister be substituted for such date, and shall be so furnished not more than thirty-one days after the expiry of the annual period to which the return relates."

10. Clause 23 of the said regulations is revoked, and the following clause substituted:—

"23. No company shall issue or deliver any gas-meter for the use of any consumer unless it has been tested and stamped as accurate either by the Board of Trade of the United Kingdom or by a Government Inspector of Meters in New Zealand, and the Gas Referees approve of the method of testing and stamping employed."

11. The said regulations are further amended by adding thereto the following additional clause:—

"28. On or before the 31st day of March, 1926, and on or before the 1st day of March in every year thereafter, every gas company to which for the time being these regulations apply shall pay to the Ordinary Revenue Account of the Consolidated Fund a sum by way of levy towards the cost of administration of the regulations, calculated at the rate of 12s. 6d. for each one million cubic feet of gas sold by such company during the year ended 31st December immediately prior to the last respective date hereinbefore specified for making such payment.

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

*Consenting to stopping Portions of Road in Block XII, Tapapa Survey District, Matamata County.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities 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 consent to the Matamata County Council stopping the portions of road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road permitted to be stopped:—

A. R. F.	Adjoining or passing through
2 1 29	Whaiti-Kuranui 6A No. 1A Section 2.
1 2 31	Whaiti-Kuranui 6A No. 1B No. 1.
0 0 11	Whaiti-Kuranui 6A No. 1B No. 2.
0 3 38-6	Whaiti-Kuranui 6A No. 1B No. 3.
1 0 4	Whaiti-Kuranui 6A No. 1B No. 3.

Situated in Block XII, Tapapa Survey District. (S.O. 23488.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65220, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

(P.W. 62/2/20/1.)

*Declaring Portion of McIvor Road, in the Whakatane County, to be a County Road.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of McIvor Road, in the Auckland Land District, Whakatane County, commencing two miles east from its junction with Matahi Road at a point approximately 52 chains east of the western boundary of Section 7, Block VIII, Rotoma Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction for a distance of 1 mile 58 chains, more or less, adjoining or passing through parts of Sections 7, 11, and 12, Block VIII, Rotoma Survey District. As the said

portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65573, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red and marked A-B.

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

(P.W. 35/211.)

*Declaring Portion of Whangamomona Road, in the Whangamomona County, to be a County Road.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of road in the Taranaki Land District, Whangamomona County, known as Whangamomona Road, commencing at its junction with Kurapete Road, and proceeding thence generally in a south-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through part Section 2, Block XV, Mahoe Survey District, and terminating at a point on the boundary of the said Section 2; being a distance of 1 mile, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65548, 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.

(P.W. 38/85.)

*Declaring Portion of the Waikaka Road, in the Ohura County, to be a County Road.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that portion of Waikaka Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Ohura County, commencing at the crossing of a small stream near its junction with Waikaka Stream, which point is about 20 chains south of the northern boundary of Section 8, Block XI, Aria Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a northerly direction, adjoining or passing through part of the said Section 8 and Section 7, Block XI, Aria Survey District, and terminating at or near the northern boundary of the said Section 7; being a distance of 51 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65561, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red and marked A-B.

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

(P.W. 37/26.)

*Education Act, 1914.—Amended Regulations.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

## ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by the Education Act, 1914, and the amendments of that Act, and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend, in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto, the regulations at present in force relating to public schools (salaries, grading, staffing, &c.), teachers' leave of absence, attendance registers and returns, junior and senior national scholarships, secondary schools (staffing, salaries, &c.), certificates of secondary instruction, training colleges, teachers' classes of instruction, examination and classification of teachers, organising teachers, and pupil-teachers and probationers; and, with the like advice and consent, doth prescribe that this Order shall come into force on the date of publication thereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

## SCHEDULE.

## I. PUBLIC SCHOOLS: SALARIES, GRADING, STAFFING, ETC.

1. THE "Regulations for Public Schools: Salaries, Grading, Staffing, &c.," are hereby amended by substituting the term "probationary assistant" for the term "student-assistant" wherever the latter occurs.

2. Clause 1 is hereby amended by deleting the definition of a "student-assistant," and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "A probationary assistant" means a person who, after having completed a course of one or two years at a training college, is attached for further training and practice in teaching to the staff of a public school.

3. Clause 4 is hereby amended by substituting the figure "1" for the figure "2," and the figure "2" for the figure "3," wherever these occur in column (7) of Schedule I thereof.

4. Clause 6 is hereby amended by inserting after the words "married assistant teacher" the words "who is not provided with a free residence."

5. Clause 13 is hereby amended by substituting for the words "on his appointment" the words "on commencing duties."

6. Subclause (4) of clause 28 is hereby deleted, and the following substituted therefor:—

"(4.) On the 1st February in each year the Board shall allocate the probationary assistants, and shall determine the number of teachers in accordance with the grade of school or department:

"Provided that until the Minister is satisfied that probationary assistants are available an assistant, certificated or uncertificated, may be substituted for each probationary assistant, preference being given firstly to teachers who have completed their course at a teachers' training college on the 31st January preceding, and secondly to teachers who have had not more than one year's service as adult teachers. All certificated teachers employed in lieu of probationary assistants shall be deemed to have been permanently appointed to a Grade I position, but such teacher may be transferred to any school where a Grade I assistant may be employed in accordance with clause 4 hereof. Uncertificated teachers employed in such positions shall receive a salary of Grade I as provided in clause 20 hereof.

7. Clause 16 is hereby amended by inserting in the first proviso thereto, after the words "salary and allowances" where they first occur, the words "(exclusive of remote allowances)."

8. Clause 34 is hereby deleted, and the following substituted therefor:—

"34. (1.) In exceptional circumstances the Board may, on the recommendation of the Senior Inspector and with the approval of the Minister, appoint to a school one or more assistants of Grade I in excess of the staff provided for in clause 4 hereof.

"(2.) Any certificated assistant thus appointed shall be deemed to have been permanently appointed to a Grade I position, but such teacher may be transferred to any school where the services of a Grade I teacher are required.



“(3.) At the end of each year, or in exceptional cases not later than the end of the month of February in the year following the date of appointment, the Board shall review the need for all additional assistants in its service, and shall, if the Senior Inspector recommends, transfer them to positions of the same grade in other schools.”

9. Clause 36 is hereby amended by deleting all the words after the word “as he thinks fit.”

#### II. TEACHERS' LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

Clause 8 is hereby amended by deleting the word “pupil-teachers,” and substituting therefor the words “probationary assistants.”

#### III. ATTENDANCE REGISTERS AND RETURNS.

1. Clause 3 is hereby amended by deleting the proviso thereto, and substituting the following:—

“Provided that in no case shall the register be marked later than two hours before the close of morning school or later than one hour and a half before the close of afternoon school.”

2. Clause 2 is hereby amended by deleting the word “shall” in the first proviso, and substituting the words “discretion of the Board.”

#### IV. JUNIOR AND SENIOR NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS.

Clause 4 of the regulations is hereby amended by adding the following proviso:—

“Provided further that, with respect to the year 1925, candidates who have attended schools of grades not higher than Grade IIIA for at least six months of the period 15th April to 30th November, 1925, shall be eligible for the award of scholarships under the proviso to this clause.”

#### V. SECONDARY SCHOOLS: STAFFING, SALARIES, ETC.

1. Clause 15 of the regulations is hereby amended by striking out the words “If at the beginning of any term” in subclause (1), and substituting the words “If at the beginning of any term after the 1st of March in any year and prior to the 1st of March in the year following.”

2. Clause 42 of the regulations is hereby amended by adding the following proviso:—

“Provided that for the year 1925 the tuition fees shall be at the rate of £10 6s., reducible to £9 if paid within thirty days after the commencement of the term.”

3. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in clause 10, the roll-number for the purpose of the regulations for the year 1925 shall be the roll as on the 1st May, 1925.

#### VI. CERTIFICATES OF SECONDARY INSTRUCTION.

Clause 3 of the regulations is hereby amended by inserting after the words “Home Science” the word “History.”

#### VII. TRAINING COLLEGES.

1. Subclause (2) of clause 4 is hereby deleted, and the following substituted in lieu thereof:—

“(2.) For the purpose of giving students wider observation of and practice in teaching-methods the Board shall, after consultation with the Senior Inspector and the Principal, select any teachers of public schools, and, subject to the approval of the controlling authorities, any teachers of secondary schools, technical high schools, and kindergarten schools, to supervise and report on the work of such students as are sent to observe and practise teaching in the classes under the charge of the said teachers. The head teacher of any school to which students are sent shall be responsible for the efficient carrying-out of all arrangements pertaining to the training of the students in his school.

Clause 5 (1) is hereby amended by deleting all the words after the words “Minister of Education.”

Clause 5 (3) is hereby deleted and the following substituted therefor:—

“(3.) No probationer shall be assigned to a normal school.”

2. Clause 7 is hereby amended—

(i.) By deleting subclause (4), and substituting in lieu thereof the following:—

“(4.) The organization of and the methods of teaching to be employed in a normal school shall be subject to the approval of the Principal of the Training College and the Director of Teacher Training where such an officer has been appointed”; and

(ii.) By deleting from subclause (8) the words "to teachers on the staffs of normal schools," and substituting therefor the words "to staffs of training colleges and normal schools."

3. Clause 7 (6) (a) is hereby amended by deleting the following words: "Provided that the kindergarten mistress shall be placed in Grading Group 5, and the assistant in charge of Model I in Grading Group 4."

4. Clause 9 is hereby deleted, and the following substituted:—

"9. Applications for admission as training-college students shall be sent in the first place to the Education Board of the district in which the applicants reside, and shall then be forwarded with such comments as the Senior Inspector desires to make to the Education Board controlling the training college. The applications shall then, as far as the numbers to be admitted under the various divisions from each education district are concerned, be dealt with as the Minister may direct, provided that no distinction shall be made between applicants residing within the education district in which such training college is situated and applicants residing outside that district.

5. Subclause (1) of clause 11 is hereby deleted, and the following substituted:—

*"Studentships of Division A.*

"11. (1.) To be admitted in Division A an applicant must satisfy all the following conditions—namely, he must—

"(a.) Have within one year and six months immediately preceding—

"(i.) Completed his course as a probationer in some education district in accordance with regulations and since his appointment as a probationer made progress in his studies to the satisfaction of the Senior Inspector of Schools for the district; or

"(ii.) Completed to the satisfaction of the Director a full-time two years' course as a student teacher in a technical school since his appointment as a student-teacher, and made progress in his studies to the satisfaction of the Director; or

"(iii.) Completed to the satisfaction of the Director a two years' course of training at a kindergarten school under the control of a kindergarten association maintaining free kindergarten schools recognized by the Education Department for purposes of subsidy and obtained at least a partial pass in the Teachers' Class D Examination.

"(b.) Give satisfactory evidence of his suitability for the work of teaching (e.g., by a certificate to that effect signed by the Senior Inspector of Schools).

"(c.) Give satisfactory evidence as to moral character, and produce a satisfactory certificate of health from a School Medical Officer or, where this is impracticable, from a duly qualified medical practitioner approved by the Director.

"(d.) Enter into a bond as prescribed in clause 16 hereof."

6. Clause 12 (1) (c) and clause 13 (1) (d) are hereby amended by deleting the words "conditions (d), (e), and (f)," and substituting the words "conditions (c) and (d)."

7. Clause 14 (1) (d) is hereby amended by deleting the words "conditions (d) and (e)" and substituting the words "condition (c)."

8. (1.) Subclause (1) of clause 16 is hereby amended by adding the words "of training" after the words "complete his course."

(2.) Subclause (2) of clause 16 is hereby deleted, and the following substituted:—

"(2.) (a.) At the end of his training-college course of one year or two years, as the case may be, a student who has not been recommended by the Principal for a teacher's certificate may be required to complete his training by serving for one year as a probationary assistant, and such period of training shall be counted as service for the purpose of subclause (1) hereof.

"(b.) The number of probationary assistants to be allotted to any education district shall be determined by the Minister and, within the limits thus prescribed, the Principal of the training college shall, after consultation with the Director, recommend to each Education Board the probationary assistants who should be selected and attached to schools in accordance with Schedule I of clause 4 of the Regulations for the Staffing of Public Schools.

9. Subclause (3) of clause 25 is hereby deleted and the following substituted: "(3) Students having no ear for music may be excused from attendance at singing if an equivalent therefor approved by the Director is taken as indicated in Clause 26 of the Regulations for the Examination and Classification of Teachers."

## VIII. TEACHERS' CLASSES OF INSTRUCTION.

1. The Regulations for Teachers Classes of Instruction are hereby amended by deleting the words "pupil-teacher" or "pupil-teachers" wherever they occur in the said regulations.

2. Clause 3 (i) is hereby amended by inserting after the word "approved" the words "and provided that in no case shall the total cost of transit exceed five pounds (£5) during any year."

3. Clause 3 (ii) is hereby amended by deleting all the words after the word "district" and substituting therefor the words "may receive an allowance to be determined by the Director towards the cost of board and lodging."

4. Clause 5 is hereby amended by substituting the figures "80" for the figures "14," and by substituting the figures "83" for the figures "18."

5. Clause 6 is hereby amended by substituting the figures "46 (i)" for the figures "19 (i)."

6. Clause 7 is hereby amended by deleting the words "and material" wherever they occur.

7. Clause 10 is hereby amended by deleting the words "for not less than sixty hours spread, if necessary, over a period of two years," and by inserting the word "regular" before the word "instruction," and the words "throughout the year" after the word "instruction."

8. Clause 11 (i) is hereby amended by deleting paragraphs (a) and (b) thereof and substituting the following:—

"Nature-study with special reference to work in the school-garden and to indoor experimental work related to elementary agriculture, and including training in the improvising and handling of apparatus."

9. Clause 12 (ii) is hereby deleted and the following substituted therefor:—

"Teachers who are considered by the Senior Inspector to have made good progress at the classes provided for in these regulations may be exempted by the Director from further examination in corresponding subjects at the Teachers' Class D Examination."

## IX. EXAMINATION AND CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS.

Clause 2 is hereby amended by inserting the words "or Principal of a Teacher's Training College" after the word "Inspector."

Clause 19 is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:—

"(c.) To furnish evidence by means of a certificate signed by an approved authority that they have completed, in accordance with the Regulations, a course of practical work in the science subjects selected for the purpose of this examination, such certificate being in the hands of the Director not later than the 31st day of December of the year in which the candidates sat for examination in those subjects, or in special cases approved by the Director, not later than the 31st day of January of the following year."

Clause 28 is hereby amended by adding the following paragraph:—

"(iv.) To furnish evidence by means of a certificate signed by an approved authority that they have completed, in accordance with the Regulations, a course of practical work in the science subjects selected for the purpose of this examination, such certificate being in the hands of the Director not later than the 31st day of December of the year in which the candidates sat for examination in those subjects, or in special cases approved by the Director, not later than the 31st day of January of the following year."

## X. ORGANIZING TEACHERS.

Clause 8 is hereby amended by deleting the words "10d. per mile" from paragraph (iii) of subclause (1) (c), and substituting "8d. per mile."

## XI. PUPIL-TEACHERS AND PROBATIONERS.

The regulations relating to pupil-teachers and probationers are hereby revoked, and the following substituted:—

*Probationers.*

"1. (1.) As soon as practicable after the commencement of each year the Board shall, after consultation with the Senior Inspector, proceed to make appointments of probationers in accordance with these regulations.

"(2.) The most suitable candidates shall be selected irrespective of their place of residence, and every candidate so selected shall be appointed as far as possible to the school nearest his place of residence.

"(3.) Any probationer who resigns his probationership before the full period thereof has elapsed shall not be eligible for reappointment except with the approval of the Director.

"(4.) Probationers may, at the Board's discretion, be transferred from one school to another within the district, and may, with the approval of the Director, be transferred from one education district to another.

"2. The number of probationers that may be appointed each year in any education district shall be such as is determined from time to time by the Minister. No probationer shall be appointed to a school below Grade III; and not more than four probationers shall be appointed in any year to the same school.

"3. (1.) All candidates for employment as probationers must have qualified—

"(a.) By obtaining a higher leaving certificate, or a full pass in the Teachers' Class D Examination; or

"(b.) By obtaining a partial pass in the Teachers' Class D Examination; or

"(c.) By passing the Matriculation Examination of any British university, or by gaining a lower leaving certificate; or

"(d.) By obtaining a pass in Group I in the Teachers' Class D Certificate Examination or a partial pass in the Matriculation Examination of the New Zealand University.

"(e.) By obtaining some other qualification that is, in the opinion of the Director, equivalent to any of the above.

"(2.) In selecting candidates for appointment as probationers, other things being equal, preference shall be given to candidates qualified under (a), (b), (c), and (d), as above, in the order named.

"4. (1.) Each candidate for appointment as probationer shall forward to the Board with his application—(a) Satisfactory proof that he has reached the age of sixteen years; (b) a certificate from the head teacher of the school last attended, or from an Inspector of Schools, testifying to his moral character, good health, and general fitness for the position of probationer.

"(2.) No one shall be appointed as a probationer until he has been examined by a school medical officer and reported by him to be of sound health and good constitution, and free from all physical defects as are incompatible with efficiency in teaching:

"Provided that where this is impracticable an examination by a private medical practitioner may, with the approval of the Director, be accepted in lieu of an examination by a school medical officer:

"Provided further that a candidate may be accepted for appointment if the physical defect disclosed by the medical report is not of such a nature as in the opinion of the Minister should debar appointment.

"5. The term of service of a probationer shall end on the 31st January following the date of taking up appointment: Provided that the term of service may, with the approval of the Director, be extended for an additional year.

"6. In general the period of training shall be four years, consisting of one or two years' service as probationer, one or two years' attendance at a training college, and, if so required, one year's service as a probationary assistant, the number at each stage for the various education districts to be determined by the Director.

"7. (1.) The allowances payable to probationers shall be £80 per annum, with an addition of £5 per annum in the case of a male probationer.

"(2.) Where a probationer is obliged to live away from home there shall be paid to him in addition to the amount above specified a boarding-allowance of £30 per annum.

"(3.) Where a probationer lives at home but is obliged to travel more than four miles daily each way to attend school there shall be paid to him an additional sum (not exceeding £10 per annum) sufficient to defray the actual cost of travelling.

"8. Probationers' salaries and allowances shall be payable in monthly instalments as from the date of entry upon their position.

"9. (1.) The head teacher shall report to the Board at the end of each quarter (or oftener if occasion requires) on the conduct, diligence, and progress in the art of teaching and in studies of the probationers employed in his school.

"2. The Inspector shall report to the Board at least once a year on the instruction and general training of the probationers and on the fitness each displays for the work of teaching.

" 10. (1.) The appointment of every probationer shall be regarded as probationary. If a probationer does not show reasonable promise of suitability for the teaching profession, or if he fails to obtain a satisfactory report as to his diligence and behaviour from the head teacher of the school in which he is employed, or fails to pass any examination prescribed, or otherwise on the unfavourable report of an Inspector, the Board shall terminate his engagement on one month's notice. For gross negligence, incompetence, disobedience, or immoral conduct a probationer shall be liable to summary dismissal without claim on the Board.

" (2.) No probationer shall be at liberty to relinquish his engagement without giving to the Secretary of the Board at least one month's notice in writing of his intention to do so.

" (3.) On and after 1st February, 1926, no person shall be appointed as a pupil-teacher, and those who at that date hold such positions shall be deemed to have been appointed as probationers under these regulations.

" 11. (1.) The head teacher shall be responsible for the training in teaching and class management and for the direction of the studies of the probationers attached to his school. In every case the course of study shall be so directed, in continuation of previous studies, as to form as far as circumstances admit, a preparation for entrance to the training college on the completion of the probationer's service. Among special subjects of instruction for which provision is to be made, physical instruction, school method, vocal music, nature study, drawing, needlework or other branch of handwork shall be included.

" (2.) All probationers must attend approved special classes in drawing, singing, science, and physical instruction or other classes as required by the Board and approved by the Department.

" Provided that the head teacher and his staff may be required to provide the whole or any part of the instruction in such subjects.

" (3.) As part of the training given the head teacher shall make provision for frequent observation by the probationers of lessons given by the certificated teachers on the school staff, and for lessons to be given by the probationers in his own presence or in that of an approved assistant.

" 12. (1.) Probationers shall receive instruction in their subjects of study for not less than five hours a week on not less than four days in the week before or after school hours.

" (2.) Such instruction shall be given by the head teacher, provided that the Board may on the recommendation of the Senior Inspector (*a*) allow the instruction except in the case of Methods of Teaching to be delegated to other certificated members of the school staff, and (*b*) reckon attendance with satisfactory progress at approved classes outside the school as part of the time prescribed for instruction.

" (3.) A time-table showing the hours and subjects of instruction must be drawn up by the head teacher and submitted by him for approval of the Inspector on his first visit in the year.

" 13. (1.) During their year of appointment all probationers shall be required to improve their academic status at least to the extent specified in clause 11 (1) (*b*) of the Regulations for Training Colleges.

" (2.) When a probationer has passed the examination for a teachers' D certificate the head teacher shall draw up a scheme of work with a view to the preparation of the probationer for some higher examination, and shall draw up also a time-table showing the distribution of the work. The scheme of work and the time-table shall be submitted to the Inspector for his approval.

" 14. It shall be the duty of the head teacher to cause every probationer attached in his schools—

" (*a*.) To keep in convenient form a journal or log-book in which the amount and character of each day's instruction and observation as distinct from teaching shall be briefly shown, and which at the end of each week shall be signed by the probationer and countersigned by the head teacher.

" (*b*.) To keep a record for each year of 'special lessons' which he has taught under the immediate direction and supervision of the head teacher or of an approved assistant. This record shall be the property of the probationer, and shall show for each lesson—

" (i.) The class to which the lesson was given :

" (ii.) The title and aim of the lesson :

" (iii.) The time occupied in teaching the lesson :

" (iv.) The teacher's criticism of the notes of the lesson and of the probationer's handling of it :

“(v.) The teacher’s signature or initials at the end of the above entries :

“(vi.) The date on which the lesson was taught and the record made.

“The number of ‘special lessons’ taught during each year of service as above prescribed should be considerable (one at least should be given every fortnight); and during the course of preparation for these lessons the probationers should be made familiar with special portions of some modern work of recognized merit on school method bearing directly on the subjects treated.

“15. (1.) No probationer shall have sole charge of a class or portion of a class or shall be engaged in teaching for more than four hours per day inclusive of any time given to observation of teaching, to correction of pupils work, or to marking registers. The remainder of the time during school hours shall be devoted to study under the direction of the head teacher, or to attendance at classes approved by the Board.

“(2.) Probationers shall, as far as possible, be given a variety of experience by being from time to time attached to different classes.

“16. Probationers shall be required to conform to the ordinary rules and by-laws of the Board in all matters not otherwise provided for in these regulations.

“*Probationary Assistants.*”

“1. (1.) Probationary assistants to the number determined by the Minister in each year shall be selected in the manner prescribed in the Regulations relating to Training Collegès, and shall be attached to such schools as the Board may, after consultation with the Senior Inspector, select in accordance with Schedule I of the Regulations for the Staffing of Public Schools.

“(2.) Probationary assistants may, at the Board’s discretion, be transferred from one school to another within the district, and may, with the approval of the Director, be transferred from one education district to another.

“2. The term of service of a probationary assistant shall end on the 31st day of January following the date of commencing duty; provided that the term of service may, with the approval of the Director, be extended for an additional year.

“3. The salary paid to probationary assistants shall be in accordance with subclause (4) of clause four of the Regulations for Teachers’ Salaries, but no probationary assistant shall be entitled to any additional salary either by way of allowance or by payments provided for in clause 5 of the said regulations.

“4. The head teacher of the school to which probationary assistants are attached shall be responsible for their further training in teaching and class management, and shall report to the Board at the end of each quarter, or oftener if occasion requires, on their conduct, diligence, and progress in the art of teaching.

“5. A probationary assistant who has fulfilled all the requirements for the issue of a teacher’s certificate may on the completion of his service as a probationary assistant receive a trained teachers’ certificate if recommended therefor by the Senior Inspector.

“6. The service of every probationary assistant shall be regarded as permanent for the purposes of the Public Service Classification and Superannuation Amendment Act, 1908, but if such assistant fails to obtain a satisfactory report from the head teacher or the Inspector the Board may, after consultation with the Director, terminate such probationary assistant’s engagement on one month’s notice.

“7. For gross negligence, disobedience, or immoral conduct a probationary assistant shall be liable to summary dismissal without claim on the Board.

“8. No probationary assistant shall, without the approval of the Director, be eligible for appointment to any position in the education service until he has completed his course of training as a probationary assistant.”

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

Declaring a Main Highway in Highway District No. 3, Tauranga County, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

TAURANGA-MATAMATA: All that main highway known as the Tauranga-Matamata Main Highway, commencing at the western boundary of the Borough of Tauranga and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction via Greerton, and terminating at the Tauranga County boundary at Kaimai Summit, passing through Tauranga County; being a distance of twenty miles, more or less; marked Q-R on plan. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked M.H. 30, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue and marked as above mentioned.

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

*Licensing Alfred Subritzky, Herbert Walfred Subritzky, Alfred Vivian Subritzky, and Percy James Anderson to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore at Hukaterere, in Kaipara Harbour, as a Site for a Hopper and Breakwater.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Alfred Subritzky, Herbert Walfred Subritzky, Alfred Vivian Subritzky, and Percy James Anderson (who with their executors, administrators, and assigns are hereinafter referred to as "the licensees"), have applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to occupy a part of the foreshore at Hukaterere, in Kaipara Harbour, as a site for a hopper and breakwater, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 6128, and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington:

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

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensees as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensees to use and occupy that part of the foreshore on which the said hopper and breakwater are to be erected, as shown on plan marked M.D. 6128, deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structures thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term—

"Foreshore" means such parts of the bed, shore, or banks of a tidal water as are covered and uncovered by the flow and ebb of the tide at ordinary spring tides:

"Low-water mark" means low-water mark at ordinary spring tides:

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore occupied by the said hopper and breakwater as shown on the plan marked M.D. 6128.

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

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

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

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

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

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensees to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1923, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

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

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

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

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

13. In case the licensees shall—

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

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

notice to the licensees or other proceeding whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of an Order in Council containing such revocation shall be sufficient notice to the licensees, and to all persons concerned or interested, that this Order in Council, and the license, rights, and privileges thereby granted and conferred, have been revoked and determined.

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

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

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

*Licensing James Shegadeen to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore on the Oruawharo Stream, in Kaipara Harbour, as a Site for a Jetty.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, James Shegadeen, who with his executors, administrators, and assigns is (hereinafter referred to as "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act") to occupy a part of the foreshore on the Oruawharo Stream, in Kaipara Harbour, as a site for a jetty, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 6140 (sheets 1 and 2), and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington:

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

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the licensee as aforesaid; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the licensee to use and occupy that part of the foreshore on which the said jetty is to be erected, as shown on the plan M.D. 6140, deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structure thereon; such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. In these conditions the term—

"Foreshore" means such part of the bed, shore, or banks of a tidal water as are covered and uncovered by the flow and ebb of the tide at ordinary spring tides:

"Low-water mark" means low-water mark at ordinary spring tides:

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore occupied by the said jetty, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 6140 (sheet 1).

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council, the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of £1, and thereafter an annual sum of 10s., in

advance, payable on the 1st day of April in each year, the proportionate part of such rental in respect of the period from the date hereof until the 31st day of March following to be paid on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

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

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

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

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

8. Nothing herein contained shall authorize the licensee to do or cause to be done anything repugnant to or inconsistent with any law relating to the Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1923, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

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

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

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

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

13. In case the licensee shall—

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

(2.) Cease to use or occupy the said jetty for a period of thirty days;

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

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

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

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

15. The erection of the said jetty shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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



*The South-eastern Side of Portion of Wairoa Street, the North-eastern Side of Portion of Chapel Street, and the South-western Side of Portion of Taieri Road, in the City of Dunedin, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to Conditions as to the Building-line.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., 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 Dunedin City Council on the tenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, viz. :—

“That the Council of the City of Dunedin hereby resolves that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the following portions of the following streets in the City of Dunedin, viz.,—

“(a.) Part of the south-eastern side of Wairoa Street where the same abuts on Lot 15, Village of Kirkland Hill.

“(b.) Part of the north-eastern side of Chapel Street where the same abuts on Lot 15, Village of Kirkland Hill.

“(c.) Part of the south-western side of Taieri Road where the same abuts on Lot 15, Village of Kirkland Hill.

“As the said portion of the said Chapel Street, Wairoa Street, and Taieri Road are more particularly shown by brown colour on the plan hereunto annexed.”

Subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the portions of Wairoa Street, Chapel Street, and Taieri Road (described in the Schedule hereto) within a distance of twenty-eight feet from the centre-line of the said portions of Wairoa and Chapel Streets, or within a distance of sixty-six feet from the north-eastern boundary of the said Taieri Road.

SCHEDULE.

THE south-eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the Otago Land District, City of Dunedin, known as Wairoa Street, abutting on Lot 15, Village of Kirkland Hill.

Also the north-eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the said land district and city, known as Chapel Street, abutting on Lot 15, Village of Kirkland Hill.

Also the south-western side of all that portion of street situated in the said land district and city, known as Taieri Road, abutting on Lot 15, Village of Kirkland Hill.

As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65462, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured brown.

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

(P.W. 51/745.)

*The South-western Side of Portion of Waitapu Road, Takaka, being Portion of the Richmond-Collingwood Main Highway, 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 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., 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 Takaka County Council on the fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, viz. :—

“That the Takaka County Council, having control of that portion described in the Schedule hereunder, by resolution

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declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the said portion of road.

“Schedule.

“All that portion of road being the south-western half of Waitapu Road, Takaka, measuring 980.4 links in length by 37.5 links in breadth, extending from its junction with Commercial Street to the south-eastern boundary of Lot 3, Section 19, Block X, Waitapu Survey District, and fronting part of Lot 4, Section 19, Block X, Waitapu Survey District, which said portion of road is more particularly shown on the plan attached hereto and thereon in outline coloured red”;

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

SCHEDULE.

THE south-western side of all that portion of road situated in the Nelson Land District, Takaka Town District, known as Waitapu Road, being portion of the Richmond-Collingwood Main Highway, abutting on parts Allotment 4, D.P. 159 and D.P. 360, part Section 19, Block X, Waitapu Survey District. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 64401, 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.

(P.W. 51/469.)

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., 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 Wellington City Council on the twenty-fifth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, viz. :—

“The Wellington City Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the City of Wellington, hereby resolves that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the north-eastern side of that portion of Humber Street beginning at its junction with The Parade and extending for a distance of 250.8 links, being the part of road fronting part Section 8, Town District, Township of Island Bay, as more particularly shown on certificate of title, Volume 153, folio 160”;

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

SCHEDULE.

THE north-eastern side of all that portion of street situated in the Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Humber Street, abutting on part Section 8, Town District, Township of Island Bay. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65024, 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.

(P.W. 51/127.)

*The Western Side of Portion of Oakland Street, in the City of Dunedin, 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 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., 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 Dunedin City Council on the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, viz. :-

"That the Council of the City of Dunedin hereby resolves that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of the western side of Oakland Street, in the City of Dunedin, where the same abuts on part Allotment 11, Oakland Estate, as the said portion of the said Oakland Street is more particularly shown by red colour on the plan hereunto annexed";

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the western side of the portion of Oakland 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 western side of all that portion of street, situated in the Otago Land District, City of Dunedin, known as Oakland Street, abutting on part Allotment 11, Oakland Estate. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65346, 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.  
(P.W. 51/585.)

*Cancelling a Condition setting back the Building-line in respect of Portion of Tasman Street (formerly known as Crawford Street), in the City of Wellington, imposed by an Order in Council under Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1905.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend the Order in Council dated the fourteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *Gazette* No. 90, page 3066, of the seventeenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and seven, exempting Carrington Street and Crawford Street (now portion of Tasman Street), in the City of Wellington, from the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1905, subject to certain conditions as to the building-line, by cancelling the condition setting back the building-line, in so far as such condition affects the eastern side of the portion of the said Tasman Street beginning at a point approximately 51-95 links from its junction with John Street, and extending for a distance of approximately 469-02 links, fronting part Reserve 11, as shown on plan marked P.W.D. 65658, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.  
(P.W. 51/777.)

*Cancelling a Condition setting back the Building-line in respect of Portion of Hanson Street, in the City of Wellington, imposed by an Order in Council under Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1905.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend the Order in Council dated the sixteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and seven, and published in the *Gazette* No. 1, page 10, of the ninth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eight, exempting Hanson Street, in the City of Wellington, from the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1905, subject to certain conditions as to the building-line, by cancelling the condition setting back the building-line, in so far as such condition affects the north-western side of the portion of the said Hanson Street beginning at a point approximately 21-33 links from its junction with John Street and extending for a distance of approximately 458-67 links, fronting part Reserve 11, as shown on the plan marked P.W.D. 65652, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

F. D. THOMSON,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.  
(P.W. 51/949.)

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Kairanga County Council in respect of a Loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised for building and renewing Bridges and Culverts in the Taonui Riding.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Kaitanga County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of two thousand pounds for building and renewing bridges and culverts in the Taonui Riding :

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

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Kairanga County Council in respect of a Loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised for building and renewing Bridges and Culverts in the Fitzherbert Riding.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Kairanga County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of two thousand pounds for building and renewing bridges and culverts in the Fitzherbert Riding:

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

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Dannevirke Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £696, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of providing the Council's Proportion of Levy made for Construction Work by the Manawatu Gorge Board of Control.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Dannevirke Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six hundred and ninety-six pounds for the purpose of providing the Council's proportion of levy made for construction-work by the Manawatu Gorge Board of Control:

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

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Wairarapa South County Council in respect of a Loan of £5,000 authorized to be raised for repairing Flood Damage.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Wairarapa South County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds for repairing flood damage:

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 Wairarapa South County Council in respect of the said loan of five thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Wairarapa South County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five 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 £450 authorized to be raised for reforming and metalling a Portion of Te Uri Road.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present:

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Dannevirke County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of four hundred and fifty pounds for reforming and metalling a portion of Te Uri Road :

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

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

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Te Rapa Drainage Board in respect of a Loan of £1,000 authorized to be raised for Drainage-works in the Horotiu Subdivision.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Te Rapa Drainage Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of one thousand pounds for drainage-works in the Horotiu Subdivision :

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 Te Rapa Drainage Board in respect of the said loan of one thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Te Rapa Drainage Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of one 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 £250 authorized to be raised for reforming and metalling Roads in the Tahoraite Survey District.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by section eleven of the Finance Act, 1921, and its amendments, it is provided that, notwith-

standing 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 two hundred and fifty pounds for reforming and metalling roads in the Tahoraite Survey District :

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

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Thames Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £16,100, being the Balance of a Loan of £20,000 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of purchasing, repairing, and enlarging the Thames Water-race.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Thames Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of twenty thousand pounds for the purpose of purchasing, repairing, and enlarging the Thames Water-race, and is now desirous of raising the sum of sixteen thousand one hundred pounds, being the balance of the loan of twenty 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 Borough Council in respect of the said loan of sixteen thousand one hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Thames Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of sixteen thousand one hundred pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Waikato County Council in respect of a Loan of £400 authorized to be raised for providing a Worker's Dwelling.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Waikato County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of four hundred pounds for providing a worker's dwelling :

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

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Manawatu Drainage Board in respect of a Loan of £5,000 authorized to be raised for Drainage-works.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Manawatu Drainage Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds for drainage-works :

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the rate of interest that may be paid by the Manawatu Drainage Board in respect of the said loan of five thousand

pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Manawatu Drainage Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five thousand pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Feilding Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £435 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of paying the Council's Contribution to the Manawatu Gorge Board of Control.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Feilding Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of four hundred and thirty-five pounds for the purpose of paying the Council's contribution to the Manawatu Gorge Board of Control :

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

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Central Electric-power Board in respect of a Loan of £5,000 authorized to be raised for Electric Works in the Karamu-Pirongia Special-rating Area.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Central Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of five thousand pounds for electric works in the Karamu-Pirongia Special-rating Area :

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 Central Electric-power Board in respect of the said loan of five thousand pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Central Electric-power Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of five thousand pounds accordingly.

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

*Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Hawera County Council in respect of a Loan of £10,500 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of paying off the Outstanding Balance of its Antecedent Liability.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

And whereas the Hawera County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of ten thousand five hundred pounds for the purpose of paying off the outstanding balance of its antecedent liability :

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

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

*Revoking Order in Council licensing the Kauri Timber Company (Limited) to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark of Whangaparapara Harbour, Great Barrier Island, as a Site for Booms, Breast-work, and Reclamation.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 82, of the twenty-second day of the same month, the Kauri Timber Company (Limited), of Auckland (who with

its successors and assigns is hereinafter referred to as "the company"), was licensed to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark of Whangaparapara Harbour, Great Barrier Island, for the purpose of maintaining thereon booms, breastwork, and reclamation, in accordance with plans marked M.D. 3386 (two sheets), and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, and upon and subject to the terms and conditions therein set forth :

And whereas the company has applied to have the herein-before-recited Order in Council revoked, and it is desirable to revoke the same :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred upon him by the Harbours Act, 1923, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke and determine the said recited Order in Council of the seventh day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, as from the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

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

*Revoking Regulations under the Stamp Duties Act, 1923.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council made on the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, under the provisions of the Stamp Act, 1882, it was provided (*inter alia*) that the commissions payable under the Fourth and Fifth Schedules of the Bankruptcy Act, 1892, should be collected and paid by means of stamps, and that such stamps should be impressed or affixed as therein provided :

And whereas the said Order in Council enures for the purposes of the Stamp Duties Act, 1923, by virtue of the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-nine of the last-mentioned Act, and now has relation by virtue of the provisions of section one of the Bankruptcy Act, 1908, to the commissions payable under Part II and Part III of the Third Schedule of the Bankruptcy Act, 1908 :

And whereas it is expedient that the said commissions shall in future be paid into the Public Account :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council of date the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, in part only—that is to say, so far as the same relates to the commissions aforesaid ; and doth hereby declare that such revocation shall take effect on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

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

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.  
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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



SCHEDULE.

Block.	Approximate Area.			Survey District.
	A.	R.	P.	
Ngapuna ..	1,510	0	0	Pihanga.
Oraukura ..	4,720	0	0	Waimanu.
Waione ..	4,144	0	0	Maungaku, Waimanu, and Tongariro.
Ruamata ..	5,000	0	0	Maungaku and Waimanu.
Rangipo North 1c	956	0	0	Ruapehu and Kaimanawa.
" 2c	4,012	0	0	Ditto.
" 2d	1,000	0	0	"
" 3c	1,763	0	0	"
" 4c	2,060	0	0	"
" 5c	3,981	0	0	"
" 6c	8,731	0	0	"
Tauranga-Taupo 1B	5,279	0	0	Tokaanu.
" 2B	10,669	0	0	Tokaanu and Waitahanui.
Tauhara South B 1	14,300	0	0	Tauhara and Waitahanui.
" B 2	1,800	0	0	Ditto.
Pahikohuru ..	6,500	0	0	Waitahanui.
Opawa-Rangitoto ..	19,350	0	0	Tokaanu and Waitahanui.
Okahukura No. 1 ..	416	0	0	Tongariro and Pihanga.
" 2 ..	2,150	0	0	"
" 3 ..	473	0	0	"
" 4A	1,011	0	0	"
" 4B	1,037	0	0	"
" 5 ..	1,852	0	0	"
" 6 ..	2,002	0	0	"
" 8M 2B 3	4,760	2	3	"
" 8M 2C	8,062	0	0	"
Kaimanawa 1E 2A	1,555	2	0	Waitahanui, Waitaka, and Taharua.
" 1E 2B	1,438	0	20	Ditto.
" 1E 2C	2,153	1	20	"
" 1E 2D	616	2	10	"
" 1E 2F	1,475	0	0	"

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

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 15th day of March, 1926.

Present :

THE RIGHT HONOURABLE J. G. COATES, P.C., PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

TARAMARAMA SURVEY DISTRICT.

TUTAEKURI 1A 1 Block	Approximate Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
" 1A 2 "	20	1	0
" 1A 3 "	485	2	0
" 1B "	1,036	0	0
" 1c 1 "	512	3	15
" 1c 4A "	919	0	0
" 1c 4C "	70	0	0
" 1c 6 "	356	2	14
" 1c 13 "	366	0	0
" "	1,043	0	0

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

*Regulations for the New Zealand Military Forces amended.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred on me by the Defence Act, 1909, and its amendments, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby amend in the manner and to the extent set forth in the Schedule hereto the Regulations for the Military Forces of New Zealand, 1913, and I do hereby declare that the amendments hereby made shall take effect as from date of publication thereof in the *Gazette*.

SCHEDULE.

1. PARAGRAPHS 96 to 103 inclusive are hereby revoked.

2. The following new paragraph is hereby made :—  
" 109. (a.) Promotion to complete establishment will, unless otherwise specified, be by selection. In all cases where a promotion will entail the supersession of one or more officers the recommendation will specify the reasons for the supersession, and must be accompanied by a certificate that any officer who would be superseded has been notified."

3. Paragraph 110 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted :—

" 110. Officers who hold a Staff College certificate will be exempt from all examinations for promotion up to the rank of Major."

4. After paragraph 110 add the following new paragraphs :—

" 110A. No promotion shall be granted to any officer on retiring or on transfer to the Reserve, but officers on retirement who are posted to the Retired List will be posted with the highest substantive rank held by them during any period of their service.

" 110B. The G.O.C. may recommend that temporary or acting rank be granted to officers who are called upon to perform duties of a rank or appointment higher than their substantive rank. Unless otherwise specially provided for, such temporary or acting rank shall be automatically relinquished from the date on which the officer ceases to perform the duties of the higher rank or appointment."

5. Paragraph 111 is hereby revoked, and the following substituted :—

" 111. An officer whose turn for promotion occurs whilst he is on active service, or whilst medically unfit by reason of wounds or disease contracted on active service, may be provisionally promoted, subject to passing the promotion examination at the first available opportunity; or may be promoted without examination, if he is holding at the time his turn comes for promotion and has held the higher rank in the field for a period of six months."

6. Paragraphs 113, 115, and 117 are hereby revoked, and the following substituted :—

" 113. Promotion of officers of the Territorial Force will be governed by establishment. In the case of Infantry regiments which have Cadet battalions attached such establishment will be the regimental establishment plus the establishment laid down for Cadet battalions.

" 113A. No officer below the rank of Lieut.-Colonel will, except under special authority from the G.O.C., be promoted until he has served for periods as set out below, has attended a course of instruction of six continuous days and gained a satisfactory report thereat, and has passed the qualifying examination :—

" Lieutenant: After two years' efficient service as 2nd Lieutenant.

" Captain: After three years' efficient service as Lieutenant.

" Major: After five years' efficient service as Captain.

" 113B. Qualification at an approved voluntary course of the same duration will count for the purpose of paragraph 113A.

" 113C. Promotion to the rank of Lieut.-Colonel and Colonel will be by selection as required, irrespective of the length of service in the next lower rank.

" 113D. An officer of a Territorial Force unit seconded for active service overseas with any other unit may be promoted in his turn without examination, in the unit from which he has been seconded.

" 113E. Quartermasters may be promoted without examination, subject to a favourable recommendation by the Commanding Officer, on completing length of service as follows :—

" To Captain: After six years' commissioned service.

" To Major: After twelve years' commissioned service."

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 18th day of February, 1926.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Lands temporarily reserved in the North Auckland, Auckland, Gisborne, Hawke's Bay, Taranaki, Marlborough, Westland, Otago, and Southland 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, and section seventy-one of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, 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, Gisborne, Hawke's Bay, Taranaki, Marlborough, Westland, Otago, and Southland 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.				
Otau Parish .. .. .	Allotment 96	..	A. R. P. 618 0 0	Water-conservation.
AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
Patetere North Survey District ..	12	II	0 2 0	For use of the Department of Agriculture.
Town of Taupo .. .. .	1	XXXI	0 1 6.3	Roadman's-cottage site.
GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.				
Hukutaia Settlement, Opotiki Survey District	24s	VI	11 1 17	Recreation.
HAWKE'S BAY LAND DISTRICT.				
Waipukurau Survey District ..	10	XV	20 0 37	Recreation.
TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.				
Town of Lepperton, Paritutu Survey District	103, 104, 105, and 115	VII	2 0 1	Public-school site (Lepperton).
Ohura Survey District .. .. .	33 and 34	V	2 0 20	Recreation.
" .. .. .	35	V	0 3 0	"
MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.				
Patriarch Survey District .. .. .	1	XV	8 1 0	Resting-place for travelling stock.
" .. .. .	4	XVI	5 0 0	"
WESTLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
Poerua Survey District .. .. .	Reserve 795 (formerly part Section 146)	I	5 0 0	Public-school site (Harihari).
Cobden Survey District .. .. .	Reserve 776	V	10 0 0	Gravel.
OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.				
Town of Pembroke .. .. .	4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13	XXXVII	2 2 0	For use of the Department of Agriculture.
Maniototo Survey District .. .. .	29	VIII	7 1 36	Recreation.
Town of Waipahi .. .. .	1268r	VI	0 2 21	"
Lower Wanaka Survey District ..	19	V	1 0 0	Gravel.
SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.				
New River Hundred .. .. .	55	XIV	0 2 11	Railway.
Wyndham Survey District .. .. .	52 and 53	VIII	3 3 22	Recreation.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 20th day of March, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Amending the Warrant authorizing the Minister of Public Works to construct a Bridge over the Wanganui River at Taumarunui, and apportioning the Cost.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in me by section nine of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1913, 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 amend the Warrant dated the twenty-ninth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, and published in *Gazette* No. 4, of the eleventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, authorizing the Minister of Public Works to construct a bridge over the Wanganui River at Taumarunui, and apportioning the cost, in terms of section one hundred and nineteen of the Public Works Act, 1908, as follows, viz.: The amount which the Kaitieke County Council is authorized to borrow by special order without taking any poll of the ratepayers thereon for the purpose of the execution of the work described in the said Warrant shall be two thousand two hundred and ten pounds fourteen shillings and sevenpence (£2,210 14s. 7d.).

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 16th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

(P.W. 39/29.)

*Cancelling the Appointment of the Chairman of the Main Highways Board and appointing another Member to be Chairman of the said Board.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by Warrant dated the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 52, of the fourteenth day of the same month, Frederick William Furkert, Esquire, of Wellington, Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary of the Public Works Department, was appointed Chairman of the Main Highways Board:

And whereas the said Frederick William Furkert is leaving New Zealand, and it is considered expedient to cancel his appointment as Chairman of the said Board and appoint another member to be Chairman:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the Main Highways Act, 1922, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, do hereby cancel the appointment of Frederick William Furkert as Chairman of the Main Highways Board as from the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six; and I do hereby appoint Charles John McKenzie, member of the Main Highways Board, to be Chairman of the said Board as from the tenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 16th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

(P.W. 62/25.)



Warrant authorizing the New Brighton Borough Council to construct a Bridge over the Avon River at Seaview Road, New Brighton (together with Approaches thereto), 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 New Brighton Borough Council to construct the bridge (together with approaches thereto) described in the Schedule hereto; and I do also declare that the cost thereof shall be borne by the New Brighton Borough Council, the Christchurch City Council, and the Heathcote County Council in the following proportions, viz.: The New Brighton Borough Council shall pay seventy-five and one-half per centum, the Christchurch City Council shall pay seventeen and one-half per centum, and the Heathcote County Council shall pay seven per centum of such cost respectively; and I do further direct that any contribution hereby required to be made as aforesaid by the Christchurch City Council and the Heathcote County Council shall be paid from time to time in the proportion hereinbefore prescribed, out of the funds of the said City and County Councils, within a period of one month after demand in writing made by or on behalf of the New Brighton Borough Council; and all such payments shall be made from time to time to the Town Clerk, New Brighton, for and on behalf of the said City and County Councils.

#### SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge in the Canterbury Land District over the Avon River at Seaview Road, New Brighton, situated on the boundary between the Heathcote County and the Borough of New Brighton (together with approaches thereto). As the site of the said bridge and approaches is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 60886, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington in the Wellington Land District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 19th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.  
(P.W. 45/465.)

#### Regulations under the Census and Statistics Act, 1910.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by Proclamation under section four of the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, made on the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* on the fourth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, at page 1833, it was proclaimed that a census under the said Act should be taken in the month of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, on Wednesday, the twenty-first day of the said month:

And whereas the matters, particulars as to which are to be entered on the form of the Householder's Schedule prepared pursuant to section six of the said Act for the purpose of taking such census, are declared by the First Schedule to the said Act to include any other prescribed matters:

And whereas by section thirty-five of the said Act it is enacted that the Governor-General may make regulations prescribing all matters and things which by the said Act are required to be prescribed:

And whereas it is expedient to prescribe the matters hereinafter referred to, particulars as to which are to be entered on the said form:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon me as aforesaid, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby make the following regulations prescribing certain additional matters, particulars as to which shall be entered upon the Householder's Schedule under section six of the said Act, and do hereby declare that these regulations shall come into operation on the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

#### REGULATIONS.

1. IN addition to the matters specified in the First Schedule of the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, and regulations made under the said Act and gazetted on the 27th day of January, 1921, the Statistician shall cause to be entered upon the Householder's Census Schedules, which shall consist of the Householder's Dwelling Schedule, the Householder's Family

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Schedule, and the Personal Schedule, questions in relation to the following matters:—

- (a.) The number of working-days lost during the twelve months immediately preceding the census through sickness, accident, or injury, or through lack of employment not due to strikes or lock-outs.
- (b.) The numbers, sexes, and ages of members of the family of the householder or occupier, being related by blood, marriage, or adoption to the said householder or occupier, and being ordinarily resident in the dwelling but absent at the census; and the numbers and sexes of persons, not being members of the family of the householder or occupier ordinarily resident in the dwelling but absent at the census.
- (c.) The amount of income per annum, according to certain categories, of all persons of sixteen years of age or over.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 23rd day of March, 1926.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Directing that the Provisions of the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, shall apply to Natives.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections thirty-three and thirty-five of the Census and Statistics Act, 1910, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby direct that the matters specified in the First Schedule of the said Act, and in the regulations now or hereafter made and gazetted thereunder, shall in connection with the census to be taken in the month of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, on Wednesday, the twenty-first day of the said month, and for the night of Tuesday, the twentieth day of the said month, and at all times relative to the taking of such census, relate throughout the Dominion of New Zealand as well to persons who are Natives as to persons who are not Natives within the meaning of the said Act, and that the acts and matters required to be done by occupiers and other persons under the said Act in connection with the said census shall be done by Natives in the same manner and to the same extent as by persons who are not Natives within the meaning of the said Act:

Provided that, in any districts where such a course is deemed necessary by the Government Statistician, Natives may be excused from furnishing certain of the information generally required from occupiers and other persons, and to that end forms may be used in which certain of the matters specified in the First Schedule of the said Act, and the said regulations now or hereafter made and gazetted thereunder, are not included.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 23rd day of March, 1926.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

#### Native Interpreter appointed.

Native Department,  
Wellington, 20th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to authorize

Henare Matanuku

of Kahukura, to act as a Native Interpreter of the first grade, under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909, and the regulations made thereunder.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

#### Members of Maori Council appointed.

Native Department,  
Wellington, 16th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Hamana Mahuika and  
William Allison

to be members of the Maori Council for the Maori Council District of Horouta, *vice* Paratene Ngata, deceased, and Wi Waititi, resigned.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 16th March, 1926.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the under-mentioned persons have been appointed Rangers under and for the purposes of that Act for the districts set opposite their names respectively, viz. :—

	Acclimatization District.
Albert Edmond Walker, of Kara	.. Whangarei.
Robert John McKinlay, of Kara	.. Whangarei.
Gerald Scoble, of Wanganui.	.. Wanganui.

**RICHD. F. BOLLARD,**  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

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

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

James Scott Main, of Temuka,

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

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

**RICHARD F. BOLLARD,**  
Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Members of Harbour Boards appointed.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, 19th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of paragraph (b) of subsection (2) of section 17 of the Harbours Act, 1923, of the provisions of section 20 of the same Act, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, appointed for a term of three years the persons named in the second column of the following Schedule to be members of the Harbour Boards named in the first column of such Schedule; these appointments to take effect from the last Wednesday in April, 1926—that is, from the 28th day of that month.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Board.	Name of Member.
Auckland ..	Ewen William Alison.
Bay of Islands ..	Enoch Doel. John Raymond Morris.
Bluff ..	Robert Albert Anderson. John Ronald Hamilton.
Foxton ..	Edward Reuben Benjamin Holben.
Gisborne ..	Arthur Henry Wallis. Robert McDuff Birrell.
Havelock ..	William Hadfield Smith. William George Twidle.
Lyttelton ..	William Thomas Lester.
Napier ..	John Vigor Brown. George Frederick Roach.
Nelson ..	William Wallace Snodgrass. Herbert Edward Stephens.
New Plymouth	James Ryland Cruickshank.
Oamaru ..	Adam Mackay. Bruce Meek.
Opunake ..	Charles Alister Trotter.
Otago ..	William Wilkinson.
Patea ..	Adolph Theodor Christensen.
Tauranga ..	Adolphus Montgomery. John Cuthbert Adams.
Thames ..	Henry Lowe.
Tolaga Bay ..	Owen Edwin Bartram. John Bentham Morris.
Waimakariri ..	Thomas Robert Leithead. Llewellyn Blackwell Evans.
Wairau ..	Albert Coard Smith. Thom Pike.
Wairoa ..	George Britnell. James Middleton Taylor.
Waitara ..	George Ernest Wills.
Wanganui ..	William Bruce.
Wellington ..	Joseph George Harkness.
Whangarei ..	John David MacKenzie.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

*Members of Court of Arbitration appointed.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 24th March, 1926.

ON the recommendation of industrial unions of employers His Excellency the Governor-General has appointed William Scott (of Christchurch), Nominated Member, and Bertie Laurence Hammond (of Wellington), Acting Nominated Member

of the Court of Arbitration, as from the 25th instant.

On the recommendation of industrial unions of workers His Excellency the Governor-General has appointed Alexander Lamont Monteith (of Wellington), Nominated Member, and William Edward Sill (of Auckland), Acting Nominated Member

of the Court of Arbitration, as from the 25th instant.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 25th March, 1926.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the Licensing Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand has been pleased to appoint the persons named in the Schedule hereto to be Clerks of the Licensing Committees for the licensing districts respectively named in the said Schedule opposite the name of each such person, to hold and exercise the duties of such office during pleasure respectively.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Clerk.	Name of Licensing Committee.
George James Paine ..	.. Bay of Islands.
Frank Bird ..	.. Marsden.
James Coughlan Griffiths ..	.. Kaipara.
Jules Caesar Malfroy ..	.. Waitemata.
" ..	.. Auckland.
" ..	.. Parnell.
James Arthur Cruickshank ..	.. Manukau.
Hugh Munro ..	.. Franklin.
James Milne Adam ..	.. Raglan.
Henry Robertson Bush ..	.. Thames.
Percy Harold Wylde ..	.. Ohinemuri.
Charles Vernon Roberts ..	.. Tauranga.
James Milne Adam ..	.. Hamilton.
Patrick Doyle ..	.. Waikato.
John Lodewyk Crowther ..	.. Rotorua.
John Nelson Nalder ..	.. Bay of Plenty.
Henry Gilmour Smith ..	.. Waitomo.
John Nelson Nalder ..	.. Gisborne.
William Melville Will ..	.. Hawke's Bay.
George Galloway Chisholm ..	.. Napier.
Walter Parker ..	.. Waipawa.
Lewis Skinner ..	.. Pahiatua.
William Shattock Jones ..	.. Wairarapa.
Henry Hector Scott ..	.. Stratford.
Henry Gilmour Smith ..	.. Taranaki.
Ernest Leslie Egarr ..	.. Egmont.
Albert James Ching ..	.. Patea.
Henry Morgan ..	.. Wanganui.
William Henry Davys ..	.. Waimarino.
Alban Whitaker ..	.. Oroua.
Leslie Faithful Henry ..	.. Rangitikei.
George Hutchison Lang ..	.. Palmerston.
Robert Owen ..	.. Manawatu.
Eric Molyneux Mosley ..	.. Otaki.
Frederick William Hart ..	.. Hutt.
" ..	.. Wellington.
Frank Mitchell ..	.. Nelson.
" ..	.. Motueka.
Colin Ainslie Montgomerie ..	.. Buller.
Leslie William Louison ..	.. Westland.
Arthur Frederick Bent ..	.. Wairau.
Harold Vincent Jerred ..	.. Hurunui.
Jack Riccarton Deal ..	.. Kaiapoi.
Michael Foley ..	.. Christchurch.
" ..	.. Avon.
" ..	.. Riccarton.
William Harte ..	.. Lyttelton.
Harold Vincent Jerred ..	.. Ellesmere.
Alfred Ernest Reynolds ..	.. Timaru.
" ..	.. Temuka.
Patrick David Leahy ..	.. Waitaki.
James McIndoe ..	.. Dunedin.
" ..	.. Dunedin South.
" ..	.. Chalmers.
Frederick Stoop ..	.. Wakatipu.
Albert Brandford ..	.. Wallace.
William Dryburgh Wallace ..	.. Awarua.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

*Members of Licensing Committees appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 25th March, 1926.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by the Licensing Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand has been pleased to appoint the Stipendiary Magistrates named in the Schedule hereto to be members of the Licensing Committees for the Licensing districts respectively named in the Schedule opposite the name of each such Stipendiary Magistrate.

SCHEDULE.

Stipendiary Magistrate exercising Jurisdiction.	Name of Licensing District.
Felix Hector Levien .. .. .	Bay of Islands.
" .. .. .	Marsden.
" .. .. .	Kaipara.
Ernest Cargill Cutten .. .. .	Waitemata.
" .. .. .	Auckland.
" .. .. .	Parnell.
William Roy McKean .. .. .	Manukau.
" .. .. .	Franklin.
Wyvern Wilson .. .. .	Raglan.
John Hearsey Salmon .. .. .	Thames.
" .. .. .	Ohinemuri.
William George Kyffin Kenrick .. .. .	Tauranga.
Wyvern Wilson .. .. .	Hamilton.
Frederick William Platts .. .. .	Waikato.
William George Kyffin Kenrick .. .. .	Rotorua.
Ernest Charles Levvey .. .. .	Bay of Plenty.
Robert Ward Tate .. .. .	Waitomo.
Ernest Charles Levvey .. .. .	Gisborne.
Robert William Dyer .. .. .	Hawke's Bay.
" .. .. .	Napier.
" .. .. .	Waipawa.
Arthur Manwell Mowlem .. .. .	Pahiatua.
" .. .. .	Wairarapa.
Robert Ward Tate .. .. .	Stratford.
" .. .. .	Taranaki.
" .. .. .	Egmont.
John Saxon Barton .. .. .	Patea.
" .. .. .	Wanganui.
Frederick William Platts .. .. .	Waimarino.
Robert Mackenzie Watson .. .. .	Oroua.
" .. .. .	Rangitikei.
John Logan Stout .. .. .	Palmerston.
" .. .. .	Manawatu.
" .. .. .	Otaki.
William Glendinning Riddell .. .. .	Hutt.
" .. .. .	Wellington.
Thomas Edward Maunsell .. .. .	Nelson.
" .. .. .	Motueka.
Herbert Percival Lawry .. .. .	Buller.
William Meldrum .. .. .	Westland.
Thomas Edward Maunsell .. .. .	Wairau.
Henry Aiken Young .. .. .	Hurunui.
" .. .. .	Kaiapoi.
Howell Young Widdowson .. .. .	Christchurch.
Henry Aiken Young .. .. .	Riccarton.
Howell Young Widdowson .. .. .	Avon.
" .. .. .	Lyttelton.
" .. .. .	Ellesmere.
Edward Darker Mosley .. .. .	Timaru.
" .. .. .	Temuka.
" .. .. .	Waitaki.
James Rankin Bartholomew .. .. .	Dunedin.
" .. .. .	Dunedin South.
" .. .. .	Chalmers.
George Cruickshank .. .. .	Wakatipu.
" .. .. .	Wallace.
" .. .. .	Awarua.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

*Appointment to the New Zealand Division of the Royal Navy.*

Navy Office,  
Wellington, 18th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the following appointment in the New Zealand Division of the Royal Navy:—

Mr. Charles J. Reynolds, Warrant Writer to H.M.S. "Dunedin," additional for duty at the Navy Office, Wellington, and as Secretary to Chief Staff Officer; to date 21st October, 1925.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

*Member of Licensing Committee appointed.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 18th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Thomas Pettit, Esq.,

of Nelson, to be a member of the Nelson Licensing Committee.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

*Justice of the Peace resigned.*

Department of Justice,  
Wellington, 24th March, 1926.

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

William Durrell, Esq.,

of Wanganui, of his appointment as a Justice of the Peace for the Dominion of New Zealand and its Dependencies.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

*Member of Southland Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 18th March, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 49 of the Land Act, 1924, been pleased to reappoint

Henry Jonathan Middleton

to be a member of the Southland Land Board, as from the 8th April, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Member of Southland Land Board reappointed.*

Department of Lands and Survey,  
Wellington, 18th March, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that His Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of section 49 of the Land Act, 1924, been pleased to reappoint

James Fleming

to be a member of the Southland Land Board, as from the 23rd May, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Inspector under the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, appointed.—Notice No. Ag. 2568.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 20th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Walter Green

to be an Inspector for the purpose of the Noxious Weeds Act, 1908, for the Borough of Eketahuna, the appointment to date as from the 17th March, 1926.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

*Trustee of the East Coast Rabbit District appointed.—Notice No. Ag. 2571.*

Department of Agriculture,  
Wellington, 23rd March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in terms of section 47 of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908,

Charles Granville Holdsworth

to be a trustee of the East Coast Rabbit District constituted under Part II of the said Act, *vice* A. J. Cameron, deceased.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

*Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1908.—Public Auditor appointed.*

Head Office, Stamp Duties Department,  
Wellington, 16th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Thomas Henry Thompson, of Dunedin,

a Public Auditor under section 19 of the Industrial and Provident Societies Act, 1908.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Stamp Duties.

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

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd March, 1926.

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

James Joseph Ledingham ..	..	Stewart Island.
Henry John Louis Walsleben ..	..	Reefton.
Robert Joshua Ashley ..	..	Kumara.
William Rickerby ..	..	Mangapehi.
James Alexander Price ..	..	Arrow.
George John Startup ..	..	Hamilton.
James McIntosh ..	..	Mangaweka.
Aubrey William Mewton ..	..	Palmerston North.
William Rickerby ..	..	Tokaanu.
William Arthur Herriot Williams ..	..	Hunterville.
Arthur Geoffrey Roach ..	..	Tirau.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Appointment in the Public Service.*

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,  
Wellington, 19th March, 1926.

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

Francis Stanley Schaab, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Middlemarch, as from the 31st day of October, 1925.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

*Commissioner of the Supreme Court appointed.*

ALFRED WILLIAM LIGHTBODY, Esquire, of 33 Bedford Street, Covent Garden, London, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of England, has this day been appointed by the Honourable Charles Perrin Skerrett, Chief Justice of New Zealand, a Commissioner of the Supreme Court of New Zealand in the Kingdom of England, under the 47th section of the Judicature Act, 1908, for the purpose of administering and taking all such oaths, affidavits, and affirmations as in the said section mentioned.

Dated at Wellington this 22nd day of March, 1926.

W. W. SAMSON,  
Registrar, Supreme Court.

*Applying the Provisions of Section 119 of the Public Works Act, 1908, to the Waipukurau Traffic-bridge.*

WHEREAS it is provided by section 7 of the Main Highways Amendment Act, 1925, that the Minister of Public Works may, on the recommendation of the Main Highways Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board"), by notice in the *Gazette*, declare that the provisions of section 119 of the Public Works Act, 1908, in so far as it provides for the apportionment of the cost of construction of any bridge forming part of a main highway, shall apply with respect to the apportionment of the cost of construction of any bridge forming part of a main highway in so far as such cost is not provided for out of the Main Highways Fund:

And whereas on the 2nd day of March, 1926, the Board resolved as follows: "That in terms of the Main Highways Amendment Act, 1925, the Honourable Minister of Public Works be recommended to apply the provisions of section 119 of the Public Works Act, 1908, to the Waipukurau Traffic-bridge on the Wellington-Napier via Wairarapa Main Highway":

Now, therefore, I, Joseph Gordon Coates, Minister of Public Works, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said section 7, and of every other power in anywise enabling me in this behalf, do hereby declare that the provisions of section 119 of the Public Works Act, 1908, in so far as they provide for the apportionment of cost of construction, shall apply with respect to the apportionment of the cost of construction of the Waipukurau Traffic-bridge on the Wellington-Napier via Wairarapa Main Highway.

Dated at Wellington this 15th day of March, 1926.

J. G. COATES, Minister of Public Works.

*Notice of Intention to take Land in Block VIII, Matakaoa Survey District, for the Purposes of a Native School.*

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 a Native school in Block VIII, Matakaoa Survey District, and for the purposes of such public work the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken. And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the post-office at Te Araroa, 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: 6 acres 2 roods 15 perches.

Being portion of Tokata 2B Block, situated in Block VIII, Matakaoa Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1257, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65662, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works, at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged pink.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 24th day of March, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
(P.W. 31/459.) For Minister of Public Works.

*Redefining Boundaries of the Borough of Waimate, the County of Waimate, and the Deep Creek Riding of the County of Waimate.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 22nd March, 1926.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the Borough of Waimate are hereby defined as set out in the First Schedule hereto, the boundaries of the said borough having been altered by Order in Council dated the 14th day of December, 1925, made under the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and published in *Gazette* No. 86, of the 23rd day of December, 1925.

And also in pursuance of the provisions of the said section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the County of Waimate affected by the said Order in Council dated the 14th day of December, 1925, are hereby defined as set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

And in further pursuance of the provisions of the said section 141 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, the boundaries of the Deep Creek Riding of the County of Waimate affected by the said Order in Council dated the 14th day of December, 1925, are hereby defined as set out in the Third Schedule hereto.

## FIRST SCHEDULE.

## BOUNDARIES OF BOROUGH OF WAIMATE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded by a line commencing at the south-western corner of Rural Section 4311, and proceeding in a north-easterly direction along the north-western boundaries of said Rural Section 4311 and Rural Section 7494; thence south-easterly along the north-eastern boundary of the last-named section to a point in the production of the north-western boundary of Rural Section 2513; thence north-easterly along a right line to and along the north-western boundaries of said Rural Section 2513 and of Rural Sections 2697 and 5691, and along the production of the last-mentioned boundary to the south-western boundary of Rural Section 6243; thence south-easterly along the last-mentioned boundary and the south-western boundary of Rural Section 5725; thence north-easterly along the south-eastern boundary of said Rural Section 5725 to a point in the production of the northernmost boundary of Rural Section 5647; thence south-easterly along a right line to and along the last named boundary to a point distant 2750 links from the north-eastern corner of said Section 5647; thence south-westerly along a right line parallel to the south-eastern boundary of said Section 5647 to the south-western boundary of that section; thence south-easterly along the last named boundary and south-westerly along the south-eastern bound-

aries of Rural Sections 5611 and 2521; thence south-easterly along the south-western boundaries of Rural Sections 5726, 5065, and 6217 to the south-eastern corner of the last named section; thence south-westerly along a right line at right angles to the last-mentioned boundaries to a point in line with the eastern side of Park Road; thence along that line to Park Road; thence by a right line across Park Road to the south-eastern corner of Section 30, Waimate Village Settlement; thence northerly along the western side of Park Road to Railway Terrace South; thence westerly along the southern side of Railway Terrace South to the western boundary of Section 30 aforesaid; thence south-westerly generally along the western boundaries of Sections 30, 25, and 24 to Racecourse Road, across Racecourse Road and that line produced to the left bank of the Waimate Creek; thence westerly generally along the left bank of the said Waimate Creek to the point of commencement.

### SECOND SCHEDULE.

#### BOUNDARIES OF THE COUNTY OF WAIMATE.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point in the middle of the Waitaki River in line with the northern corner of Run 261; thence by a right line to the summit of the Hakataramea Pass; thence by the south-western boundary of Run 74 to Dalgety Creek; thence down the middle of Dalgety Creek to a point in line with the north-western corner of Rural Section 34105; thence by a right line running due east to the summit of the Hunters Hills; thence southerly along the summit of the Hunters Hills to Trig. Station F; thence by a right line to the summit of Mount Nimrod; thence by a right line to the source of the Pareora River; thence down the middle of the Pareora River to the sea; thence by the sea-coast to the mouth of the Waitaki River; thence up the middle of the said Waitaki River to the point of commencement.

### THIRD SCHEDULE.

#### BOUNDARIES OF DEEP CREEK RIDING.

ALL that area in the Waimate County bounded by a line commencing at a point in the middle of the North Branch, Waihao River, being due west of the source of Deep Creek, and proceeding in an easterly direction generally along a right line to the source of the said Deep Creek; thence down the middle of Deep Creek to the sea; thence southerly generally along high-water mark of the sea to the mouth of the Waihao River; thence westerly and north-westerly generally up the middle of the said Waihao River and the said North Branch, Waihao River, respectively, to the point of commencement: excluding the Borough of Waimate hereinbefore described.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

*Notice as to the Application of Certain Provisions of the Forests Act, 1921-22, and the Forests Amendment Act, 1925, to Land situated in Blocks V and VI, Akatarawa Survey District.*

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto is the land referred to in section 43 of the Finance Act, 1925:

And whereas the purchase thereof by me, the Commissioner of State Forests, has been completed in terms of subsection (2) of the said section 43:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by subsection (6) of the said section 43, I hereby specify that the provisions of sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 38, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 60, 61, 62, and 63 of the Forests Act, 1921-22, also sections 1, 3, 5, 11, and 12, of the Forests Amendment Act, 1925, are applied to the land mentioned in the said Schedule.

### SCHEDULE.

#### WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—WELLINGTON FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.

##### Hukinga Forest.

ALL that area, containing by admeasurement 5,351 acres, more or less, being Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Block V, and Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, Block VI, Akatarawa Survey District (certificate of title, Vol. 153, folio 5). As the same is more particularly delineated on plan No. 89/5, deposited in the Head Office of the State Forest Service at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under my hand this 17th day of March, 1926.

O. HAWKEN, Commissioner of State Forests.

### Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 17th March, 1926.

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

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Finance.

#### TE RAPA DRAINAGE DISTRICT.—HOROTIU SUBDIVISION.

##### 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 Horotiu Subdivision of the Te Rapa Drainage District was taken on the 22nd day of February, 1926, on the proposal of the Te Rapa Drainage Board to borrow the sum of £1,000 sterling for the purpose of constructing and improving water-courses and drains in, and providing outfalls for water from, the Horotiu Subdivision of the Board's district, and to provide for the purchase of any necessary tools, equipment, machinery, or plant for the work, and engineering or other incidental expenses arising therefrom.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 21; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 4; the number of invalid votes recorded was 1.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 22nd day of February, 1926.

JOHN S. ELLIOTT, Chairman.

### Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 17th March, 1926.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Devonport, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1923.

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Finance.

#### BOROUGH OF DEVONPORT.

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Devonport taken on the 24th day of February, 1926, on the proposals of the Devonport Borough Council to borrow the following amounts, the number of votes recorded for and against each proposal were as follows:—

*Proposal No. 1: Streets, &c.*—Reconstruction and permanent formation of streets in the borough, construction of seawalls, improvements to Vauxhall and Shoal Bay reserves, and purchase of plant and machinery required for the construction of the aforementioned works, £202,500—

Votes recorded for the proposal, 525; against the proposal, 770; informal, 73.

*Proposal No. 2: Buildings, &c.*—Erection of Town Hall, library, and municipal buildings, the purchase of books for library, and furnishing for buildings, £20,000—

Votes recorded for the proposal, 364; against the proposal, 905; informal, 99.

*Proposal No. 3: Fire-alarm System.*—Installation of fire-alarm system, £2,000—

Votes recorded for the proposal, 836; against the proposal, 457; informal, 75.

*Proposal No. 4: Fire Brigade Station.*—Completion of erection of fire brigade station buildings and provision for furnishings for buildings, £500—

Votes recorded for the proposal, 783; against the proposal, 495; informal, 90.

I therefore declare that proposals Nos. 1 and 2 were rejected, and proposals Nos. 3 and 4 were carried.

THOMAS LAMONT, Mayor.

Devonport, 10th March, 1926.

### Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 17th March, 1926.

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

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Finance.

#### MAKERUA DRAINAGE BOARD.

##### Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan of £15,000.

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

the Makerua Drainage District taken on the 4th day of March, 1926, on the proposal of the Makerua Drainage Board to borrow the sum of £15,000 for the following purposes: Completing the erecting of river-protection works on the banks of the Manawatu and Tokomaru Rivers and adjacent thereto, and for the purchase of land upon which such works may have already been erected or may hereafter be erected, and for the construction of drains in the Board's district, and for the purchase of necessary machinery, plant, and land,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 38; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 4th day of March, 1926.

JOSEPH LIGGINS, Chairman.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 17th March, 1926.

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

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Finance.

OTOROHANGA COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan, Kopua Special-rating Area.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the County of Otorohanga was taken on the 26th day of February, 1926, on the proposal of the Otorohanga County Council to borrow a sum of £1,000 (£900 for forming, culverting, and metalling the Otorohanga-Pirongia Road from its junction with the Ngutunui Road to a point about 20 chains along frontage of Section Parihoro 3E 4A, Block XI, Pirongia Survey District, a distance of two miles and a half approximately; £100 for forming, culverting, and metalling portion of Cannon's Road between its junction with the Otorohanga-Pirongia Road to the north-east corner of Section 15, Block XII, Pirongia Survey District).

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

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan, Te Kawa-Ngaroma Special-rating Area.*

Pursuant to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the County of Otorohanga was taken on the 26th day of February, 1926, on the proposal of the Otorohanga County Council to borrow the sum of £1,500 for forming, culverting, and metalling the Te Kawa-Ngaroma Road a distance of five miles and a half.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 47; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan, Moakururua Bridge Special-rating Area.*

Pursuant to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Otorohanga County was taken on the 19th day of February, 1926, on the proposal of the Otorohanga County Council to borrow the sum of £400 for constructing a bridge over the Moakururua Stream on the Hauturu-Otorohanga Road.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 11; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

*Result of Poll on Proposal to raise a Loan, Upper Mangawhero Special-rating Area.*

Pursuant to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the Otorohanga County was taken on the 26th day of February, 1926, on the proposal of the Otorohanga County Council to borrow a sum of £1,500 for forming, culverting, and metalling the Mangawhero Road along frontages of Tahaia B, B 2A, and B 2c 3, and also to erect a bridge over the Mangawhero Stream on the same road.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 15; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 10th day of March, 1926.

F. POTTS, Chairman.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

Wellington, 18th March, 1926.

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

W. NOSWORTHY, Minister of Finance.

WAIKATO COUNTY COUNCIL.

*Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.*

PURSUANT to section 12 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Tauhei Special-rating District, Taupiri Riding, County of Waikato, taken on the 11th day of March, 1926, on the proposal to borrow the sum of £4,000 to construct and metal certain roads within the said Tauhei Special-rating District,—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 40; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was nil.

I therefore declare the proposal to be carried.

Dated at Hamilton this 15th day of March, 1926.

J. P. BAILEY, Chairman.

*Authorizing the Laying-off of a Road of Less Width than 66 ft.*

WHEREAS in the opinion of the Minister of Lands it is inexpedient, by reason of the fact that the land shown upon the plan of Town of Belmont Extension No. 3, affecting part Section 48, Hutt Registration District, prepared by Messrs. Martin and Dyett, Licensed Surveyors, is intended to be used wholly for residential purposes, that the road shown therein should be of the width of 66 ft.

Now, therefore, I, Alexander Donald McLeod, Minister of Lands, do hereby, in pursuance of the power conferred upon me by section 17, subsection (1), of the Land Act, 1924, and of every other power me thereunto enabling, authorize the laying-off of such road of a width of 40 ft.: Provided always that it shall not be lawful for any person to erect or cause to be erected any building at a less distance than 33 ft. from the middle of such road.

Given under my hand this 17th day of March, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces' Long-service Medal.*

Department of Defence,  
Wellington, 17th March, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces' Long-service Medal to Major G. C. Wells, 2nd New Zealand Mounted Rifles (Queen Alexandra's Wellington West Coast).

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

*Prohibition of Issue of Money-order and Transmission of Postal Correspondence in New Zealand in connection with Duggan's Dublin Sweeps.*

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

SCHEDULE.

R. J. Duggan, Dublin.

Duggan's Dublin Sweeps, Dublin.

Imperiale Express Continentale, Postfach Hottingen, Zurich, Switzerland.

Varsity Continentale Travel Bureau, Postfach Basle 12, Switzerland.

Voyages Coloniaux, Case Postale Mont Blanc, Geneva, Switzerland.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1926.

C. J. PARR, Postmaster-General.

*Prohibition of Issue of Money-order and Transmission of Postal Correspondence in New Zealand for "Western £4,000 Gigantic Art Union," Sydney.*

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

SCHEDULE.

Western £4,000 Gigantic Art Union, 10 Bligh Street, Sydney.  
Dated this 23rd day of March, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Postmaster-General.

*Prohibition of Issue of Money-order and Transmission of Postal Correspondence in New Zealand for the Erina Shire Memorial Hospital Art Union, Gosford, New South Wales.*

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

SCHEDULE.

The Erina Shire Memorial Hospital Art Union, Gosford, New South Wales  
E. E. Muir, Point Clare, New South Wales.  
R. E. Weeks, Hon. Promoter, Erina Shire Memorial Hospital Art Union, Box 21, Gosford, New South Wales.  
Dated this 23rd day of March, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,  
For Postmaster-General.

*Government Industrial School established.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 19th March, 1926.

BY virtue of the power vested in me by section 4 of the Industrial Schools Act, 1908, I, Christopher James Parr, Minister of Education, do hereby notify that the Lahmann Home, situated at Miramar North, Wellington, is now established and will in future be carried on as a Government Industrial School under the name of the Children's Home, Miramar.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Education.

*Government Industrial School abolished.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 19th March, 1926.

BY virtue of the power vested in me by section 14 of the Industrial Schools Act, 1908, I, Christopher James Parr, Minister of Education, do hereby notify that the Receiving Home hitherto carried on at 117 Tinakori Road, Wellington, and commonly known as the Wellington Receiving Home, has from this date been abolished.

C. J. PARR, Minister of Education.

*Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, fixing the Closing-hours of Chemists' Shops within the Borough of Avondale.*

WHEREAS a requisition in writing signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the chemists' shops within the Borough of Avondale has been forwarded to me, desiring that

all such shops within the said borough be closed in the evening of working-days as follows—On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 8 p.m., and on Friday at 9 p.m.:

And whereas I, George James Anderson, Minister of Labour, am satisfied that the signatures to such requisition represent a majority of the occupiers of all the said shops within the said borough:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I do hereby direct that on and after the 29th day of March, 1926, all the chemists' shops within the Borough of Avondale shall be closed accordingly.

The notice dated the 3rd February, 1909, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 4th February, 1909, fixing the closing-hours of all shops in the Avondale Road District, is hereby cancelled in so far as it relates to the shops affected by this notice as from the date of the coming into operation of this notice.

Dated at Wellington this 24th day of March, 1926.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Labour.

*Officiating Ministers for 1926.—Notice No. 8.*

Registrar-General's Office,  
Wellington, 23rd March, 1926.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

*The Church of the Province of New Zealand commonly called the Church of England.*

The Reverend Claud Leslie Barnacle Brown.

*The Ratana Church of New Zealand.*

Apostle Kita Heremaia.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

*Result of an Election under the Government Railways Act, 1908.—Government Railways Superannuation Fund Board.*

New Zealand Government Railways,  
Head Office, Wellington, 25th March, 1926.

THE following is the result of the triennial election of the elective members of the Government Railways Superannuation Fund Board constituted under the Government Railways Act, 1908:—

NORTH ISLAND.

*First Division.*

Robertson, John Robert .. .. . Unopposed.

SOUTH ISLAND.

*First Division.*

Webster, Thomas Dobson .. .. .	383
Williams, Frederic : Thomas Antone .. .. .	355
Browett, Cecil Gordon .. .. .	247
Informal .. .. .	4

BOTH ISLANDS.

*Second Division.*

Dash, Ernest John .. .. .	2,410
Carlyle, Oliver Thomas .. .. .	2,110
Alexander, Robert William .. .. .	2,055
Schofield, Seth .. .. .	1,919
Munn, Frederick William .. .. .	1,228
Webb, Henry Stanislaus .. .. .	1,191
Morison, Alexander John .. .. .	1,186
Heyward, Henry Garlick .. .. .	1,169
McNickel, Alexander William .. .. .	1,030
Mulligan, Edwin Joseph .. .. .	1,026
Mills, Thomas Lloyd .. .. .	1,006
Toomey, John Wilson .. .. .	992
O'Shea, Cornelius .. .. .	977
O'Dea, Edmund .. .. .	937
Informal .. .. .	352

I hereby declare the following duly elected to act as members of the Government Railways Superannuation Fund Board:—

John Robert Robertson, Representative of First Division, North Island.

Thomas Dobson Webster, Representative of First Division, South Island.

Ernest John Dash, Oliver Thomas Carlyle, and Robert William Alexander, Representatives of Second Division.

B. A. MARRIS, Returning Officer.



*Result of an Election under the Government Railways Act, 1908.—Railway Boards of Appeal.*

New Zealand Government Railways,  
Head Office, Wellington, 25th March, 1926.

THE following is the result of the triennial election of the elective members of the Railway Boards of Appeal for the North Island and South Island respectively, constituted under the Government Railways Act, 1908:—

NORTH ISLAND.			
<i>First Division.</i>			
Stanley, Victor Robert John .. .. .	1,071		
Taylor, Harry Byron .. .. .	342		
Informal .. .. .	2		
<i>Second Division.</i>			
Traffic and Stores.			
Pickup, James .. .. .	439		
Webb, Henry Stanislaus .. .. .	275		
Munn, Frederick William .. .. .	254		
O'Dea, Edmund .. .. .	230		
Informal .. .. .	17		
Locomotive Running.			
Carroll, Robert .. .. .	Unopposed.		
Maintenance.			
Churchouse, James Llewellyn .. .. .	Unopposed.		
Workshops Branch.			
Elliott, Jacob .. .. .	445		
Seddon, William .. .. .	350		
McKenzie, David .. .. .	280		
Mills, Thomas Lloyd .. .. .	190		
Informal .. .. .	8		
SOUTH ISLAND.			
<i>First Division.</i>			
Greig, William James .. .. .	490		
Webster, Thomas Dobson .. .. .	405		
McTigue, Thomas .. .. .	96		
Informal .. .. .	4		
<i>Second Division.</i>			
Traffic and Stores.			
Aitken, William James .. .. .	Unopposed.		
Locomotive Running.			
Torrance, Andrew .. .. .	Unopposed.		
Maintenance.			
Dash, Ernest John .. .. .	527		
Alexander, Robert William .. .. .	426		
Informal .. .. .	2		
Workshops Branch.			
Cameron, Edward .. .. .	687		
Morison, Alexander John .. .. .	386		
Informal .. .. .	12		

I hereby declare Victor Robert John Stanley, James Pickup, Robert Carroll, James Llewellyn Churchouse, and Jacob Elliott duly elected to act as members of the North Island Appeal Board; and William James Greig, William James Aitken, Andrew Torrance, Ernest John Dash, and Edward Cameron duly elected to act as members of the South Island Appeal Board.

B. A. MARRIS, Returning Officer.

*Result of Election of Trustees of Drainage District.*

Department of Internal Affairs,  
Wellington, 24th March, 1926.

THE following result of election of 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.

G. P. NEWTON, Assistant Under-Secretary.

Mangapu Drainage District, Counties of Otorohanga and Waitomo—

Walter Alexander Lee, Northern Subdivision.  
Robert Were, Mangaokewa Subdivision.  
Montague H. Wynyard, Mangaokewa Subdivision.  
Benjamin Board, Mangapu Subdivision.  
William James Turner, Mangapu Subdivision.  
Charles Hiorns, Mangapu Subdivision.

[Issued in substitution for that portion of notice of election of trustees of drainage districts dated 17th February, 1926, and gazetted on 18th March, 1926, relative to the Mangapu Drainage District.]

*The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registration.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 24th March, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Wellington Local Federated Seamen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 960, situated at Wellington, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

F. W. ROWLEY,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

*The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registration.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 24th March, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Dunedin Local Federated Seamen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 995, situated at Dunedin, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

F. W. ROWLEY,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

*The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908.—Notice of Proposed Cancellation of Registration.*

Department of Labour,  
Wellington, 24th March, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Auckland Local Federated Seamen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 840, situated at Auckland, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 21 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1908, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

F. W. ROWLEY,  
Registrar of Industrial Unions.

*Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Assistant-Registrar dissolving a Society.*

I, WILLIAM GREER FLETCHER, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Rotorua Athletic Cycling and Motor-cycle Club (Incorporated) is no longer carrying on operations, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908. Dated at Auckland this 17th day of March, 1926.

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

*Incorporated Societies Act, 1908.—Declaration by the Registrar dissolving a Society.*

I, WILLIAM GREER FLETCHER, Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Marsden Club (Incorporated), is no longer carrying on its operations, the aforesaid society is hereby dissolved in pursuance of section 28 of the Incorporated Societies Act, 1908. Dated at Auckland this 22nd day of March, 1926.

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



Supplementary Teachers' Register and Supplementary Graded List of  
Primary, Secondary, and Technical School Teachers, 1926.

Education Department,  
Wellington, 23rd March, 1926.

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

(a.) Teachers added to the Teachers' Register :

(d.) Teachers already in the Teachers' Register—

(1.) Now graded but not previously graded :

(2.) Whose grading has been altered as the result of  
correction in marks or change in certificate.

JNO. CAUGHLEY, Director of Education.

Name.	Certifi- cate.	Grading.	Date of Grading or Certificate or Promotion.
Affleck, Elizabeth ..	D	P. 190 ..	1/2/26
Armstrong, Margaret ..	C	P. 213 ..	1/2/26
Atkinson, Connie Kathleen ..	D	P. 222 ..	1/2/26
Bartley, John William ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Beardmore, Marjorie Ernestine ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Bithell, Ida ..	D	P. 220 ..	1/2/26
Bollons, Lillian Hinemoa ..	C	P. 206 ..	1/2/26
Boulton, Esma Emily ..	C	P. 212 ..	1/2/26
Bowring, Gwendolyn Margaret ..	D	P. 220 ..	1/2/26
Boys, Clarence Russell ..	C	P. 204 ..	1/2/26
Bradonovich, Maria ..	D	P. 230 ..	1/2/26
Braddock, Iva Weir ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Bradley, Armor Ahaka Percival ..	C	P. 206 ..	1/2/26
Bradshaw, Charles Coutts ..	D	P. 223 ..	1/2/26
Bremner, Marion Louisa ..	C	P. 207 ..	1/2/26
Brown, Sadi Hypatia ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Buchan, James John ..	B	P. 201 ..	1/2/26
Bucknell, Dorothy Gertrude ..	C	P. 215 ..	1/2/26
Burdes, Newrick ..	C	P. 176 ..	1/2/26
Burgin, Annie Mona ..	C	P. 201 ..	1/2/26
Callaghan, James Pembroke Knockbridge ..	C	P. 207 ..	1/2/26
Callanan, John Francis ..	C	P. 169 ..	1/2/26
Campbell, Marion Baird ..	C	P. 205 ..	1/2/26
Clark, Brandon Halworth ..	C	P. 209 ..	1/2/26
Clark, Marjorie Ellen ..	C	P. 205 ..	1/2/26
Clarke, Edith Evelyn ..	D	P. 219 ..	1/2/26
Cochrane, Agnes Thelma ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Cook, Varner James ..	B	P. 206 ..	1/1/26
Coumbe, Alfred Edwin ..	C	P. 215 ..	1/2/26
Dale, Doris Alexandra ..	C	P. 213 ..	1/2/26
Dale, Edna Amelda Josephine ..	C	P. 214 ..	1/2/26
Dark, Cecelia Pearl ..	D	P. 222 ..	1/2/26
Dawson, Fyvie Caroline Tannock ..	D	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Death, Mavis Doreen ..	C	P. 207 ..	1/2/26
Drummond, Patricia Barbara ..	C	P. 212 ..	1/2/26
Dunn, Ellen ..	Lic.	..	31/12/25*
Eeles, Annie Louisa Norah ..	C	P. 212 ..	1/2/26
Ewen, Edmund Alfred ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28
Field, Lorna Estelle ..	C	P. 214 ..	1/2/26
Fitzgerald, John ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Foley, Ethel Maud ..	C	P. 209 ..	1/2/26
Foley, Rita Rose ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Forbes, John Ashley ..	C	P. 210 ..	1/2/26
Freeman, Horatio Nairn ..	C	P. 209 ..	1/2/26
Gill, Nancy ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/6/25
Gillies, Margaret Rona ..	D	P. 219 ..	1/2/26
Grant, Marion Louisa ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Greenbank, Geoffrey Noel ..	B	P. 205 ..	1/2/26
Hallett, William Henry ..	C	P. 207 ..	1/2/26
Harkness, Grace Ellen ..	C	P. 210 ..	1/2/26
Hill, Margaret Jean ..	D	P. 212 ..	1/2/26
Hill, Mary Victoria (Mrs.) ..	D	P. 138 ..	1/1/26
Hindmarsh, Margaret Kathleen ..	C	P. 213 ..	1/2/26
Horton, Dorothy Emily, M.A. ..	A	P. 154 ..	1/1/26
Johnston, Ronald Alexander Bevan ..	D	P. 225 ..	1/2/26
Joll, John Delbridge ..	D	P. 213 ..	1/2/26
Jones, Edna Lydia May ..	D	P. 226 ..	1/2/26
Kelling, Florence Alice Gertrude ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28

\* Renewed to 31/12/27.

Name.	Certifi- cate.	Grading.	Date of Grading or Certificate or Promotion.
Kinder, Maurice ..	C	P. 206 ..	1/2/26
Latham, Winifred Leeming ..	D	P. 169 ..	1/2/26
Lyon, Ruth Lilla Hope ..	C	P. 215 ..	1/2/26
Lysnar, Marjorie Hilton ..	D	P. 219 ..	1/2/26
McAra, Mary Alice Hinemoa ..	D	P. 227 ..	1/2/26
McCaskill, Lancelot William, B. Agr ..	B	P. 164 ..	1/1/26
Macdonald, Elsie Robertson ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
McKenney, Catherine Isabel ..	C	P. 210 ..	1/2/26
Mackenzie, Iona Lamont ..	B	P. 207 ..	1/2/26
Mackenzie, Margaret Alexanderina ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Mackintosh, Margaret MacPherson ..	C	P. 213 ..	1/2/26
McLean, Alexandria Mary ..	C	P. 214 ..	1/2/26
McLeman, Mary Rae ..	D	P. 222 ..	1/10/25
McLeod, George ..	D	P. 136 ..	1/2/26
McLeod, Johnina ..	D	P. 218 ..	1/2/26
McMurray, Robin ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Malcolmson, Frederick Edward Gavin ..	D	P. 223 ..	1/2/26
Melrose, Myra ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Meyer, Alvina Rosina Charlotte ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28
Miller, Alec McKay ..	C	P. 209 ..	1/2/26
Milliken, Margaret Ann ..	C	P. 209 ..	1/2/26
Moore, Lilly Rachel ..	D	P. 218 ..	1/2/26
Morgan, Roy ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Mori, Kate Adelia ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28
Muir, Elizabeth Frances ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28
Munro, Janet McKay ..	C	P. 214 ..	1/2/26
O'Reilly, Eileen Mary ..	D	P. 232 ..	1/1/26
Osbourne, Norman Sutton ..	D	P. 169 ..	1/2/26
Oxford, Enid ..	D	P. 220 ..	1/2/26
Palmer, Eric Lee ..	C	P. 218 ..	1/2/26
Pennal, Martha Alice Jane ..	C	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Phillips, Ivor Glasson ..	D	P. 217 ..	1/2/26
Porter, Eva Emily ..	D	..	1/2/26
Porter, Harriett Ida ..	D	..	1/2/26
Prindable, Ellen Agnes ..	D	..	1/2/26
Ray, Elsie Marion ..	C	P. 203 ..	1/2/26
Ray, Vera Eileen ..	C	P. 202 ..	1/2/26
Reid, George Richard ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28
Robertson, Ellen Frances ..	C	P. 218 ..	1/2/26
Ross, Letitia Georgina (Mrs.) ..	E	P. 196 ..	1/1/26
Scott, Amie Stuart ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28
Severne, Blanche Mary Karen ..	C	P. 216 ..	1/2/26
Shepherd, Adina (Mrs.) ..	C	P. 102 ..	1/1/26
Simpson, James ..	D	P. 208 ..	1/2/26
Skipworth, Ivan Horace ..	B	P. 197 ..	1/2/26
Sleight, George Frederick ..	C	P. 210 ..	1/2/26
Smeaton, Nancy ..	C	P. 210 ..	1/2/26
Smee, Mary Elizabeth ..	C	P. 218 ..	1/2/26
Smith, Gladys Rita ..	C	P. 214 ..	1/2/26
Smith, Irene May ..	D	..	1/2/26
Smith, Rosa Maud ..	C	P. 207 ..	1/2/26
Smyth, Nellie ..	D	P. 216 ..	1/2/26
Stansell, Gloria ..	C	P. 206 ..	1/2/26
Stevenson, Gertrude Lyle ..	D	P. 230 ..	1/2/26
Strong, Sydney John ..	Lic.	..	31/12/25†
Sullings, Ivy Agnes ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28
Taylor, Henry Alexander ..	C	P. 205 ..	1/2/26
Thomson, Jane ..	C	P. 211 ..	1/2/26
Tolley, Hattie Thora ..	C	P. 206 ..	1/2/26
Turner, Alice May ..	C	P. 206 ..	1/2/26
Vercoe, Gordon Edward ..	C	P. 212 ..	1/2/26
Wall, Mary Ellen ..	Lic.	..	31/12/25*
Warner, Amy Mansfield (Mrs.) ..	D	P. 204 ..	1/2/26
Williams, Cecil James Henry ..	C	P. 209 ..	1/2/26
Wilson, Edna May (i) ..	C	P. 209 ..	1/2/26
Wilson, Thomas ..	C	P. 202 ..	1/2/26
Winter, Winifred Ivy ..	Lic.	..	31/12/25*
Woodfield, Reginald Henry ..	C	P. 210 ..	1/2/26
Young, William Digby, B.A. ..	Lic.	..	1/2/26 to 30/6/28

\* Renewed to 31/12/27.

† Renewed to 31/12/26.

*Amending a Warrant notifying Lands in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.*

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by a Warrant dated the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and published in the *Gazette* of the fourth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, certain lands in the Southland Land District were notified for sale by public auction under the provisions of section one hundred and thirty-two of the Land Act, 1924:

And whereas an error was made in the Schedule to the said Warrant, inasmuch as the lands were referred to as being in the "Town of Otara" instead of in the "Town of Oraka," and it is desirable that such error should be rectified:

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 upon me by the said Act, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, do hereby amend the Schedule to the said Warrant dated the twenty-fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, hereinbefore referred to, by substituting the words "Town of Oraka" for the words "Town of Otara" as given in the said Schedule.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 20th day of March, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Notice to Mariners.—No. 6 of 1926.*

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—WEST COAST.—KAIPARA HARBOUR ENTRANCE.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd March, 1926.

CAPTAIN J. BOLLONS, Government s.s. "Tutanekai," after having taken a line of soundings across the bar channel at the entrance to Kaipara Harbour, reports as follows:—

"Took a line of sounding across the bar channel. The line of deep water is gradually working to the northward. On the line of beacons there is shallow water and a continuous break. The best water is now with the lower beacon south of the flagstaff and the lighthouse a little north of the top beacon. A little more water exists on a line with the lighthouse and top beacon in transit; this, however, brings a vessel almost beam on to the sea when it is heavy from the west and south-west. From 18 ft. to 19 ft. of water at ordinary low springs was obtained on the above marks."

*Publications affected.*—Admiralty Plan No. 2614; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 55 *et seq.*; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1926, pages 296 and 367.

B. W. MILLIER, for Secretary.

*Notice to Mariners No. 7 of 1926.*

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—PORT NICHOLSON.—EVANS BAY.—MIRAMAR WHARF.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd March, 1926.

*Lights to be installed.*

THE Wellington Harbour Board notifies that between sunset and sunrise on and after the evening of the 1st April, 1926, two fixed red lights, 6 ft. apart, vertically disposed, 22 ft. and 28 ft. above M.H.W.S. respectively, will be exhibited at the northern end of Miramar Wharf.

*Publications affected:* Admiralty plans Nos. 803 and 1423; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 119; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1926, page 273 and plan facing page 274.

B. W. MILLIER, for Secretary.

*Notice to Mariners No. 8 of 1926.*

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—PORT NICHOLSON.—EVANS BAY.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd March, 1926.

THE Wellington Harbour Board notify the undermentioned changes in navigational "aids" in Evans Bay:—

*Colour of Buoy changed.*

The red can buoy existing about three-quarters of a cable off the eastern shore of Evans Bay at a distance of about three and a half cables from Halswell Point, has been changed to black.

*Spar Buoy installed.*

A red spar buoy has been placed northward of the shoal ground at a position (approx.) 324° 1,300 ft. from the north-western end of Miramar Wharf.

*Publications affected:* Admiralty plans Nos. 803 and 1423; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 119; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1926, page 267 *et seq.*

B. W. MILLIER, for Secretary.

*Notice to Mariners No. 9 of 1926.*

NEW ZEALAND.—STEWART ISLAND.—EASTERN COAST.—ANGLEM POINT.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd March, 1926.

*Light temporarily extinguished.*

INFORMATION has been received to the effect that Anglem Point Light is not showing.

Due notice will be given when this light is to be re-exhibited. *Publications affected:* Admiralty charts Nos. 2553 and 1212; Admiralty plan No. 2541; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 446; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1926, pages 204 and 375; Admiralty List of Lights, Part 6, 1924, No. 3060.

B. W. MILLIER, for Secretary.

*Notice to Mariners No. 10 of 1926.*

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 23rd March, 1926.

THE following Notices to Mariners, which have been received from the Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, are published for general information.

B. W. MILLIER, for Secretary.

AUSTRALIA.—QUEENSLAND.—INNER BARRIER ROUTE.

*Pea (p) Reef.—Beacon discontinued.*

MARINERS and others are hereby notified that the red triangular beacon on Pea (p) Reef has been destroyed. The beacon will not be re-established.

*Position.*—On Pea Reef. Lat. 13° 33' S., long. 143° 39' E., on Chart No. 3762.

*Description.*—A red triangular beacon.

*NOTE.*—No further notice will be given.

AUSTRALIA.—TORRES STRAITS, WESTERN APPROACH, MERKARA SHOAL.

*Light-vessel (U) to be established South-westward of.*

Mariners and others are hereby notified that a light-vessel (U) will be established in the western approach of Torres Straits on or about 1st May, 1926.

*Previous Notice.*—No. 9 of 1919.

*Position.*—At a distance of 20 miles, 240° from Merkara Shoal. Lat. 10° 40' S., long. 140° 55' E., on Chart No. 447.

*Details—*

(a.) *Light—*

*Character.*—Group-flashing White showing three flashes every fifteen seconds, thus: Flash,  $\frac{1}{2}$  sec., eclipse  $1\frac{1}{2}$  sec.; flash  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec., eclipse  $1\frac{1}{2}$  sec.; flash  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec., eclipse  $10\frac{1}{2}$  sec.

*Elevation.*—32 ft. *Visibility.*—10 miles. *Power.*—1,500 candles.

*Remarks.*—The light will be unwatched.

(b.) *Fog Signal.—*

*Description.*—A bell sounded by motion of the vessel.

(c.) *Vessel.—*

*Description.*—The vessel has one mast carrying the lantern.

The hull is painted red and marked "CARPENTARIA" in black on the sides.

*NOTE.*—Further notice will be given when the vessel is established.

AUSTRALIA.—SOUTH COAST.—GULF OF ST. VINCENT, PORT ADELAIDE APPROACH.

*Wonga Shoal Light (U).—Alteration in Character of Light and Colour of Structure.—Caution.—Submerged Wreckage.*

In reference to Notice to Mariners No. 9 of 1925, Mariners and others are hereby notified that the flashing white light (U) on Wonga Shoal was replaced by a group-flashing white light of increased power on 17th January, 1926.

*Position.*—At north-western end of Wonga Shoal. Lat. 34° 49½ S., long. 138° 27' E., on Chart No. 2389.

*Details.*—

*Character.*—Group-flashing White showing two flashes every six seconds, thus: Flash ½ sec., eclipse 1 sec.; flash ½ sec., eclipse 4½ sec.

*Power.*—3,000 candles. *Elevation.*—43 ft. *Visibility.*—12 miles.

*Structure.*—White steel-framework tower on screw piles, 49 ft. in height.

*Caution.*—Vessels are warned not to approach within half a cable of the light, as wreckage lies submerged near the structure.

NOTE.—No further notice will be given.

*Notice to Mariners No. 11 of 1926.*

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—EAST COAST.—POVERTY BAY.—GISBORNE HARBOUR.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd March, 1926.

*Breakwater, Extension in Progress.*

THE Gisborne Harbour Board notify that extension of the breakwater will shortly be commenced, and it is intended to deposit stones on the line of the existing breakwater extending 233° 700 ft. from its end.

Vessels exceeding 9 ft. draught must not pass over the area comprising the breakwater extension.

Publications affected: Admiralty Plan No. 3321; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 262 *et seq.*; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1926, page 255 and plan facing page 258.

B. W. MILLIER, for Secretary.

*Notice to Mariners No. 12 of 1926.*

NEW ZEALAND.—SOUTH ISLAND.—EAST COAST.—CAPE WANBROW LIGHT.

Marine Department,  
Wellington, N.Z., 22nd March, 1926.

*Method of Illumination changed.*

THE Oamaru Harbour Board notifies that Cape Wanbrow light is now lighted by a 100 c.p. electric light, and the light should be visible at a distance of 15 miles.

Publications affected: Admiralty Chart No. 2532; "New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 355; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac," 1926, page 322, and plan facing page 324; Admiralty List of Lights, Part 6, 1924, No. 3044.

B. W. MILLIER, for Secretary.

*School Colours, &c.*

Education Department,  
Wellington, 23rd March, 1926.

THE following school colours have been registered in accordance with regulations published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 12th August, 1915.

JNO. CAUGHLEY, Registration Officer.

DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL, GERALDINE, CANTERBURY.

*Colours.*—Red, black, and white.

*Monogram.*—G.D.H.S.

*Public Trust Office Act, 1903, and its Amendments.—Election 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	Adam, Florence Jessie ..	Coburg (Australia)	Nurse .. ..	15/6/25	19/3/26	Intestate	Invercargill.
2	Baines, Thomas Kaberry ..	Dunedin .. ..	Insurance agent ..	27/11/25	19/3/26	"	Dunedin.
3	Bond, Maria .. ..	Wellington .. ..	Widow .. ..	17/11/25	19/3/26	Testate	Wellington.
4	Clarkson, Arthur Nicholson ..	Fairlie .. ..	Labourer .. ..	2/3/26	17/3/26	"	Christchurch.
5	Downman, John .. ..	Upper Hutt	Retired railway employee	13/2/26	17/3/26	"	Wellington.
6	Drake, Francis Glenny .. ..	Hamilton .. ..	Accountant .. ..	13/2/26	17/3/26	Intestate	Auckland.
7	Foley, Annie .. ..	Wanganui .. ..	Widow .. ..	14/1/26	19/3/26	Testate	Wellington.
8	Glendinning, Henry Coulter ..	New Plymouth ..	Salesman .. ..	12/12/25	17/3/26	Intestate	N. Plymouth.
9	Hanrahan, Joseph .. ..	Greymouth .. ..	Bushman .. ..	26/1/26	16/3/26	Testate	Hokitika.
10	Keene, Percy .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	Jockey .. ..	9/6/25	16/3/26	Intestate	Christchurch.
11	Leverich, Isaac Philips .. ..	Shannon .. ..	Public Works employee	8/11/25	19/3/26	Testate	Wellington
12	Matson, Elsie Eileen .. ..	Opunake .. ..	Married woman	21/12/25	19/3/26	Intestate	"
13	Radcliffe, Alfred Charles .. ..	Wellington .. ..	Cleaning-contractor	26/2/26	19/3/26	Testate	"
14	Smith, Andrew Douglas .. ..	Auckland .. ..	Seaman .. ..	25/1/26	19/3/26	"	Auckland.
15	Thompson, Thomas .. ..	Christchurch .. ..	Engineer .. ..	10/12/25	17/3/26	Intestate	Christchurch.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, N.Z., 23rd March, 1926.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

**CROWN LANDS NOTICE.**

*Timber in the North Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Tender.*

North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office,  
Auckland, 22nd March, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will be received at the North Auckland District Lands and Survey Office, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, 22nd April, 1926, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the timber regulations thereunder.

**SCHEDULE.**

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WHANGAROA COUNTY.

SECTION 92, Kohumaru Parish:—

6 kauri-trees .. ..	1,807 super. ft.
93 rimu-trees .. ..	75,472 board ft.
15 kahikatea-trees .. ..	21,610 "
8 matai-trees .. ..	5,493 "

Section 104, Kohumaru Parish:—

21 kauri-trees .. ..	30,054 super. ft.
107 rimu-trees .. ..	111,775 board ft.
53 totara-trees .. ..	16,455 "
29 miro-trees .. ..	8,421 "

Totals: Kauri .. .. 31,861 super. ft.  
Other timbers .. .. 239,226 board ft.

Upset price: £450.

Time for removal: One year.

*Terms of Payment.*

The sum of £250 to be paid in cash within seven days after acceptance of tender, together with £1 ls. license fee, balance payable on the 1st December, 1926.

The second payment shall bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum as from the date of acceptance of tender, and with the interest added shall be secured by "on demand" promissory note endorsed by two approved

sureties; such bill is to be completed and lodged with the Commissioner of Crown Lands within fourteen days after notifying the purchaser to complete.

Tenders must be accompanied by a deposit of 5 per cent. on the amount of tender in cash, marked cheque, or post-office order; the balance to be paid, if tender accepted, in terms as stated above.

*Conditions of Sale.*

1. Intending purchasers are expected to visit the locality and to satisfy themselves in every particular on all matters relating to the sale.

2. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of Crown Lands to withdraw this timber from sale either before or after the date for receipt of tenders.

3. The aforementioned quantities, qualities, and kinds as to the said timber shall be taken as sufficiently accurate for the purpose of this sale, and no contract for purchase shall be voidable, nor shall the successful purchaser be entitled to any abatement in price, by reason of the said timber being of less quantity, quality, and kind than as stated herein, or in any advertisement having reference to the said timber, nor shall any extra sum be claimed by the Crown if the said quantity of timber is found to be in excess of that stated herein.

4. All timber, whether standing, felled, or in logs, shall remain the property of the Crown until all the instalments are paid.

5. The quantities stated are standing measurements, and only those trees bearing the special distinguishing brands shown are included in this sale. All trees branded F.R. or unbranded, being the undersized, defective, and isolated trees, are excluded from this sale, and must not be felled or removed.

6. Should any dispute arise as to the boundaries the decision of the Commissioner of Crown Lands shall be final.

7. In the event of no tenders being received for this timber, applications may be received and dealt with at any time within six months thereafter (unless previously formally withdrawn); providing, however, that the amount offered is not less than the upset price stated herein.

8. Any breach of the foregoing conditions of sale will render the "on demand" promissory note liable to be presented for immediate payment.

9. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and this timber is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of any tender by the Minister of Lands.

10. The purchaser shall have the right to cut the timber for the period specified, but shall have no right to the use of the land.

11. The timber shall be cut in a face, and the Crown reserves the right to follow up the mill-workings by felling and grassing such areas as from time to time become available, and of disposing of the same.

12. The licensee shall not allow any sawdust to find its way into any watercourse of any description.

13. Purchasers are notified that extension of the time herein stated for the removal of the timber must not be anticipated.

Tenders to be addressed "Commissioner of Crown Lands, North Auckland Land District, P.O. Box 10, Auckland," and envelopes to be marked "Tender for Timber."

Full particulars may be obtained from this office.

H. J. LOWE,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

### BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID LOGAN MORRISON, of Auckland, Blacksmith, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 25th day of March, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

17th March, 1926.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD AUSTIN WHITTAKER, of Mount Albert, Land-salesman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 24th day of March, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

18th March, 1926.

W. S. FISHER,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE PARKHOUSE, of Commeree Street, Frankton Junction, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 29th day of March, 1926, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

15th March, 1926,

V. H. SANSON,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES EDWARD CLARKSON, of Hamilton, Plumber, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 29th day of March, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

19th March, 1926.

V. H. SANSON,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD GALYER, of Kaiteratahi, Ploughman, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury-room on Wednesday, the 24th day of March, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

16th March, 1926.

C. BLACKBURN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.*

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS MOLLOY, late of Korito, now of Motukawa, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 29th day of March, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock.

19th March, 1926.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARITAKU MAAKA, of Takapau, Aboriginal Native, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Waipukurau, on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1926, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

18th March, 1926.

ROBERT BISHOP,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that CHARLES FREDERICK WALL, of Dannevirke, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 30th day of March, 1926, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dannevirke, 19th March, 1926.

A. J. C. RUNCIMAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

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

Bridge, Thomas Andrew, of Manaia, Farmer—Second and final dividend of 1½d. in the pound.  
Campbell, David, of Pihama, Farmer—Second and final dividend of 4½d. in the pound.

Hawera, 18th March, 1926.

ROBERT S. SAGE,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALFRED E. L. DOCKERY, of Ngawaka, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 29th day of March, 1926, at 10 o'clock a.m.

16th March, 1926.

C. MASTERS,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR JAMES HARRISON, of Bunnythorpe, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 26th day of March, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

19th March, 1926.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of PHILIP STOCKING, Otaki, Builder.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 3s. 2d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate at my office, Waldegrave's Buildings, Palmerston North.

Palmerston North, 19th March, 1926.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of E. G. McDOUGALL, Palmerston North, Music-dealer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 10d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate at my office, Waldegrave's Buildings, Palmerston North.

Palmerston North, 19th March, 1926.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of S. W. DUDSON, Foxton, Fruiterer.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 3s. 9d. in the pound is now due and payable on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate at my office, Waldegrave's Buildings, Palmerston North.

Palmerston North, 20th March, 1926.

CHARLES E. DEMPSY,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of JOHN CUMMINS, Contractor, Masterton.

NOTICE is hereby given that a first and final dividend of 7s. 3d. in the pound on preferential wages claims only is now payable at my office, Church Street, on such claims as have been proved and accepted.

Masterton, 20th March, 1926.

ARTHUR D. LOW,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

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

W. J. Malin, Painter and Paperhanger, Wellington—First dividend of 2s. in the pound.  
D. A. Brewer, Motor Mechanic, Wellington—First and final dividend of 3½d. in the pound.  
W. Heggie, Farmer, Te Horo—Second dividend of ½d. in the pound, making 1s. 6½d. in the pound.  
V. R. Gravestock, Ford Specialist, Lower Hutt—First and final dividend of 2s. 3½d. in the pound.

W. E. Horan, Married Woman, Wellington—Third and final dividend of 1s. 1¼d. in the pound, making 16s. 1¼d. in the pound.

W. S. Ferguson, Cabinetmaker, Wellington—First dividend of 9s. in the pound.

J. Lemon, Butcher, Wellington—First and final dividend of 3s. in the pound.

Wellington, 17th March, 1926.

S. TANSLEY,  
Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

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

S. E. and E. A. King, Carriers, Petone—Second dividend of 1s. 8d. in the pound, making 5s. 4d. in the pound.

J. Thompson, Tobacconist, Waikanae—First and final dividend of 8s. 6½d. in the pound.

J. F. Edney, Baker, Petone—First and final dividend of 5½d. in the pound.

Edlin, W. H., Fruiterer, Petone—First and final dividend of 2½d. in the pound.

E. T. Mace-Humphreys, Salesman, Wellington—First and final dividend of 2½d. in the pound.

T. F. Bailey, Builder, Wellington—First dividend of 2s. in the pound.

Wellington, 23rd March, 1926.

S. TANSLEY,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS PARKER, of Wellington, Retired Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt on creditor's petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 1st day of April, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

24th March, 1926.

S. TANSLEY,  
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY JOSEPH WEBB, of Blenheim, Clerk, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 25th day of March, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

16th March, 1926.

A. L. TRESIDDER,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD JAMES BEKER, of Halswell, Dairyman, has this day been adjudged a bankrupt on a creditor's petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Government Departmental Buildings, Worcester Street, Christchurch, on Friday, the 26th day of March, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

12th March, 1926.

W. A. ROSS,  
Acting Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE WRIGHT, of Lyttelton, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 29th day of March, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

17th March, 1926.

W. A. ROSS,  
Acting Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR EDWARD COOK, of 53 Victoria Street, Christchurch, Grocer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 30th day of March, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

18th March, 1926.

W. A. ROSS,  
Acting Official Assignee.

*In Bankruptcy.*

In the estate of MARY PATERSON, of Ashburton, Boarding-house Proprietress.

A FIRST and final dividend of 7½d. in the pound on all proved and accepted claims in the above estate is now payable.

Dividends will only be paid to principals, their authorized agents, or on demand through banks.

J. B. CHRISTIAN,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

Ashburton, 18th March, 1926.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that STUART ALLAN AITCHISON, of Timaru, formerly Grocer, but now Motor-painter, was this day adjudged bankrupt, and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be held at my office at Arcade, Timaru, on Thursday, the 25th day of March, 1926, at 2 o'clock.

F. A. RAYMOND,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

9th March, 1926.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that PERCIVAL RICHARD JOHNSTON, of Fairlie, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be held at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1926, at 11 o'clock.

F. A. RAYMOND,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

17th March, 1926.

*In Bankruptcy.*

NOTICE is hereby given that GILBERT THOMAS NELSON, of Timaru, Plasterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be held at my office, at Arcade, Timaru, on Wednesday, the 31st day of March, 1926, at 2 o'clock.

F. A. RAYMOND,  
Deputy Official Assignee.

18th March, 1926.

**LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.**

EVIDENCE of the loss of memorandum of mortgage No. 81894 of Lots 1 and 2 on deposited plan 7610, being part of Allotment No. 133 of the Parish of Komakorau, and being all the land in certificate of title, Volume 201, folio 158 (Auckland Registry), from LAURA BROKENSHIRE BIDDICK, of Ngaruawahia, Widow (mortgagor), to RUTH ANGUS, Wife of WILLIAM ANGUS, of Hamilton, Builder (mortgagee), having been lodged with me, together with a request to register (i) a transfer of the said mortgage No. 81894 to AUBREY FIELD BILLING, of Hamilton, Solicitor's Clerk, and (ii) a discharge of the said mortgage No. 81894, without requiring the production of the outstanding copy of the said mortgage No. 81894, notice is hereby given of my intention to register the above-mentioned documents accordingly, on the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Auckland this 16th day of March, 1926.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

MEMORANDUM of Lease No. 9962 of Maungatautari No. 4B No. 7 Section 3B No. 1A Block, situated in Block XII of the Puniu Survey District, and being all the land in Provisional Register-book, Vol. 159, folio 29 (Auckland Registry), THE MAORI LAND BOARD FOR THE WAIKATO-MANIAPOTO MAORI LAND DISTRICT (lessor) to ELIZABETH BARKER, of Devonport, Married Woman (lessee).

The above-named lessor having re-entered and recovered possession of the above-described land for non-payment of rent, it is my intention to notify such re-entry on the Provisional Register-book on the expiration of one month from the 25th day of March, 1926.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Auckland this 22nd day of March, 1926.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

EVIDENCE of the loss of certificate of title, Vol. 25, folio 208 (Auckland Registry), for Section 8 of Block V of the Village of Waiomio, in favour of HENRY STEWART, of Kawakawa, Hotelkeeper, having been lodged with me, together with an application for a provisional certificate of title, notice is hereby given of my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title accordingly, on the expiration of fourteen days from 25th day of March, 1926.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Auckland this 22nd day of March, 1926.

A. V. STURTEVANT, 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 on or before 26th April, 1926.

7192. ELIZA CATHERINE CLEARY.—Allotments 41 and 42 of Section 2, Village of Panmure, containing 1 acre 3 roods 34 perches. Occupied by Mary Fleming. Plan 17364.  
7468. FREDERICK ARNOLD.—Part Allotment 159, Parish of Hautapu, containing 5 acres 2 roods 19·7 perches. Occupied by Annie Maria Arnold. Plan 18941.

7470. ERNEST CHRISTIAN FOOTE.—Allotments 8 and 9 and part Allotments 14 and 15 of Section 2 of the Village of Papakura, containing 2 roods 8·2 perches, fronting Great South Road. Occupied by applicant. Plan 18959.

7487. JAMES ROBERT ROBERTSON.—Allotment 31 and part Allotments 30 and 32, Section 36, Town of Auckland, containing 15 perches, fronting Wakefield Street. Unoccupied. Plan 19114.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

A. V. STURTEVANT, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a certificate of title in the name of KARIRA TAHUARO, THE YOUNGER, of Onauku, Sheep-farmer, for 50 acres, being Oamaru No. 4 Subdivision, Block XXI, Gore Survey District, and being the whole of the land in certificate of title, Vol. 17, folio 126, Marlborough Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the said certificate of title as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 18th day of March, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, Blenheim.

E. G. FALCONER, Assistant Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in favour of JOHN ADAMS WILSON, of Invercargill, Returned Soldier, for Lot 15, plan No. 1334, and being also part of Section 20, Block I, Invercargill Hundred, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. 107, folio 269, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill, the 17th day of March, 1926.

J. A. FRASER, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional lease, Register-book, Vol. 199, folio 88, for Sections 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block XIX, Tiger Hill Survey District, whereof JAMES ANTHONY TOHILL, of Alexandra, Labourer, is the registered lessee, and evidence having been furnished of the loss of the said lease, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional lease at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin this 22nd day of March, 1926.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

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

3150. CHARLES STEPHEN LONGUET.—1 acre, Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, Block III, Gladstone, part Section 25, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by applicant. Plan 2541.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.  
Dated this 19th day of March, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill.

J. H. FRASER, District Land Registrar.

### ADVERTISEMENTS.

#### THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and of BAKER AND Co. (LIMITED).

I, WILLIAM GREER FLETCHER, Assistant Registrar of Companies at Auckland, in pursuance of an order granted in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, Northern District, dated the 18th March, 1926, hereby give notice that the name of BAKER AND Co. (LIMITED) has been restored to the Register of Companies; and, pursuant to the Companies Act, 1908, the said company is deemed to have continued in existence as if its name had never been struck off the said Register.

Dated this 22nd day of March, 1926.

WM. G. FLETCHER,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Tahora Land and Sawmilling Company (Limited).  
1918-7.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at New Plymouth this 15th day of March, 1926.

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

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

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

The New Zealand Iron Ore Smelting and Manufacturing Company (Limited). 1916/6.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at New Plymouth, this 17th day of March, 1926.

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

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

TAKE notice 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 dissolved:—

Selby and Kerswill (Limited). 1924/9.

Dated at the office of the Assistant Registrar of Companies at New Plymouth, this 19th day of March, 1926.

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

#### THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266.

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

T. Clarkson (Limited). 1914/2.

Dated at Napier this 22nd day of March, 1926.

W. JOHNSTON,  
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 dissolved:—

Loyal Café (Limited). 24/33.

Given under my hand at Christchurch this 16th day of March, 1926.

J. MORRISON,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

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

Fred Lill (Limited). 23/7.

Given under my hand at Christchurch this 16th day of March, 1926.

J. MORRISON,  
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

### PUBLIC NOTICE.

#### THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited) proposes to commence to carry on business at High Street, Motueka, in the Provincial District of Nelson.

Dated at Wellington, New Zealand, this 15th day of March, 1926.

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

E. P. YALDWYN.

Witness—R. W. Armit, J.P.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the YORK STREET FLAX-SPINNING COMPANY (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named company intends, after the expiration of three months from the date of this notice, to cease to carry on business in New Zealand.

This notice is given in the terms of section 307 of the above-named Act.

Dated at Auckland this 11th day of March, 1926.

H. W. AIREY,  
Attorney for the Company.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of WILSON AND CANHAM (LIMITED), a Foreign Company.

TAKE notice that the Head Office for New Zealand of the above-named Wilson and Canham (Limited) has been transferred from Ferry Buildings, Quay Street, in the City of Auckland, to National Bank Buildings, Fort Street, in the said city.

Dated this 13th day of March, 1926.

For Wilson and Canham (Limited),

GEO. H. WILSON, President.

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### BOROUGH OF RANGIORA.

POLL ON PROPOSAL THAT THE SYSTEM OF RATING ON THE UNIMPROVED VALUE BE RESCINDED.

IN pursuance of section 39 of the Rating Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Rangiora taken on the 23rd day of March, 1926, on the proposal that the adoption of the system of rating property on the basis of the unimproved value thereof be rescinded in the Borough of Rangiora, the number of valid votes recorded for the proposal was 133, and the number of valid votes recorded against the proposal was 269.

I therefore declare that the proposal was not carried.

Dated at Rangiora this 24th day of March, 1926.

ROBERT McINTOSH, Mayor.

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THE GENERAL OMNIBUS COMPANY (LIMITED).  
IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the creditors of the General Omnibus Company (Limited), which is being wound up voluntarily, are required, on or before the 30th March, 1926, being the day fixed for that purpose by the undersigned, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims to G. GREY CAMPBELL, Liquidator of the above company, 8 Empire Buildings, Swanson Street, Auckland.

G. GREY CAMPBELL,  
Liquidator for the General Omnibus Company (Limited),  
329 in Liquidation.

BLUFF LAND COMPANY (LIMITED).

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a meeting of shareholders held in Invercargill on 26th February, 1926, the following resolutions were carried:—

1. That the company be wound up voluntarily.
2. That FRANK ARTHUR WEBB, of Invercargill, be appointed Liquidator.

F. A. WEBB, Liquidator.  
Invercargill, 14th March, 1926. 330

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of THE HYDRO-ELECTRIC ENGINEERING COMPANY (LIMITED), Gisborne.

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above-named company duly convened and held at the registered office of the company, Customhouse Street, Gisborne, on Wednesday, the 10th day of February, 1926, the following special resolution was duly passed, and at a subsequent extraordinary general meeting of the members of the said company also duly convened and held at the same place on the 10th day of March, 1926, the resolution was duly confirmed:—

“That the company be wound up voluntarily.”

And at the said meeting LEONARD SILVERWOOD, Company Secretary, Gisborne, was appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Dated at Gisborne this 11th day of March, 1926.  
331 LEONARD SILVERWOOD, Liquidator.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between WILLIAM FREDERICK BUIST and ROBERT GEMMELL BURNETT SINCLAIR, of Hawera, Medical Practitioners, has been dissolved as from the 18th day of January, 1926. All Partnership accounts to the date of dissolution are to be paid or rendered to Messrs. Burdekin, Walkley, and Cameron, Public Accountants, Hawera.

W. F. BUIST.  
R. G. B. SINCLAIR.  
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CHANGE OF NAME.

NOTICE is hereby given that ANTHONY MILNE, of Dunedin, Printer, heretofore known as Anthony Milne Farry, has by a deed-poll dated the 11th day of March, 1926, enrolled in the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Dunedin renounced and abandoned his name of Anthony Milne Farry, and has assumed and adopted the name of Anthony Milne, and intends on all occasions hereafter and in all deeds, documents, actions, proceedings, matters, and things to use the name of ANTHONY MILNE in lieu of his former name of Anthony Milne Farry.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1926.  
333 ANTHONY MILNE.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, WILLIAM ANDERSON BIRD, M.B., Ch.B. 1925, now residing in Christchurch, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 16th April next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Christchurch.

WILLIAM ANDERSON BIRD.  
Care of Christchurch Hospital.  
Dated at Christchurch 16th March, 1926. 337

NEW ZEALAND.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES ACT, 1909.—ADVERTISEMENT OF  
CANCELLING.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Registrar of Friendly Societies has, pursuant to section 70 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, by writing under his hand dated this 16th day of March, 1926, cancelled the registry of Flower of Waianiwa Tent, No. 85, of the New Zealand Central District Independent Order of Rechabites Friendly Society (Register No. 110/77), held at Waianiwa, on the ground that the said branch has ceased to exist.

338 WILLIAM M. WRIGHT, Registrar.

KAURI PRODUCTS (LIMITED).

AT an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of KAURI PRODUCTS (LIMITED) held at the office of Gorrie and Biss, 301 Victoria Arcade, Auckland, at 3.15 p.m. on Tuesday, the 9th day of March, 1926, the following resolution was passed unanimously:—

“That it is proved to the satisfaction of the company that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same.”

339 G. C. GORRIE, Liquidator.

TAUMARUNUI COUNTY COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 42 of the Rating Act, 1925, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the County of Taumarunui was taken on the 9th day of March, 1926, on a proposal to adopt the system of rating property on the basis of the unimproved value thereof.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 162; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 2; number of informal votes, 6.

I therefore declare the proposal carried.  
Dated at Taumarunui this 15th day of March, 1926.

340 G. A. STANTON, Chairman.

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

THE following is a copy of a resolution passed by TYMPANY LIMITED at a meeting of shareholders held on 27th day of February, 1926, and signed by all the shareholders:—

“It is resolved that the company be wound up voluntarily under the Companies Act, 1908, and that JOHN McDONALD COLEMAN, of Auckland, Public Accountant, be hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.”

J. McD. COLEMAN, Liquidator,  
Short's Buildings, Auckland.  
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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto subsisting between the undersigned WILLIAM JOHN LORY, of Dunedin, Auctioneer, and PETER FINLAYSON, of Crookston, Farmer, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of August, 1925.

The business will in future be carried on by the said PETER FINLAYSON, who will discharge all liabilities of the late Partnership, and to whom all moneys owing thereto are payable.

As witness our hands this 5th day of March, 1926.

WILLIAM J. LORY.

Witness to the signature of William John Lory—Chas. J. Payne, Solicitor, Dunedin.

PETER FINLAYSON.

Witness to the signature of Peter Finlayson—Robert Potts, J.P., Farmer, Crookston. 342

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership lately subsisting between us in Gisborne in the trade or business of Butchers, known as “The West End Butchery,” has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of July, 1925. All accounts owing by the late firm shall be paid by the undersigned DAVID MILLS. All accounts owing to the late firm are payable to the undersigned ELIZA ANNIE RUSSELL, who shall from the date aforesaid continue the business in her name.

Dated at Gisborne this 10th day of March, 1926.

DAVID MILLS.  
E. A. RUSSELL.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership business heretofore carried on by us the undersigned ARTHUR DANDY, MATTIS SVENSSON, HENRY WILLIAM PORT, WILLIAM ROBERTSON MCNEE, and ANDREW DILLON, at Hokonui, Southland, as Sawmillers, under the style or firm of "Svensson, Dandy, and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent so far as regards the said ARTHUR DANDY as from the twentieth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six. The business will in future be carried on by the said MATTIS SVENSSON, HENRY WILLIAM PORT, WILLIAM ROBERTSON MCNEE, and ANDREW DILLON, under the style or firm of "Svensson and Co.," who will discharge all debts owing by the late firm, and to whom all moneys owing to the firm must be paid.

Dated this 16th day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

ARTHUR DANDY.  
W. R. MCNEE.  
H. W. PORT.  
A. DILLON.  
M. SVENSSON.

Witness to all signatures—Alfred Clode, Engine-driver,  
Hokonui. 345

ARCADE COMPANY (LIMITED).

REGISTERED OFFICE, TENNYSON STREET, NAPIER.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following special resolution was passed at a duly convened and properly constituted extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders of the above company held at Messrs. Neal and Close's office, Napier, on Tuesday, 16th February, 1926; and, further, that the said resolution was confirmed at a properly constituted general meeting of shareholders held at the same office on Friday, 5th March, 1926:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that a Liquidator for that purpose be appointed."

And, further, a minute in the minute-book of the company embodying the said resolution has been signed by three-fourths of the shareholders holding in the aggregate three-fourths of the shares in the said company.

Dated at Napier this 9th day of March, 1926.

346 GEO. EBBETT,  
Liquidator.

THE COUNTY OF EGMONT.

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

1. That the resolution passed on the 8th day of December, 1925, striking a special rate of three-thirteenths of one penny in the pound as security for a loan of £20,000 for the purpose of re-erecting in reinforced concrete certain bridges within the county, and the resolution passed on the 12th day of August, 1924, striking a special rate of four sixty-ninths of one penny in the pound as security for a loan of £5,000, being part of the aforesaid loan of £20,000, being both defective, be hereby rescinded.

2. That for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £20,000, authorized to be raised by the Council of the County of Egmont under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of re-erecting in reinforced concrete certain bridges within the county, the Council of the County of Egmont hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven thirty-eighths of one penny in the pound upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property of the County of Egmont, comprising the whole of the said county; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-seven years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

3. Whereas the special rate of seven thirty-eighths of one penny in the pound thus made and levied as security for the loan of £20,000 for the purpose of re-erecting in reinforced concrete certain bridges in the county is insufficient to pay the interest and other charges thereon, the Council of the County of Egmont doth hereby increase the said special rate of seven thirty-eighths of one penny in the pound to three-thirteenths of one penny in the pound.

347 WALTER C. GREEN, County Chairman.  
GEO. W. ROGERS, County Clerk.

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WAITOTARA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £100, being ten per centum on a loan of £1,000 authorized to be raised by the Waitotara County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of completing the regrading and metalling of the Tokomaru East Road, the said Waitotara County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of 1/24th of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Tokomaru East Road Special-rating District No. 2, as gazetted on page 816 of the *New Zealand Gazette* of 1923, in connection with the original Tokomaru East Road Special-rating District No. 2; and that such rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable in one sum on the 1st day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Description of boundaries: The whole of the Tokomaru East Road Special-rating District No. 2.

348 A. S. DYMOCK, County Clerk.

TE KUITI BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—£2,000 MACHINERY LOAN.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £2,000, authorized to be raised by the Te Kuiti Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purchase of roading-machinery, the said Te Kuiti Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-seventh of a penny (1/7th d.) in the pound upon the rateable unimproved value of all rateable property within the Borough of Te Kuiti; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the first day of April and the first day of October 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.

Dated this 19th January, 1926.

349 HENRY ROTHERY, Mayor.  
C. H. TATE, Town Clerk.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, ALBERT EDWARD KING, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, 1926, now residing in Christchurch, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 18th April next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Christchurch.

ALBERT EDWARD KING,  
Christchurch Hospital.

Dated at Christchurch, 17th March, 1926. 350

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, ROBERT ELDRED BEVAN BROWN, M.B., Ch.B., University of New Zealand, 1926, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 19th of April next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Dunedin.

ROBERT ELDRED BEVAN BROWN,  
123 Cargill Street, Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin, 17th March, 1926. 351

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, IAN COMYN FRASER, M.B., Ch.B., Otago University, 1925, now residing in Timaru, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 17th April next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New

Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Christchurch.

IAN COMYN FRASER,  
Care of Timaru Hospital.

Dated at Timaru, 17th March, 1926. 352

#### RESOLUTION.

**T**HE following regulations were laid before the members of the Waipapakauri Racing Club at a meeting held on the 26th day of February, 1926, at Kaitaia, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. Thos. S. Houston, that the same be passed at once with a view to their approval by His Excellency the Governor-General in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. Thos. S. Houston, the Chairman of such club and the meeting, moved, and Mr. Walter Masters seconded, and it was resolved, that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman and Secretary be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

#### WAIPAPAKAURI RACING CLUB.

##### REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

In pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Waipapakauri Racing Club, a racing club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the racecourse situated in the district of Whangarei, and known as the Whangarei Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

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

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

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

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

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

The foregoing regulations of the Waipapakauri Racing Club were made and passed by such club on the 26th day of February, 1926, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

THOS. S. HOUSTON, Chairman.  
CECIL T. CARMAN, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of Waipapakauri Racing Club are hereby approved this 6th day of March, 1926.

353 CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

#### BIRCH AND BRADSHAW.

##### IN LIQUIDATION.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary meeting of the company held at 117 New North Road, Auckland, on Friday, the 5th day of March, 1926, the following resolutions were passed:—

- (a.) "That the resignation of Mr. George William Minter as Liquidator be accepted."
- (b.) "That Mr. HARRY CHARLES ROBINSON, of Auckland, Public Accountant, be appointed to the position of Liquidator of the company."

Dated at Auckland this 17th day of March, 1926.

H. C. ROBINSON,  
Liquidator.

Regal Chambers, Nos. 6-8 High Street, Auckland. 354

#### BOROUGH OF MATAURA.

##### DECLARATION OF POLL ON PROPOSAL TO ADOPT THE SYSTEM OF RATING ON THE ANNUAL VALUE.

In the matter of the Rating Act, 1908, and its amendments.

**P**URSUANT to the provisions of the Rating Act, 1908, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Mataura was taken on the 10th day of March, 1926, on the proposal that the system of rating property in the said borough be on the basis of the annual value thereof.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was . . . 216

The number of votes recorded against the proposal

was . . . . . 119

Informal . . . . . 2

Majority for the proposal . . . . . 97

I hereby declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 11th day of March, 1926.

355 C. D. McCONNELL, Mayor.  
J. F. WALSH, Town Clerk.

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

**A**T a general meeting of the above company held at 48 Nixon Street, Wanganui East, on Friday, the 19th March, 1926, the following extraordinary resolution was passed:—

"That it is proved to the company's satisfaction that it cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that the company be wound up voluntarily."

Mr. WALTER MAURICE HALLAM, care of Silk, Haworth, and Company, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, was appointed Liquidator to the said company.

WALTER HALLAM,  
Liquidator.

Wanganui, dated this 22nd day of March, 1926. 356

#### MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

**I**, JOHN RUSSELL, M.B. Ch.B. Cantab. 1923, Dp.M. Eng. 1925, now residing in Christchurch, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 19th April, 1926, next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Christchurch.

JOHN RUSSELL,  
Mental Hospital, Sunnyside, Christchurch.

Dated at Christchurch, 19th March, 1926. 357

#### LOWER HUTT BOROUGH COUNCIL.

##### RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATES.

**I**N pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt hereby resolves as follows:—

Loan of £26,000.

That, for the purpose of providing interest and other charges on a loan of £26,000, authorized to be raised by the Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of acquiring loan for street-widening purposes and the making of a new street so as to

connect the Main Road with Woburn Road, the said Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt hereby makes and levies a special rate of 205/400ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Lower Hutt; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of the said loan, and be paid yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of the said loan, being a period of five years in respect of £10,000, being portion of the said loan, and a period of ten years in respect of the balance of the said loan, or until the said loan is fully paid off.

*Loan of £43,300.*

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £43,300, authorized to be raised by the Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of paying off part of a special loan of £52,000, due on the 1st April, 1926, the said Council of the Borough of Lower Hutt hereby makes and levies a special rate of 342/400ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value (on a basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property of the Borough of Lower Hutt; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

W. T. STRAND, Mayor.  
B. S. KNOX, Town Clerk.

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### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Majestic Gold-mining Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 13th December, 1922; 14th December, 1922.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: 108-110, Chancery Chambers, O'Connell Street, Auckland; John William McCoy.  
Nominal capital: £75,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £41,506 5s.  
Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £27,608 8s.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £8,301 5s.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 300,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 166,025.  
Amount paid per share: 2s. 3d. on 300; 4s. on 46,868; 4s. 3d. on 85,652.  
Amount called up per share: 2s. 3d. on 300; 4s. 3d. on 132,530.  
Number and amount of calls in arrears: Ninth call 3d. per share on 46,868 shares.  
Number of shares forfeited: 16,900.  
Number of forfeited shares sold and amount received for same: 16,600; £20 3s.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 78.  
Present number of shareholders: 229.  
Number of men employed by company: 18.  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £11,765 15s. 9d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £29,737 3s. 4d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
Amount of cash in bank: £769 16s. 6d.  
Amount of cash in hand: £19 19s. 5d.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company (balance due freehold property): £1,400.

I, John William McCoy, of 108-110 Chancery Chambers, O'Connell Street, Auckland, the Secretary of the Majestic Gold-mining Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at 31st December, 1925, and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JOHN WILLIAM MCCOY.

Declared at Auckland this 26th day of January, 1926, before me—Chas. E. Palmer, J.P. 334

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY

Name of company: New River Gold Dredging Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 21st March, 1925; 8th May, 1925.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted and name of Secretary: 108-110 Chancery Chambers, O'Connell Street, Auckland; John William McCoy.  
Nominal capital: £40,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £40,000.  
Amount actually paid in cash: £15,061 12s. 6d.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £25,000.  
Paid-up scrip given to shareholders and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 40,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 40,000.  
Amount paid per share: 17s. 6d. on 3,467; 20s. on 9,584; 25s. on 1,887; 27s. 6d. on 62.  
Amount called up per share: 20s. on 12,000; 25s. on 3,000.  
Number and amount of calls in arrears: 2nd call, 5s. on 101 shares; 3rd, 5s. on 950; 6th, 2s. 6d. on 3,467 shares.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares sold, and amount of cash received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at the time of registration of company: 29.  
Present number of shareholders: 44.  
Number of men employed by company: 31.  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since registration: £13,814 3s. 4d.  
Total expenditure since registration: £13,814 3s. 4d.  
Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
Total amount of dividends unclaimed: Nil.  
Amount of cash in bank: £1,547 12s. 2d.  
Amount of cash in hand: £5.  
Amount of debts directly due to company: £230.  
Amount of debts considered good: £230.  
Amount of contingent liabilities of company: £2,850.

I, John William McCoy, of 108-110 Chancery Chambers, O'Connell Street, Auckland, the Secretary of the New River Gold Dredging Company, (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at 31st December, 1925; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JOHN WILLIAM MCCOY.

Declared at Auckland this 26th day of January, 1926, before me—Chas. E. Palmer, J.P. 335

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Ngahere Gold Prospecting Company (Limited).  
When formed, and date of registration: 11th December, 1925; 22nd December, 1925.  
Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: 108-110, Chancery Chambers, O'Connell Street, Auckland; John William McCoy.  
Nominal capital: £25,000.  
Amount of capital subscribed: £4,000.  
Amount actually paid in cash: £400.  
Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.  
Paid-up scrip given to shareholders and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.  
Number of shares into which capital is divided: 50,000.  
Number of shares allotted: 8,000.  
Amount paid per share: 1s.  
Amount called up per share: 1s.  
Number and amount of calls in arrears: Nil.  
Number of shares forfeited: Nil.  
Number of forfeited shares sold and amount of cash received for same: Nil.  
Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 20.  
Present number of shareholders: 20.  
Number of men employed by company: 4.  
Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.  
Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since registration: £127 10s.

Total expenditure since registration: £127 10s.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends unclaimed: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank: £272 10s.  
 Amount of cash in hand: Nil.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company: Nil.

I, John William McCoy, of 108-110 Chancery Chambers, O'Connell Street, Auckland, the Secretary of the Ngahere Gold Prospecting Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at 31st December, 1925; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

JOHN WILLIAM MCCOY.

Declared at Auckland this 26th day of January, 1926,  
 before me—Chas. E. Palmer, J.P. 336

### STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Victory Mines Syndicate (Limited).  
 When formed, and date of registration: 20th February, 1918.  
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.  
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Brun-  
 nerton; Nellie Elizabeth Fry.  
 Nominal capital: £15,000.  
 Amount of capital subscribed: £15,000.  
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £8,597 0s. 6d.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of  
 cash received for same (if any): £3,750.  
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no  
 cash has been paid: £3,750, being 3,750 shares fully paid  
 up to £1 each, allotted to the vendors in payment for min-  
 ing claims.  
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 15,000 of £1  
 each.  
 Number of shares allotted: 15,000.  
 Amount paid per share: 3,901 to £1; 1,617 to 14s. 6d.; 3,050  
 to 14s.; 2,682 to 8s. 0/901d.  
 Amount called up per share: 3,901 to £1; 4,717 to 14s. 6d.;  
 2,632 to 8s. 0/901d.  
 Number and amount of calls in arrears: One call (the tenth),  
 £77 10s.  
 Number of shares forfeited: 2,682.  
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same:  
 50; £16 5s.  
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company:  
 101.  
 Present number of shareholders: 154.  
 Number of men employed by company: 2.  
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last  
 statement: Nil.  
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 12 oz.  
 16 dwt.; £49 5s. 7d.  
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations  
 since 31st December, 1924: £481 9s. 5d.  
 Total expenditure since registration: £8,631 1s. 2d.  
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.  
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.  
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.  
 Amount of cash in bank: £12 14s. 11d.  
 Amount of cash in hand: £2 10s.  
 Amount of debts directly due to company: Nil.  
 Amount of debts considered good: Nil.  
 Amount of contingent liabilities of company (if any): Nil.  
 Amount of debts owing by company: Nil.

I, Nellie Elizabeth Fry, of Brunner-ton, the Secretary of  
 the Victory Mines Syndicate (Limited), do solemnly and  
 sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement  
 of the affairs of the said company at the present date;  
 and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing  
 the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the  
 Peace Act, 1908.

N. E. FRY.

Declared at Wallsend this 18th day of March, 1926, before  
 me—James Creagh, J.P. 343

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