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Additional Land taken for the North Auckland Main Trunk Railway, Waikiekie Section (96 m. 22 ch. to 97 m. 15 ch.)

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

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the additional land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the North Auckland Main Trunk Railway, Waikiekie Section.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.			
0	2	30	Being portion of Allotment 209; coloured pink.		
0	3	31·3	„	209	„ pink.
0	3	24	„	228	„ blue.

Situated in Parish of Mareretu, Block VIII, Matakoho Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23653.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65047, 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 6th day of May, 1926.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 2/16.)

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Additional Land taken for the North Auckland Railway (Branch Line to Whangarei) in Block IV, Tangihua Survey District, and for Road-diversions in connection therewith.

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

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the additional land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for North Auckland Railway (branch line to Whangarei), and for road-diversions in connection therewith.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	
0	0	18·3	Being portion of Lot 137; coloured pink.
1	1	29	„ Road; coloured green.
0	1	20·6	„ Lot 136; coloured yellow.

FOR ROAD-DIVERSIONS.

0	1	28·6	Being portion of Lot 137; coloured sepia.
0	1	39·2	„ 136 „

Situated in Maungakarama Parish, Block IV, Tangihua Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 22333.)

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 55994 (sheet 1), 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 7th day of May, 1926.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 19/511.)

Revoking the Reservation over Portion of a Scenic Reserve in the Nelson Land District.

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

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by Proclamation dated the tenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the thirteenth day of that month, certain land in the Nelson Land District was set apart for scenic purposes under the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908:

And whereas the land described in the Schedule hereto (being part of the land so set apart) is no longer suitable for scenic purposes:

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 section eight of the Scenery Preservation Amendment Act, 1910, do hereby revoke the reservation for scenic purposes over the land described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area in the Nelson Land District, containing by admeasurement 25 acres 3 roods 20 perches, more or less, being Section 11, Block VII, Hope Survey District. Bounded on the north by a public road, 1906-4 links; on the east by part of Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 2 and by Section 9 of the aforesaid block and district, 1948-1 links; on the south by part of Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 2, 1478-5 links; and on the west by part of Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 2, 1370-9 links. As the same is more particularly delineated on a plan marked L. and S. 4/333, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon bordered red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 3rd day of May, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD,
Minister in Charge of Scenery Preservation

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road in Pukenui Settlement, Otago Land District.

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

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 1 acre 3 roods 15 perches.
Portion of Section 4s, Pukenui Settlement.

In the Otago Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 21/226, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2169, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 6th day of May, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy:

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Dunedin City Council to permit the laying-off of a street of a width less than sixty-six feet, but not less than forty feet, connecting the blind street known as Glenmore Street with Fulton Road in the City of Dunedin, such connecting street being more particularly described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

THAT proposed street, situated in the Otago Land District, City of Dunedin, through part Section 47, Block V, Dunedin and East Taieri Survey District, connecting Glenmore Street and Fulton Road. As the said street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65461, 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. 51/942.)

Authorizing the Tauranga Electric-power Board to construct Electric Works.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor General

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of April, 1926.

Present:

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by section forty-nine of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, as amended by section seventeen of the Electric-power Boards Amendment 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 Tauranga Electric-power Board to erect electric lines as shown on the plans marked P.W.D. 62900, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and such further lines as may from time to time be required in the Tauranga Electric-power District and outer area of such district as hereinafter defined; transformers and substations for the transmission and distribution of electrical energy in the Tauranga Electric-power District and outer area of such district, as defined by Proclamation dated the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 52, of the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS.

1. No electric lines shall be used for the distribution of electrical energy until the Tauranga Electric-power Board has obtained a license for such purpose in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911.
2. Any conditions inserted in such licenses shall be strictly complied with by such Board.
3. Such Board shall forward for the approval of the Minister of Public Works such further plans and particulars as the Minister of Public Works may from time to time require.
4. The Board shall not, without the consent in writing of the Minister of Public Works, erect any electric lines along the routes of the Government main-trunk transmission-lines.
5. The works hereby authorized shall be constructed so as to comply with the regulations made under section 2 of the

Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, dated the 9th day of October, 1922, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 12th day of the same month, or any regulations made in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof, which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein.

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

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

(P.W. 26/1115/1.)

Amending Regulations for the Occupation of Pastoral Lands within the Karamea and Westland Mining Districts.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present:

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section three of the Land Act, 1924, and by section thirty-eight of the Mining Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto the regulations for the occupation of pastoral lands within the Karamea and Westland Mining Districts (hereinafter referred to as "the said regulations") made on the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and the twenty-seventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and published in the *Gazettes* of the third day of April, one thousand nine hundred and thirteen, and of the fourth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

SCHEDULE.

1. CLAUSE 8A of the said regulations is hereby amended by adding after the words "twenty-ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three," the following words: "or contained in the regulations for the occupation of such lands within the Karamea Mining District and portion of the Westland Mining District made on the second day of September, one thousand nine hundred and four, and published in the *Gazette* of the eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and four."

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

Fixing Amount of Principal and Interest payable under Section 331 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, in respect of Advances for the Erection of Workers' Dwellings.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 three hundred and thirty-one of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, as amended by section sixteen of the Municipal Corporations Amendment Act, 1921-22, and section twenty-nine of the Finance Act, 1922, 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 that the amount of principal and interest respectively to be paid by instalments during each period of six months in respect of an advance to a worker under that section shall be calculated according to such one of the tables in the Schedule hereto as the case may require.

SCHEDULE.

TABLE A.

AMOUNT OF PRINCIPAL and INTEREST payable during each Period of Six Months for every £100 of Unpaid Purchase-money or Loan at 5½ per Centum Interest for a Period of Thirty-six Years and a Half.

Half-year.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Apportioned thus:		Balance of Principal owing.
		On Account of Interest at 5½ per Cent.	On Account of Principal.	
1st ..	£ s. d. 3 5 10	£ s. d. 2 17 6	£ s. d. 0 8 4	£ s. d. 99 11 8
2nd ..	3 5 10	2 17 3	0 8 7	99 3 1
3rd ..	3 5 10	2 17 0	0 8 10	98 14 3
4th ..	3 5 10	2 16 9	0 9 1	98 5 2
5th ..	3 5 10	2 16 6	0 9 4	97 15 10
6th ..	3 5 10	2 16 3	0 9 7	97 6 3
7th ..	3 5 10	2 16 0	0 9 10	96 16 5
8th ..	3 5 10	2 15 8	0 10 2	96 6 3
9th ..	3 5 10	2 15 5	0 10 5	95 15 10
10th ..	3 5 10	2 15 1	0 10 9	95 5 1
11th ..	3 5 10	2 14 10	0 11 0	94 14 1
12th ..	3 5 10	2 14 6	0 11 4	94 2 9
13th ..	3 5 10	2 14 2	0 11 8	93 11 1
14th ..	3 5 10	2 13 10	0 12 0	92 19 1
15th ..	3 5 10	2 13 6	0 12 4	92 6 9
16th ..	3 5 10	2 13 1	0 12 9	91 14 0
17th ..	3 5 10	2 12 9	0 13 1	91 0 11
18th ..	3 5 10	2 12 5	0 13 5	90 7 6
19th ..	3 5 10	2 12 0	0 13 10	89 13 8
20th ..	3 5 10	2 11 7	0 14 3	88 19 5
21st ..	3 5 10	2 11 2	0 14 8	88 4 9
22nd ..	3 5 10	2 10 9	0 15 1	87 9 8
23rd ..	3 5 10	2 10 4	0 15 6	86 14 2
24th ..	3 5 10	2 9 11	0 15 11	85 18 3
25th ..	3 5 10	2 9 5	0 16 5	85 1 10
26th ..	3 5 10	2 8 11	0 16 11	84 4 11
27th ..	3 5 10	2 8 6	0 17 4	83 7 7
28th ..	3 5 10	2 8 0	0 17 10	82 9 9
29th ..	3 5 10	2 7 5	0 18 5	81 11 4
30th ..	3 5 10	2 6 11	0 18 11	80 12 5
31st ..	3 5 10	2 6 5	0 19 5	79 13 0
32nd ..	3 5 10	2 5 10	1 0 0	78 13 0
33rd ..	3 5 10	2 5 3	1 0 7	77 12 5
34th ..	3 5 10	2 4 8	1 1 2	76 11 3
35th ..	3 5 10	2 4 1	1 1 9	75 9 6
36th ..	3 5 10	2 3 5	1 2 5	74 7 1
37th ..	3 5 10	2 2 9	1 3 1	73 4 0
38th ..	3 5 10	2 2 1	1 3 9	72 0 3
39th ..	3 5 10	2 1 5	1 4 5	70 15 10
40th ..	3 5 10	2 0 9	1 5 1	69 10 9
41st ..	3 5 10	2 0 0	1 5 10	68 4 11
42nd ..	3 5 10	1 19 3	1 6 7	66 18 4
43rd ..	3 5 10	1 18 6	1 7 4	65 11 0
44th ..	3 5 10	1 17 9	1 8 1	64 2 11
45th ..	3 5 10	1 16 11	1 8 11	62 14 0
46th ..	3 5 10	1 16 1	1 9 9	61 4 3
47th ..	3 5 10	1 15 3	1 10 7	59 13 8
48th ..	3 5 10	1 14 4	1 11 6	58 2 2
49th ..	3 5 10	1 13 5	1 12 5	56 9 9
50th ..	3 5 10	1 12 6	1 13 4	54 16 5
51st ..	3 5 10	1 11 6	1 14 4	53 2 1
52nd ..	3 5 10	1 10 7	1 15 3	51 6 10
53rd ..	3 5 10	1 9 6	1 16 4	49 10 6
54th ..	3 5 10	1 8 6	1 17 4	47 13 2
55th ..	3 5 10	1 7 5	1 18 5	45 14 9
56th ..	3 5 10	1 6 4	1 19 6	43 15 3
57th ..	3 5 10	1 5 2	2 0 8	41 14 7
58th ..	3 5 10	1 4 0	2 1 10	39 12 9
59th ..	3 5 10	1 2 10	2 3 0	37 9 9
60th ..	3 5 10	1 1 7	2 4 3	35 5 6
61st ..	3 5 10	1 0 4	2 5 6	33 0 0
62nd ..	3 5 10	0 19 0	2 6 10	30 13 2
63rd ..	3 5 10	0 17 8	2 8 2	28 5 0
64th ..	3 5 10	0 16 3	2 9 7	25 15 5
65th ..	3 5 10	0 14 10	2 11 0	23 4 5
66th ..	3 5 10	0 13 4	2 12 6	20 11 11
67th ..	3 5 10	0 11 10	2 14 0	17 17 11
68th ..	3 5 10	0 10 4	2 15 6	15 2 5
69th ..	3 5 10	0 8 9	2 17 1	12 5 4
70th ..	3 5 10	0 7 1	2 18 9	9 6 7
71st ..	3 5 10	0 5 5	3 0 5	6 6 2
72nd ..	3 5 10	0 3 8	3 2 2	3 4 0
73rd ..	3 5 10	0 1 10	3 4 0	..

TABLE B.

AMOUNT of PRINCIPAL and INTEREST payable during each Period of Six Months for every £100 of Unpaid Purchase-money or Loan at 5½ per Centum Interest for a Period of Thirty Years.

Half-year.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Apportioned thus :		Balance of Principal owing.
		On Account of Interest at 5½ per Cent.	On Account of Principal.	
1st ..	£ s. d. 3 10 4	£ s. d. 2 17 6	£ s. d. 0 12 10	£ s. d. 99 7 2
2nd ..	3 10 4	2 17 2	0 13 2	98 14 0
3rd ..	3 10 4	2 16 9	0 13 7	98 0 5
4th ..	3 10 4	2 16 4	0 14 0	97 6 5
5th ..	3 10 4	2 15 11	0 14 5	96 12 0
6th ..	3 10 4	2 15 7	0 14 9	95 17 3
7th ..	3 10 4	2 15 1	0 15 3	95 2 0
8th ..	3 10 4	2 14 8	0 15 8	94 6 4
9th ..	3 10 4	2 14 3	0 16 1	93 10 3
10th ..	3 10 4	2 13 9	0 16 7	92 13 8
11th ..	3 10 4	2 13 4	0 17 0	91 16 8
12th ..	3 10 4	2 12 10	0 17 6	90 19 2
13th ..	3 10 4	2 12 4	0 18 0	90 1 2
14th ..	3 10 4	2 11 9	0 18 7	89 2 7
15th ..	3 10 4	2 11 3	0 19 1	88 3 6
16th ..	3 10 4	2 10 8	0 19 8	87 3 10
17th ..	3 10 4	2 10 1	1 0 3	86 3 7
18th ..	3 10 4	2 9 7	1 0 9	85 2 10
19th ..	3 10 4	2 8 11	1 1 5	84 1 5
20th ..	3 10 4	2 8 4	1 2 0	82 19 5
21st ..	3 10 4	2 7 8	1 2 8	81 16 9
22nd ..	3 10 4	2 7 1	1 3 3	80 13 6
23rd ..	3 10 4	2 6 5	1 3 11	79 9 7
24th ..	3 10 4	2 5 8	1 4 8	78 4 11
25th ..	3 10 4	2 5 0	1 5 4	76 19 7
26th ..	3 10 4	2 4 3	1 6 1	75 13 6
27th ..	3 10 4	2 3 6	1 6 10	74 6 8
28th ..	3 10 4	2 2 9	1 7 7	72 19 1
29th ..	3 10 4	2 1 11	1 8 5	71 10 8
30th ..	3 10 4	2 1 1	1 9 3	70 1 5
31st ..	3 10 4	2 0 3	1 10 1	68 11 4
32nd ..	3 10 4	1 19 5	1 10 11	67 0 5
33rd ..	3 10 4	1 18 6	1 11 10	65 8 7
34th ..	3 10 4	1 17 7	1 12 9	63 15 10
35th ..	3 10 4	1 16 8	1 13 8	62 2 2
36th ..	3 10 4	1 15 8	1 14 8	60 7 6
37th ..	3 10 4	1 14 8	1 15 8	58 11 10
38th ..	3 10 4	1 13 8	1 16 8	56 15 2
39th ..	3 10 4	1 12 8	1 17 8	54 17 6
40th ..	3 10 4	1 11 7	1 18 9	52 18 9
41st ..	3 10 4	1 10 5	1 19 11	50 18 10
42nd ..	3 10 4	1 9 3	2 1 1	48 17 9
43rd ..	3 10 4	1 8 1	2 2 3	46 15 6
44th ..	3 10 4	1 6 11	2 3 5	44 12 1
45th ..	3 10 4	1 5 8	2 4 8	42 7 5
46th ..	3 10 4	1 4 4	2 6 0	40 1 5
47th ..	3 10 4	1 3 0	2 7 4	37 14 1
48th ..	3 10 4	1 1 8	2 8 8	35 5 5
49th ..	3 10 4	1 0 3	2 10 1	32 15 4
50th ..	3 10 4	0 18 10	2 11 6	30 3 10
51st ..	3 10 4	0 17 4	2 13 0	27 10 10
52nd ..	3 10 4	0 15 10	2 14 6	24 16 4
53rd ..	3 10 4	0 14 3	2 16 1	22 0 3
54th ..	3 10 4	0 12 8	2 17 8	19 2 7
55th ..	3 10 4	0 11 0	2 19 4	16 3 3
56th ..	3 10 4	0 9 4	3 1 0	13 2 3
57th ..	3 10 4	0 7 6	3 2 10	9 19 5
58th ..	3 10 4	0 5 9	3 4 7	6 14 10
59th ..	3 10 4	0 3 10	3 6 6	3 8 4
60th ..	3 10 4	0 2 0	3 8 4	..

TABLE C.

AMOUNT of PRINCIPAL and INTEREST payable during each Period of Six Months for every £100 of Unpaid Purchase-money or Loan at 5½ per Centum Interest for a Period of Twenty-five Years and a Half.

Half-year.	Half-yearly Instalment.	Apportioned thus :		Balance of Principal owing.
		On Account of Interest at 5½ per Cent.	On Account of Principal.	
1st ..	£ s. d. 3 15 3	£ s. d. 2 17 6	£ s. d. 0 17 9	£ s. d. 99 2 3
2nd ..	3 15 3	2 17 0	0 18 3	98 4 0
3rd ..	3 15 3	2 16 6	0 18 9	97 5 3
4th ..	3 15 3	2 15 11	0 19 4	96 5 11
5th ..	3 15 3	2 15 5	0 19 10	95 6 1
6th ..	3 15 3	2 14 10	1 0 5	94 5 8
7th ..	3 15 3	2 14 3	1 1 0	93 4 8
8th ..	3 15 3	2 13 8	1 1 7	92 3 1
9th ..	3 15 3	2 13 0	1 2 3	91 0 10
10th ..	3 15 3	2 12 4	1 2 11	89 17 11
11th ..	3 15 3	2 11 9	1 3 6	88 14 5
12th ..	3 15 3	2 11 1	1 4 2	87 10 3
13th ..	3 15 3	2 10 4	1 4 11	86 5 4
14th ..	3 15 3	2 9 7	1 5 8	84 19 8
15th ..	3 15 3	2 8 11	1 6 4	83 13 4
16th ..	3 15 3	2 8 2	1 7 1	82 6 3
17th ..	3 15 3	2 7 4	1 7 11	80 18 4
18th ..	3 15 3	2 6 7	1 8 8	79 9 8
19th ..	3 15 3	2 5 9	1 9 6	78 0 2
20th ..	3 15 3	2 4 11	1 10 4	76 9 10
21st ..	3 15 3	2 4 0	1 11 3	74 18 7
22nd ..	3 15 3	2 3 1	1 12 2	73 6 5
23rd ..	3 15 3	2 2 2	1 13 1	71 13 4
24th ..	3 15 3	2 1 3	1 14 0	69 19 4
25th ..	3 15 3	2 0 3	1 15 0	68 4 4
26th ..	3 15 3	1 19 3	1 16 0	66 8 4
27th ..	3 15 3	1 18 3	1 17 0	64 11 4
28th ..	3 15 3	1 17 2	1 18 1	62 13 3
29th ..	3 15 3	1 16 1	1 19 2	60 14 1
30th ..	3 15 3	1 14 11	2 0 4	58 13 9
31st ..	3 15 3	1 13 9	2 1 6	56 12 3
32nd ..	3 15 3	1 12 7	2 2 8	54 9 7
33rd ..	3 15 3	1 11 4	2 3 11	52 5 8
34th ..	3 15 3	1 10 1	2 5 2	50 0 6
35th ..	3 15 3	1 8 9	2 6 6	47 14 0
36th ..	3 15 3	1 7 5	2 7 10	45 6 2
37th ..	3 15 3	1 6 1	2 9 2	42 17 0
38th ..	3 15 3	1 4 8	2 10 7	40 6 5
39th ..	3 15 3	1 3 3	2 12 0	37 14 5
40th ..	3 15 3	1 1 9	2 13 6	35 0 11
41st ..	3 15 3	1 0 2	2 15 1	32 5 10
42nd ..	3 15 3	0 18 7	2 16 8	29 9 2
43rd ..	3 15 3	0 17 0	2 18 3	26 10 11
44th ..	3 15 3	0 15 3	3 0 0	23 10 11
45th ..	3 15 3	0 13 7	3 1 8	20 9 3
46th ..	3 15 3	0 11 9	3 3 6	17 5 9
47th ..	3 15 3	0 10 0	3 5 3	14 0 6
48th ..	3 15 3	0 8 1	3 7 2	10 13 4
49th ..	3 15 3	0 6 2	3 9 1	7 4 3
50th ..	3 15 3	0 4 2	3 11 1	3 13 2
51st ..	3 15 3	0 2 1	3 13 2	..

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

Authorizing the Waitomo Electric-power Board to construct Electric Works.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present :

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by section forty-nine of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, 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 Waitomo Electric-power Board to erect electric lines as shown on the plans marked P.W.D. 64698, 64699, and 64700, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and such further lines as may from time to time be required in the Waitomo Electric-power District and outer area of such district as hereinafter defined; transformers and substations for the transmission and distribution of electrical energy in the Waitomo Electric-power District and outer area of such district, as defined by Proclamation dated the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 14, of the sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, subject to the following conditions.

CONDITIONS.

1. No electric lines shall be used for the distribution of electrical energy until the Waitomo Electric-power Board has obtained a license for such purpose in accordance with the provisions of section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911.
2. Any conditions inserted in such license shall be strictly complied with by such Board.
3. Such Board shall forward for the approval of the Minister of Public Works such further plans and particulars as the Minister of Public Works may from time to time require.
4. The Board shall not, without the consent in writing of the Minister of Public Works, erect any electric lines along the routes of the Government main-trunk transmission-lines.
5. The works hereby authorized shall be constructed so as to comply with the regulations made under section 2 of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, dated the 9th day of October, 1922, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 12th day of the same month, or any regulations made in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof, which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein.
6. The Board shall substantially complete the works hereby authorized within a period of three years from the date of this license, or within such further time as the Minister may allow in the event of the work being delayed by strikes, lock-outs, breakdowns, or other unavoidable causes not due to any neglect by the Board.

F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.
(P.W. 26/980.)

Apportionment of Representation on the Wellington Hospital Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by subsection two of section eleven of the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, it is enacted that the Governor-General may from time to time, whenever in his opinion it becomes necessary so to do, amend any provisions made by him with respect to the representation of the contributory districts in a hospital district:

And whereas it is necessary that provision should be made for the representation of the Borough of Upper Hutt upon the Wellington Hospital Board:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, and in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authority conferred upon him by the Hospitals and Charitable Institutions Act, 1909, doth hereby determine that the Borough of Upper Hutt and the Hutt County shall be a combined district for the purposes of the said Act, and that the number of representatives of the said combined district on the Wellington Hospital Board shall be one, and the Hutt County Council is hereby declared to be the principal contributory local authority of the said combined district; and it is hereby further declared that the first election of a representative for the said combined district shall take place on the twelfth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and the present representative of the Hutt County shall continue in office until that date; and it is hereby further declared that the regulations made by Order in Council of date the ninth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, published in the *Gazette* on the twenty-second day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, at page 773, shall apply, *mutatis mutandis*, to the said combined district and to the representation thereof on the Wellington Hospital Board.

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

Consenting to the Raising of Loans by certain Local Authorities.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present :

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

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Manawatu Drainage Board (for drainage-works) ..	5,000
Hamilton Borough Council (for the construction of waterworks and sewers) ..	18,400
Woodville County Council (for contribution to the Manawatu Gorge Board of Control) ..	870
Foxton Borough Council (for the completion of water-supply and drainage-works) ..	850
Inglewood County Council (for completing the metalling of Otaraoa Road) ..	75

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

Consent to exercise by Chief Judge of Power of Amendment.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by subsection eight of section seven of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1922, it is enacted that in all cases where an order is dated more than five years previously to the

receipt of the application, the Chief Judge of the Native Land Court shall first obtain the consent of the Governor-General in Council before making any order thereunder:

And whereas application has been made under the said section to amend an order of the Native Land Court dated the fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, determining the ownership of Pohautea Block.

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the Chief Judge exercising with regard to the said recited order of the fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, all and every the jurisdiction granted to him by the said section seven, but only in so far as such order affects the definition of relative interests of the persons found entitled as owners of the said Pohautea Block, and to the making of any such order thereunder as may seem necessary or expedient.

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

Declaring a Road, in the Otorohanga County, to be a County Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 road described in the Schedule hereto shall, on and after the date of this Order in Council, become a county road.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that road known as the Access Road to Section 9, Block VIII, Mangaorongo Survey District, in the Auckland Land District, Otorohanga County, commencing at its junction with the Maihihi-Mangatutu Stream Road, and proceeding thence generally in a north-easterly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections 4 and 6, Rangitoto A 21B 2, Block VIII, Mangaorongo Survey District, and terminating at the junction of the western boundary of Rangitoto Part A 24B, A 23, and the southern boundary of Crown Land Block VIII, Mangaorongo Survey District; being a distance of 76 chains, more or less. As the said road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65986, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
(P.W. 37/284.) Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 the Kohua Road, in the Taranaki Land District, Waitomo County, commencing at its junction with the Tikitiki Road and proceeding thence generally in a south-westerly direction, adjoining or passing through Sections 5, 4s, 5s, and 61o 2r 3, Block VIII, Totoro Survey District, and Sections 5 and 61c, Section 2, Block VII, and Section 3, Block VIII, and part Section 2, Block XI, Totoro Survey District, and terminating at a point about 30 chains south-westwards by the road from the eastern boundary of the said Section 2, Block XI, Totoro Survey District; being a distance of 3 miles 56 chains, more or less. As the said portion of road is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65978, 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. 37 102.)

Declaring a Public Highway in the No. 16 Highway District to be a Main Highway.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 section three of the Main Highways Act, 1922, 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 declare that on and after the date of gazetting of this Order in Council the public highway mentioned in the Schedule hereto shall be a main highway within the meaning and for the purpose of the Main Highways Act, 1922.

SCHEDULE.

ALEXANDRA-Clyde Main Highway: All that road known as the Alexandra-Clyde Road, commencing at its junction with the Clarksville-Springvale Main Highway, near Alexandra, and proceeding thence generally in a westerly and northerly direction via Earnsclough Flat, Clutha River Bridge, near Clyde and Coquet Street, Clyde, and terminating at its junction with the Palmerston-Queenstown (via Becks) Main Highway at the intersection of Cheviot and Sunderland Streets, Clyde, passing through the Vincent County; being a distance of 7 miles 50 chains, more or less. As the said public highway is more particularly delineated on the plan marked M.H. 39, deposited in the office of the Main Highways Board at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue.

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

Declaring a Portion of a Main Highway in Highway District No. 16, Maniototo County, to be a Government Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 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.

PALMERSTON-Queenstown via Becks: All that portion of the main highway known as the Palmerston-Queenstown (via Beck's) Main Highway, commencing at the boundary of the Maniototo County at the Shag River, and proceeding thence generally in a north-westerly and westerly direction, and terminating at its junction with the branch road forming the boundary between Sections 13 and 19, Block IV, Swinburn Survey District, passing through the County of Maniototo; being a distance of 6 miles 10 chains, more or less: marked C-D on plan. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked M.H. 39, deposited in the office of the Main Highways Board at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured blue and marked as above mentioned.

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

Havelock Street and Blake Street, in the Borough of Otahuhu, 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.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Otahuhu Borough Council on the seventeenth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, viz.:-

"That the Otahuhu Borough Council, being the local authority having control of Havelock and Blake Streets, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to such streets";

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street situated in the North Auckland Land District (Borough of Otahuhu), known as Havelock Street, adjoining Lots 8 and 9 and part Lot 12, D.P. 6623, Block VI, Otahuhu Survey District.

Also all that street situated in the said land district and borough known as Blake Street, extending between Havelock Street and Edward Street.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 64218, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured burnt sienna and edged red.

F. D. THOMSON,
(P.W. 51/913.) Clerk of the Executive Council.

Strange, Edward, and Thomas Streets, in the Borough of Otahuhu, 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.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Otahuhu Borough Council on the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, viz.:-

"That the Otahuhu Borough Council, being the local authority having control of Strange, Edward, and Thomas Streets, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to such streets";

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

SCHEDULE.

ALL that street situated in the North Auckland Land District (Borough of Otahuhu) known as Strange Street, adjoining Lots 3 and 4, D.P. 18782 and part Lot 8, D.P. 6623, Block VI, Otahuhu Survey District.

Also that street in the said land district and borough known as Edward Street, extending from Cameron Street to the Tamaki River.

Also all that street in the said land district and borough known as Thomas Street, extending from Edward Street to the Tamaki River.

As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 64218, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured burnt sienna and edged red.

F. D. THOMSON,
(P.W. 51/882.) Clerk of the Executive Council.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to the western side of all that portion of Finnimore Terrace, beginning at a point approximately 240 links from its junction with Dransfield Street, and extending for a distance of 598 links, being the part of road fronting Lots 295, 296, and 297, 298 and 299, D.P. 52, Vogeltown, being part Section 15, Ohiro District";

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 Finnimore Terrace (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 Wellington Land District, City of Wellington, known as Finnimore Terrace, fronting Allotments 295, 296, 297, 298, and 299, Township of Vogeltown, D.P. 52, being part Section 15, Ohiro District. As the said portion of street is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65666, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

F. D. THOMSON,
(P.W. 51/590.) Clerk of the Executive Council.

Regulations under the Health Act for the Control of Hairdressers' Shops.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT,

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present :

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Health Act, 1920, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of that Dominion, doth hereby make the following regulations prescribing the conditions for the control of hairdressers' shops :—

1. (1.) These regulations may be cited as the Hairdressers' (Health) Regulations, 1926.

(2.) In these regulations—

“Hairdresser's shop” means premises in which any person carries on the business of hairdresser for payment, fee, hire, or reward :

“Minister” means the Minister of Health.

2. These regulations shall be in force from the date hereof in the districts and defined portions of districts set out in the Schedule hereto, and may, by subsequent Order in Council, be brought into force in any other district or defined portion of a district of any local authority as from such date as is specified in that behalf in such Order in Council.

3. In any district or defined portion of a district in which these regulations are for the time being in force, it shall not be lawful for any person to use any premises as a hairdresser's shop unless those premises are registered as such under these regulations within six months after the coming into force of these regulations in such district or defined portion of a district.

4. Application for the registration of any premises as a hairdresser's shop shall be made to the local authority in writing under the hand of the person proposing to use such premises as a hairdresser's shop or under the hand of his authorized agent, and shall give such particulars as the local authority may in any case require.

5. (1.) On the receipt of an application for the registration of any premises as a hairdresser's shop the local authority, on being satisfied that the premises are in accordance with these regulations, shall register the premises as a hairdresser's shop, and shall issue to the applicant a certificate of registration.

(2.) With regard to such registration and to the certificate of registration the following provisions shall apply :—

(a.) The local authority shall keep a record of all registered premises, and such record shall show in each case the name of the applicant and the name of the proprietor or manager or other person responsible for the management of the premises as a hairdresser's shop, together with the date of registration, the date of any renewal or transfer of registration, and the position and description of such premises.

(b.) Such record of registered premises shall be available at all reasonable times for inspection by any officer of the Department of Health.

(c.) Every registration shall terminate each year on such date as the local authority may by resolution decide, and shall be renewable annually on application being made to the local authority in like manner as an application for original registration.

(d.) The local authority may at any time during the currency of any registration transfer the registration so as to apply to any other person or premises ; and in the event of any proposed change of the proprietorship or management of the premises or any other alteration affecting the particulars of registration the person responsible shall make application to the local authority to have such alteration recorded in the record of registration and endorsed on the certificate of registration.

- (e.) Every certificate of registration shall show the name of the proprietor or manager or other person responsible for the management of the hairdresser's shop, together with the date of registration or renewal of registration, and the position and description of the premises, and any alterations as referred to in the last preceding paragraph.
- (f.) A fresh certificate of registration shall be issued on every renewal of registration and the certificate shall be posted conspicuously in a part of the premises to which the public have access.

(3.) If it appears that any premises registered as a hairdresser's shop are not being kept or conducted in accordance with any of the provisions of these regulations, the local authority, after giving due notice in writing of its intention so to do, and of the grounds of such intention, to the proprietor or manager or other person responsible for the management of the said shop, and after affording a reasonable opportunity to such person of meeting the grounds stated in such notice, may, on being satisfied that such premises are, on the grounds stated as aforesaid, not being kept or conducted in accordance with any of the provisions of these regulations, cancel the registration then current or refuse to renew any registration which has terminated; but no such cancellation or refusal shall prevent the making of a fresh application by the same or any other person for the registration of the said premises. The local authority shall give notice in writing of such cancellation or refusal to the proprietor or manager or other person responsible for the management of the said shop.

6. Every person who carries on trade as a hairdresser or uses any premises as a hairdresser's shop shall provide on the premises used for that purpose a sufficient supply of hot and cold water and such appliances and materials as may be necessary to enable persons employed in or about such premises to comply with these regulations.

7. Every person who carries on trade as a hairdresser or uses any premises as a hairdresser's shop shall keep the premises in which the trade is carried on and the furniture and appliances used in such trade at all times in a cleanly condition.

8. Every person commits an offence who knowingly employs in any hairdresser's shop any person who is suffering from a communicable disease.

9. Every person commits an offence who, while to his own knowledge suffering from a communicable disease, acts as a hairdresser.

10. Every person who carries on the trade of a hairdresser, and every person employed by him as such, commits an offence if he fails to carry out any of the following directions for the protection of his customers from infection by any communicable diseases, that is to say—

- (a.) He shall cause all brushes, combs, hair, dusters, scissors, clippers, gowns, and like articles to be kept at all times in a scrupulously clean condition.
- (b.) He shall not use in the service of any person any razor, shaving-brush, or shaving-mug unless such razor, shaving-brush, or shaving-mug has been cleansed in boiling water or sterilized in disinfecting solution subsequent to having been used in the service of any other person.
- (c.) He shall not use on any person any towel or wash-cloth which has not been cleansed in boiling water since having been used in the service of any other person.
- (d.) He shall ensure that his hands and clothing are clean before beginning to perform the services of a barber on any person.
- (e.) He shall not apply to the skin of any person any lather or any sponge or cotton wool or powder-puff which has already been applied to the skin of any other person, and he shall not apply any styptic pencil or crystal to the skin of any person unless such pencil or crystal has been dipped in boiling water immediately prior to such application.
- (f.) He shall sterilize by boiling for twenty minutes or by immersion for thirty minutes in a solution of formaldehyde (one part of formalin and sixteen parts of water) any brush and any mug which has been used in the process of shaving any person whose skin is inflamed or suppurating, and shall disinfect by immersion either in boiling water or in a disinfectant solution approved by the Medical Officer of Health any razor, clippers, scissors, or other sharp instrument which has been applied to an inflamed or suppurating surface.

11. The penalty for a breach of, or for an offence against any of these regulations shall be a fine not exceeding ten pounds.

SCHEDULE.

THE following cities and boroughs :—

Whangarei.	Napier.	Westport.
Takapuna.	Hastings.	Greymouth.
Devonport.	Dannevirke.	Christchurch.
Auckland.	New Plymouth.	New Brighton.
Avondale.	Stratford.	Lyttelton.
Newmarket.	Hawera.	Timaru.
Mount Eden.	Wanganui.	Dunedin.
Mount Albert.	Feilding.	St. Kilda.
Onehunga.	Palmerston North.	Gore.
Otahuhu.	Masterton.	Invercargill.
Hamilton.	Lower Hutt.	Riccarton.
Waihi.	Petone.	Sumner.
Thames.	Wellington.	Ashburton.
Rotorua.	Blenheim.	Oamaru.
Gisborne.	Nelson.	

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

Revoking an Order in Council made on the 20th October, 1916 (taking certain Land in the Island of Rarotonga, Cook Islands, for the Purposes of the Burial of the Dead), as to an Area of such Land, containing approximately 4 acres 2 roods.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 20th day of April, 1926.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by section three hundred and fifty-eight of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, it is provided that the Governor-General may revoke an Order in Council taking land :

And whereas by an Order in Council made on the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, certain land in the Island of Rarotonga, Cook Islands, containing seventeen acres, more or less, and described in the said Order in Council, was taken for the purposes of the burial of the dead :

And whereas it has been found that part of the land so taken (as described in the Schedule hereto) is not required for the purpose for which it was taken :

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, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by section three hundred and fifty-eight of the Cook Islands Act, 1915, and of every other power and authority enabling him in this behalf, doth hereby revoke the said Order in Council made on the twentieth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, as to the part of the land thereby affected which is described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that parcel of land situate in the Island of Rarotonga, Cook Islands, containing 4 acres 2 roods, be the same a little more or less, bounded as follows : Commencing at point " C " on the plan herein-after mentioned, being at the east side of Nikao Creek where it intersects the north side of the Main Road, thence easterly along the north side of the Main Road, 23½ chains, to point " D " on the extension of the boundary between Sections 104A and 104B, Areamu ; thence northerly along such extended boundary 3½ chains to point " B " at high-water mark ; thence westerly along the line of high-water mark to point " A " on the east side of the Nikao Creek ; thence southerly along Nikao Creek to the point of commencement. As the said parcel of land is delineated and edged green on the plan numbered 16, signed by the Resident Commissioner of Rarotonga, and deposited in the office of the Registrar of the High Court of the Cook Islands at Rarotonga.

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

Investment of Part of Balances in the Post Office Account in certain Securities.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 section ninety-one of the Public Revenues Act, 1910, 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 that debentures and coupons issued or to be issued by the Waitomo County Council in respect of moneys which the said Council is by law authorized to borrow are securities in which it shall be lawful to invest any part of the balances in the Post Office Account; provided that no greater sum than five thousand pounds in all shall be so invested under the authority of this Order in Council.

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

Consenting to stopping a Road in Block III, Kaihu Survey District, Hobson County.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Hobson County Council stopping the road described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	2	15	Opanake Ia.
0	0	36.2	„ 2M No. 2.

Situated in Block III, Kaihu Survey District (North Auckland R.D.).

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65608, 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. 34/766/1.)

License authorizing the Tauranga Electric-power Board to use Electric Lines within the Tauranga Electric-power District and Outer Area of such District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 20th day of April, 1926.

Present:

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, 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—subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, and to the regulations made under section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and dated the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twelfth day of the same month, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution thereof (and hereinafter collectively referred to as “the regulations”), and which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein—hereby authorize the Tauranga Electric-power Board, duly constituted under the provisions of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918 (hereinafter with its successors and assigns referred to as “the licensee”), to use electric lines for power, lighting, heating, or other uses within the Tauranga Electric-power District and outer area of such district, as defined by Proclamation dated the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 52, of the fourteenth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three; such electric lines at present proposed to be used being indicated on the plan marked P.W.D. 62900, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

SCHEDULE.

1. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

ELECTRICAL energy shall be received in bulk from the Tauranga Borough Council or from the Minister.

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

The transmission voltage shall be approximately 11,000 volts between phases. The primary distribution voltage shall be approximately 6,600 volts and 3,300 volts between phases, and the secondary distribution voltage shall be approximately 400 volts between phases and 230 volts between any phase and neutral.

2. DURATION OF LICENSE.

This license shall, unless sooner determined in accordance with the provisions hereinafter expressed, continue in force for a period of forty-two years from the date hereof. Upon the expiry of the said term, or upon the sooner determination of this license by revocation or otherwise, all rights hereby granted to the licensee shall cease and determine; but such expiration or determination shall not relieve the licensee of any liability theretofore incurred under this license.

3. CHARGES FOR ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

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

In the case of wholesale supply the charge shall not exceed £16 per kilovolt-ampere per year plus ½d. per unit. “Wholesale supply” for this purpose shall be held to be a supply in respect of which the consumer shall guarantee to pay not less than £180 per year.

A minimum charge of 7s. 6d. per month, including meter rent (if any), may be collected if required by the licensee, and shall be printed on the licensee’s conditions of supply.

4. ROUTES RESERVED FOR GOVERNMENT LINES.

The licensee shall not, without the consent in writing of the Minister of Public Works, erect any electric lines along the routes of the Government main trunk transmission-lines.

5. LOCATION OF OVERHEAD LINES.

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

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

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

7. TELEGRAPH-LINES.

The licensee shall rectify to the satisfaction of the Minister of Railways or the Minister of Telegraphs any interference or disturbance caused by the erection or operation of the licensee's system that affects the satisfactory working of the telegraph-lines which are the property of the Railway Department or the Telegraph Department and which were erected prior to the licensee's lines.

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

(P.W. 26/1115/1.)

Licensing Orry Richard Hope, Frederick Peter Archer, Robert Charles Harvey, and Henry Francis Brown, as Trustees, to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore of Elaine Bay, Pelorus Sound, as a Site for a Wharf.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present :

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

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the second day of November, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 99, of the seventeenth day of the same month, Herbert Rudstone Brown, Orry Richard Hamilton Hope, Edward Harvey, and David Alexander Stuart were licensed to occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark of Elaine Bay, Pelorus Sound, for the purpose of using and maintaining thereon a wharf, erected in accordance with plans marked M.D. 3589 (two sheets), and deposited in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington, for a period of fourteen years from the second day of November, one thousand nine hundred and ten :

And whereas the said license has expired, and Orry Richard Hope, Frederick Peter Archer, Robert Charles Harvey, and Henry Francis Brown, as trustees for the inhabitants of the district (who with their executors, administrators, and assigns are hereinafter called "the licensees") have made application for a fresh license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a further term of fourteen years, computed from the expiry of the term of the said last-mentioned license, and it is expedient to grant the same for the term and subject to the conditions hereinafter expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and 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 by 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, and of the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto, which is particularly shown and delineated on the plans so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of using the wharf aforesaid, in connection therewith, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensees upon and subject to the terms and conditions set out 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 the parts of the foreshore and the land below low-water mark necessary for the said wharf, as shown on the plans marked M.D. 3589

and deposited in the office of the Marine Department as aforesaid.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this Order in Council the licensees shall pay to the Minister an annual sum of one shilling, payable on demand.

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

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

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

7. Any person authorized by the Minister may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the said wharf, and view the state of repair thereof; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensees in New Zealand a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such wharf, 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 any regulations of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1923, or its amendments or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

9. The ballast of all vessels loading at the said wharf 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 in force for the term of fourteen years, computed from the 22nd day of November, 1924, 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 previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

11. The said rights, powers, and privileges may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General, without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the 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 any structure on the said premises may cause any vessel or boat to sustain through any default or neglect on the part of the licensees.

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 wharf for a period of thirty days;
- (3.) Become bankrupt, or be in any manner brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy; or
- (4.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clause 3 of these conditions,—

then and in any such case this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the 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, right, 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 wharf entirely from the site and restore the site to its original condition within three months from the date of revocation or expiry, as the case may be; and if the licensees fail so to do, the Minister may cause the said wharf to be removed and the site so restored, and may recover the costs incurred by the said removal and restoration from the licensees.

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

Licensing the Dargaville Rowing Club to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore on the Kaihu Creek, Northern Wairoa River, in Kaipara Harbour, as a Site for a Slipway.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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, the Dargaville Rowing Club (who with its successors 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 Kaihu Creek, Northern Wairoa River, in Kaipara Harbour, as a site for a slipway, to be built in the position and in accordance with plan marked M.D. 6136 (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 slipway is to be erected, as shown on the plan M.D. 6136, deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of maintaining the said structures thereon, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. IN these conditions the term—

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

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

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to the part of the foreshore occupied by the said slipway as shown on the plan marked M.D. 6136 (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 £1, in advance, payable on the 1st day of April each year, the proportionate part of such rental in respect of the period from the date hereof until the 31st of March following to be paid on the 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 slipway without payment.

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

6. Any person authorized by the Minister may at all reasonable times enter upon the said slipway and view the state of repair thereof ; and upon such Minister leaving at or posting to the last known address of the licensee in New Zea-

land a notice in writing of any defect or want of repair in such slipway, requiring the licensee, within a reasonable time to be therein prescribed, to repair the same, the licensee shall with all convenient speed cause such defect to be removed or such repairs to be made.

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

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

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

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

11. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them ;
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said slipway 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.

12. 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 slipway entirely from the site, and restore the site to its original condition within three months from the date of revocation or expiry, as the case may be ; and, if the licensee fail so to do, the Minister may cause the said slipway to be removed and the site so restored, and may recover the costs incurred by the said removal and restoration from the licensee.

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

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

Variation of an Order in Council prohibiting Alienation of certain Native land.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926

Present :

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

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made thereunder may be at any time varied or revoked :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby vary an Order in Council

dated the twenty-ninth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, as extended by Order in Council dated the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, and made under the said section one hundred and thirty-two, regarding the Ahomataraki 2B and other blocks set out in the Schedule thereto by excluding and excepting from prohibition of alienation the land called or known as Puhunga 2.

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

Variation of an Order in Council prohibiting Alienation of certain Native Land.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present:

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

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-two of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made thereunder may be at any time varied or revoked:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby vary an Order in Council dated the eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eleventh day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and made under the said section one hundred and thirty-two, regarding the Akuaku East 3A and other blocks set out in the Schedule thereto, by excluding and excepting from prohibition of alienation the lands set out in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AKUAKU WEST 4B 6; Totaranui 4A, 4B, and 3B 3 (part); Waihuka No. 1; Ngawahakatutu No. 4.

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

Partial Revocation of Order in Council prohibiting all Alienation of certain Native Land other than Alienation in favour of the Crown.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present:

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

WHEREAS by section three hundred and sixty-three of the Native Land Act, 1909, it is enacted that any Order in Council made under that section may at any time be varied or revoked:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority hereinbefore mentioned, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby revoke the Order in Council referred to in Part I of the Schedule hereto, but only in so far as it affects the land mentioned in Part II of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

ORDER in Council under section 363 of the Native Land Act, 1909, dated the 28th day of March, 1924, and published in

the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 10th day of April, 1924, as extended by Orders in Council dated the 2nd day of March, 1924, and the 25th day of August, 1925, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 5th day of March, 1925, and the 27th day of August, 1925, respectively, affecting Waitekaha 4B and other blocks.

PART II.

Ngawahakatutu 2 Block, Waiapu, Mangaoporo, Mata, and Waipiro Survey Districts: Approximate area, 3,976 acres 3 roods 1 perch.

Manutahi 2B 2 Block, Mangaoporo and Mata Survey Districts: Approximate area, 411 acres 0 roods 30 perches.

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

License authorizing the Waitomo Electric-power Board to use Electric Lines within the Waitomo Electric-power District and Outer Area of such District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present:

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, 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—subject to the conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto, and to the regulations made under section two of the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and dated the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twelfth day of the same month, or any regulations hereafter made in amendment thereof or in substitution therefor (and hereinafter collectively referred to as “the regulations”), and which regulations shall be deemed to be incorporated herein—hereby authorize the Waitomo Electric-power Board, duly constituted under the provisions of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918 (hereinafter with its successors and assigns referred to as “the licensee”), to use electric lines for power, lighting, heating, or other uses within the Waitomo Electric-power District and outer area of such district as defined by Proclamation dated the third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 14, of the sixth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, such electric-lines at present proposed to be used being indicated on the plans marked P.W.D. 64698, 64699, and 64700, and deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District.

SCHEDULE.

1. SYSTEM OF SUPPLY.

ELECTRICAL energy shall be received in bulk from the Public Works Department, at a point within the Waitomo Electric-power District at Hangatiki.

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

The primary distribution voltage shall be approximately 11,000 volts between phases and the secondary distribution voltage shall be approximately 400 volts between phases and 230 volts between any phase and neutral.

2. DURATION OF LICENSE.

This license shall, unless sooner determined in accordance with the provisions hereinafter expressed, continue in force for a period of forty-two years from the date hereof. Upon the expiry of the said term, or upon the sooner determination of this license by revocation or otherwise, all rights hereby granted to the licensee shall cease and determine; but such expiration or determination shall not relieve the licensee of any liability theretofore incurred under this license.

3. CHARGES FOR ELECTRICAL ENERGY.

The charges for electrical energy shall not exceed 1s. per unit for lighting purposes, and 6d. per unit for motor-power, heating, or cooking purposes; provided that “lighting pur-

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

In the case of wholesale supply the charge shall not exceed £16 per kilovolt-ampere per year plus ½d. per unit. "Wholesale supply" for this purpose shall be held to be a supply in respect of which the consumer shall guarantee to pay not less than £180 per year.

A minimum charge of 7s. 6d. per month, including meter rent (if any), may be collected if required by the licensee, and shall be printed on the licensee's conditions of supply.

4. CONDITIONS AS TO CHANGE-OVER.

In terms of section 129 of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1925, the following provisions shall apply in the Borough of Te Kuiti in respect to the allocation of the cost of adjusting, altering, or replacing installations consequent on the change over to the system of distribution as prescribed by clause 1 of these conditions.

Consumers' installations shall be classified as follows:—

- (i.) Class A: Installations in which the wiring is found to be in accordance with the requirements of the license issued to the Te Kuiti Borough Council by Order in Council dated the 4th day of August, 1913, and published in the *Gazette* on the 7th day of the same month, and in accordance with the rules of the New Zealand Fire Underwriters' Association relating to electric wiring, and only require alterations necessitated by the change in system.
- (ii.) Class B: Installations in which the wiring is found to be defective under the requirements of the aforesaid license or the aforesaid rules of the New Zealand Fire Underwriters' Association.
- (iii.) Class C: Installations in which the wiring is worn out and under any conditions of supply would require to be rewired within a short period.

The cost consequent on the change-over shall be allocated between the licensee and the consumers in the following manner according to the class of the installation:—

- (i.) Class A: The whole of the cost shall be paid by the licensee: Provided always that in the case of extensions and alterations which have not been authorized by the licensee the cost of alterations thereto shall be borne by the consumer.
- (ii.) Class B: The cost of removing all defects shall be paid by the consumer, and the cost of alteration due to change in system shall be paid by the licensee.
- (iii.) Class C: The whole cost shall be paid by the consumer.

All work required to be done pursuant to the change-over in connection with installations of classes A and B shall, unless otherwise agreed between the licensee and the consumer, be carried out by the licensee.

All moneys expended by the licensee for this purpose shall, in cases where the consumer may be liable, be a charge on the premises of the consumer and recoverable accordingly. Provision may be made for consumers who do not desire to pay in full at the time of the alterations to pay instalments due with their regular accounts for the supply of electricity.

In case of any dispute arising in respect of matters affected by this clause between the licensee and a consumer a Board of Appeal (whose decision shall be final) shall be set up to decide such dispute, which Board of Appeal shall consist of the following:—

- (i.) One representative appointed by the licensee;
- (ii.) One representative appointed by the consumer on whose premises the alterations are necessary;
- (iii.) The Stipendiary Magistrate for the district, who shall be Chairman.

5. ROUTES RESERVED FOR GOVERNMENT LINES.

The licensee shall not, without the consent in writing of the Minister of Public Works, erect any electric lines along the routes of the Government main trunk transmission-lines.

6. LOCATION OF OVERHEAD LINES.

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

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

Notwithstanding anything herein contained, the licensee shall bear the cost of converting the Railway or Post and

Telegraph Department's lines which are now erected from earth-working to metallic, if such conversion is required by the Minister of Railways or the Minister of Telegraphs owing to electrical interference arising from the licensee's lines.

8. TELEGRAPH-LINES.

The licensee shall rectify to the satisfaction of the Minister of Railways or the Minister of Telegraphs any interference or disturbance caused by the erection or operation of the licensee's system that affects the satisfactory working of the telegraph-lines which are the property of the Railway Department or the Telegraph Department and which were erected prior to the licensee's lines.

9. BARE LINES.

Bare low-pressure electric lines may be erected on the poles carrying extra-high tension lines in the Borough of Te Kuiti and the Town District of Otorohanga, provided that such wires are insulated by the use of 4 ft. of rubber hose on each side of the pole at every crossing-place of telephone-wires. The rubber hose to be of one length at each crossing-place and securely fastened to the power wire and to the insulator. Any bare low-pressure electric lines already in existence in the Borough of Te Kuiti or the Town District of Otorohanga and erected in accordance with licenses previously issued may continue to be used in terms of such licenses. Any low-tension lines hereafter erected in such areas (whether or not such lines are on routes along which electric lines have already been erected) shall be erected in accordance with the regulations.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Wairoa Borough Council may borrow the Sum of £430 authorized to be raised for completing the Laying-out and Improvement of a Sports-ground at Lambton Square.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Wairoa Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of four thousand three hundred pounds for the provision of land and buildings and laying-out and improving a sports-ground at Lambton Square, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional sum of four hundred and thirty pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of completing the undertaking:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the said four hundred and thirty pounds may be borrowed be a term expiring on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Wairoa Borough Council may borrow the said sum of four hundred and thirty pounds shall be a term expiring on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, and the said Wairoa Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of four hundred and thirty pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Woodville County Council in respect of a Loan of £870 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of providing the Council's Proportion of the Additional Cost of reconstructing and widening the Manawatu Gorge Road.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 6th day of May, 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 Woodville County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of eight hundred and seventy pounds for the purpose of providing the Council's proportion of the additional cost of reconstructing and widening the Manawatu Gorge 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 Woodville County Council in respect of the said loan of eight hundred and seventy pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Woodville County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of eight hundred and seventy pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Uawa County Council may borrow the Sum of £14,035, being the Balance of a Loan of £104,455 authorized to be raised for Roads, Bridges, Machinery, &c., and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor General

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Uawa County Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of one hundred and four thousand four hundred and fifty-five pounds for roads, bridges, and machinery, *et cetera*, and is now desirous of raising the sum of fourteen thousand and thirty-five pounds, being the balance

of the loan of one hundred and four thousand four hundred and fifty-five pounds:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed be twenty years, and the rate of interest payable thereon 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 term for which the Uawa County Council may borrow the said fourteen thousand and thirty-five pounds shall be twenty years, and the rate of interest shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Uawa County Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of fourteen thousand and thirty-five pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Teviot Electric-power Board may borrow the Sum of £12,000 authorized to be raised for Electric Works.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Teviot Electric-power Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of twelve thousand pounds for electric 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 term for which the said twelve thousand pounds may be borrowed be sixteen years:

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

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Wairoa Borough Council may borrow the sum of £300, authorized to be raised for the Purpose of completing the River-protection Works.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Wairoa Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of three thousand pounds for river-protection works, and is now desirous of borrowing an additional sum of three thousand pounds under the authority of section eighteen of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of completing the undertaking:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the said three hundred pounds may be borrowed be a term expiring on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him as aforesaid, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby prescribe that the term for which the Wairoa Borough Council may borrow the said sum of three hundred pounds shall be a term expiring on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-one, and the said Wairoa Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of three hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Term for which the Hamilton Borough Council may borrow the Sum of £18,400 authorized to be raised for the Construction of Waterworks and Sewers, and also the Rate of Interest payable thereon.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Hamilton Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of eighteen thousand four hundred pounds for the construction of waterworks and sewers:

And whereas the Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven, and it is desired that the term for which the money may be borrowed by thirty-six and a half years, and the rate of interest payable thereon 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 term for which the Hamilton Borough Council may borrow the said eighteen thousand four hundred pounds shall be thirty-six and a half years, and the rate of interest that may be paid thereon shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Hamilton Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of eighteen thousand four hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Pahiatua Borough Council in respect of a Loan of £695 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of paying the Council's Contribution to the Manawatu Gorge Board of Control.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By His Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Pahiatua Borough Council has been authorized to borrow the sum of six hundred and ninety-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 Pahiatua Borough Council in respect of the said loan of six hundred and ninety-five pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Pahiatua Borough Council is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of six hundred and ninety-five pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Matamata Town Board in respect of a Loan of £1,000 authorized to be raised for the Purpose of financing Drainage Connections.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Matamata Town Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of one thousand pounds for the purpose of financing drainage connections:

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 Matamata Town 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 Matamata Town 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 Papatoetoe Town Board in respect of a Loan of £1,500 authorized to be raised for the Purchase of Recreation and Park Areas.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Papatoetoe Town Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of four thousand five hundred pounds for the purchase of recreation and park areas:

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 Papatoetoe Town Board in respect of the said loan of four thousand five hundred pounds shall be a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum, and the said Papatoetoe Town Board is hereby authorized to borrow the said sum of four thousand five hundred pounds accordingly.

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

Prescribing the Rate of Interest that may be paid by the Papatoetoe Town Board in respect of a Loan of £6,000 authorized to be raised for Road-improvements.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 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 Papatoetoe Town Board has been authorized to borrow the sum of six thousand pounds for road-improvements:

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

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

Prescribing the Term for and the Rate of Interest at which the Napier High School Board may borrow the Sum of £6,750 for the Purpose of building a School and Hostel in connection with the Napier Boys' High School.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,

CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present:

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

WHEREAS by the Napier High School Act, 1882, the property of the Napier Boys' High School is vested in a Board of Governors known by the name of the Napier High School Board:

And whereas by section ten of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, it is provided that the persons in whom for the time being is vested the real property of any high school shall be hereinafter in the said Act called "the Trustees":

And whereas by section seventeen of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and its amendments it is provided that the Trustees of any high school may from time to time, with the sanction of the Governor, borrow money on the security of the rents and profits of the lands vested in them, or of any part hereof, but that no money shall be borrowed as aforesaid at a higher rate of interest than five and a half per centum per annum:

And 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 part 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 Minister of Finance has given his precedent consent as required by the above-recited section eleven:

And whereas it is desired that the sum of six thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds shall be borrowed by the issue of debentures and the giving of debenture-trust deeds constituting the Public Trustee trustee for the debenture-holders for a term of fifteen years, on the security of the rents and profits from lands granted by or on behalf of His Majesty and vested in the Napier High School Board, interest on the said sum of six thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds to be payable at the rate of five pounds fifteen shillings 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 authorize the Napier High School Board to borrow the said sum of six thousand seven hundred and fifty pounds, and prescribe that the term of the loan shall be fifteen years, and the rate of interest which the Napier High School Board may pay on the loan shall be five pounds fifteen shillings per centum per annum.

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

Approving the Rate of Interest, the Term of Years, and the Conditions on which the Napier High School Board may borrow and the Public Trustee may lend the Sums of £12,500 and £2,500 for the Purpose of building a School and Hostel in connection with the Napier Boys' High School.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 6th day of May, 1926.

Present:

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

WHEREAS by subsection one of section one hundred and thirty-five of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1925, it is provided that for the purpose of building a school and hostel in connection with the Napier Boys' High School, the Napier High School Board, constituted under the Napier High School Act, 1882, may, with the consent of the Governor-General in Council, borrow from the Public Trustee, and the Public Trustee may lend to the said Board, out of the Common Fund of the Public Trust Office, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Public Trust Office Act, 1908, or its amendments, a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand pounds on the security of the rents and profits of all or any of the lands vested in or belonging to the said Board, at such rate of interest, for such term of years, and upon such conditions as the said Board and the Public Trustee may agree upon and the Governor-General approves:

And whereas by subsection two of the said section it is provided that if the Public Trustee shall grant the said loan, the instrument of instruments of security may be in such form, and may confer upon the Public Trustee such authorities, powers, and remedies for securing the repayment of the principal, interest, and other moneys intended to be secured thereby, and may contain such covenants, agreements, conditions, and provisions as the Public Trustee shall require; and in particular may empower the Public Trustee, in case of default in payment of any such moneys, or in the performance or observance of any of the said covenants, agreements, conditions, or provisions, to enter into possession of the said rents and profits, or to appoint a receiver thereof:

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 approve of the borrowing by the Napier High School Board from the Public Trustee and the lending by the Public Trustee to the said Board—

(a.) Of the sum of twelve thousand five hundred pounds (£12,500), repayable with interest thereon at six pounds (£6) per centum per annum by sixty half-yearly instalments of four hundred and fifty-one pounds eleven shillings and threepence (£451 11s. 3d.) each upon the security of the rents and profits of the Board's private endowments and generally upon the conditions set out in a certain deed of mortgage dated the fourteenth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and made between the Napier High School Board of the one part and the Public Trustee of the other part; and

(b.) Of the further sum of two thousand five hundred pounds (£2,500) or any less amount, repayable by sixty half-yearly instalments, together repayable with interest at the rate aforesaid, upon the security aforesaid, and generally upon the conditions aforesaid as and when the Public Trustee may see fit so to do.

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

Land vested in the Lower Hutt Borough Council for Recreation Purposes.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by subsection four of section eighty-seven of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal and Public Bodies Empowering Act, 1925, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, being satisfied that the transfer referred to in the said subsection has been duly effected, do hereby cancel the existing reservation for defence purposes over the land described in the Schedule hereto, and do further hereby declare the said land, as and from the day of the date hereof, to be vested in the Corporation of the Borough of Lower Hutt, in trust, for recreation purposes.

SCHEDULE.

ALL that area situated in the Borough of Lower Hutt, Wellington Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 roods 24·7 perches, more or less, being part Subdivision 3, Te Momi Block, part Section 20, Hutt Registration District, and being all the land comprised in certificate of title, Volume 149, folio 190, Wellington Registry.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 6th day of May, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Portobello Public Cemetery appointed.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the fifty-fifth section of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint the local authority specified in Part I of the Schedule hereto to have the control and management of the public cemetery specified in Part II of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

Part I.—Local Authority.

PORTOBELLO ROAD BOARD.

Part II.—Name of Public Cemetery and Description of Land.

PORTOBELLO.

PART Section 8, Block VI, Portobello Bay Survey District, Otago Land District: Area, 3 roods 18 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of May, 1926.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Appointing a Member of the Gisborne Harbour Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

By his Deputy,
CHARLES PERRIN SKERRETT.

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

And whereas Robert McDuff Birrell, a non-elective member of the Gisborne Harbour Board, has resigned his office, and an extraordinary vacancy in the membership of the Board has been created, and it is desirable to appoint a qualified person in his place:

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the hereinbefore-recited power and authority, doth hereby appoint

John Brassey Broadhurst

to be a member of the Gisborne Harbour Board, in the place of the said Robert McDuff Birrell, resigned.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of May, 1926.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

Appointment of Member of Board constituted under the Massey Burial-ground Act, 1925.

Prime Minister's Office,
Wellington, 21st April, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Frank George Massey, Esq., LL.B.,

to be a member of the Board constituted under section 5 of the Massey Burial-ground Act, 1925.

J. G. COATES, Prime Minister.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 7th May, 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.
Charles Danielson, of Brunswick ..	Wanganui.
Noel Herbert Shuckburg Hermon, of Patea	Hawera.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 11th May, 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 person has been appointed a Ranger under and for the purposes of that Act for the Taranaki Acclimatization District:—

Thomas Fischer, of Inglewood.

O. HAWKEN,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 8th May, 1926.

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

Noel Herbert Shuckburg Hermon, of Patea,
William Osborne Tilsley, of Tahuna,

to be officers for the purposes of Part II of the said Act.

RICHD F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Appointment of Consul-General of Italy at Melbourne recognized.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 8th May, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General directs it to be notified that, in accordance with instructions from His Majesty's Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, he has recognized, pending the receipt of the Exequatur, the appointment of

Comm. Nob. Antonio Grossardi

as Italian Consul-General at Melbourne, with jurisdiction over Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, and New Guinea.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Whakatane Harbour Board appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 3rd May, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has, in pursuance of the provisions of sections 3 and 5 of the Whakatane Harbour Act, 1921-22, and of section 20 of the Harbours Act, 1923, and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, appointed for a term of three years

Albert Oliphant Stewart, Esq.,

to be a member of the Whakatane Harbour Board as a representative of the Maori electors of the Whakatane Harbour District; this appointment to take effect from the last Wednesday in April, 1926—that is, from the 28th day of that month.

G. JAS. ANDERSON, Minister of Marine.

Member of North Auckland Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 6th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of section 47 of the Land Act, 1924, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Frank M. Waters

to be a member of the North Auckland Land Board.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Clerk of Licensing Committee appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 12th May, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Oliver Stanley Harvey

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the district of Stratford, *vice* H. H. Scott, transferred.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 10th May, 1926.

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

Reginald Wallace Noake, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Te Aroha, as from the 6th day of April, 1926.

Walter Baxter, Esq.,

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the District of Temuka, as from the 12th day of April, 1926.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Appointments, Promotions, Resignations, and Transfers of Officers of the Staff and N.Z. Military Force.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 1st May, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the appointments, promotions, resignations, and transfers of the undermentioned officers of the Staff and N.Z. Military Forces.

STAFF.

Lieutenant F. J. Dillon, *M.C.* (Royal Artillery), attached to the Regiment of Royal N.Z. Artillery, is appointed Officer in Charge, Harbour Defences, and Officer Commanding Detachment, Regiment of Royal N.Z. Artillery, Central Command. Dated 31st October, 1925.

Lieutenant I. R. Withell, the Regiment of Royal N.Z. Artillery, is appointed Artillery Instructor, Dunedin. Dated 15th April, 1926.

N.Z. STAFF CORPS.

Lieutenant F. C. Ewen resigns his commission. Dated 31st March, 1926.

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

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) N. C. Shepherd is confirmed.

THE REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant R. E. B. Hopkirk, from the North Auckland Regiment, to be Lieutenant, 8th Field Battery. Dated 19th March, 1926.

Honorary Lieutenant and Bandmaster T. Herd to be Honorary Captain and Bandmaster, Central Command. Dated 22nd March, 1926.

N.Z. CORPS OF SIGNALS.

Northern Depot.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) A. E. Smith is confirmed.

Central Depot.

The appointments of the undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants (*on probation*) are confirmed:—

C. W. Watts.
R. Wiltshire.

THE N.Z. INFANTRY.

The Hauraki Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant J. G. Nolan to be Lieutenant, 1st Battalion. Dated 1st December, 1925.

The North Auckland Regiment.

Lieutenant R. E. B. Hopkirk (1st Battalion) is transferred to the 8th Field Battery, Regiment of N.Z. Artillery. Dated 19th March, 1926.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) W. J. Glanville, 1st C. Battalion, is confirmed.

The Waikato Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant H. G. Carter, from the Reserve of Officers, to be 2nd Lieutenant, 1st C. Battalion. Dated 24th April, 1926.

The Wellington Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant R. Watson (3rd C. Battalion) is retired under the provisions of section 5 (a) of the Defence Act, 1909. Dated 6th April, 1926.

The Wellington West Coast Regiment.

The appointments of the undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants (*on probation*), 2nd C. Battalion are confirmed:—

R. J. Mayne,
O. S. Stevenson,
E. J. W. Werry,

The Hawke's Bay Regiment.

The appointments of the undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants (*on probation*) are confirmed:—

C. F. McAllum, 2nd C. Battalion.
E. S. Craven, 3rd C. Battalion.

The Southland Regiment.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) M. C. Rice, 1st Battalion, is confirmed.

The Otago Regiment.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) W. R. Ross, 1st Battalion, is confirmed.

N.Z. MEDICAL STAFF CORPS.

Captain E. C. Hayes, *M.R.C.S., Eng.*, is posted to the Retired List under provisions of G.O. 184/21, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 8th April, 1926.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Captain J. N. Hines is transferred from the Hauraki Regiment, Class I (b), R.D. 2, to the Auckland Regiment (Countess of Ranfurly's Own), Class I (b) R.D. 1.

2nd Lieutenant N. J. Adamson is transferred from the Wellington West Coast Regiment, Class I (b), R.D. 6, to the Hawke's Bay Regiment, Class I (b), R.D. 7.

The undermentioned are posted to the Retired List under the provisions of G.O. 184/21, with permission to retain their rank and wear the prescribed uniform:—

Major B. J. Dudley, *M.R.C.S., Eng.* Dated 17th April, 1926.

Captain C. C. Gilbert. Dated 8th March, 1926.

2nd Lieutenant A. R. Bayly. Dated 8th April, 1926.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Defence Rifle Club disbanded.

Department of Defence,

Wellington, 8th May, 1926.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General, by his Deputy, Charles Perrin Skerrett, has approved the disbandment of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club, under section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

Scargill Defence Rifle Club,

with headquarters at Scargill.

Dated 31st March, 1926.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Result of Election of Trustees of a Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 15th April, 1926.

THE following result of the 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.

Jed River Drainage District: County of Cheviot—

Hans Christian Dierck.

Thomas Lewis.

Thomas Meikle.

Daniel O'Connor.

Benjamin Skinner.

Regulations as to Drainage and Plumbing under the Health Act, 1920, applied to the County of Waikohu, the Borough of Greytown, and the Town District of Martinborough. (H. 2/39.)

Department of Health,

Wellington, 5th May, 1926.

WHEREAS by an Order in Council made on the 3rd day of September, 1923, and gazetted on the 6th day of the same month, regulations (to be cited as "the Drainage and Plumbing Regulations") were made under the Health Act, 1920, prescribing the conditions to be observed in the construction of approved drains, septic tanks, sanitary conveniences, and sanitary appliances:

And whereas by the said regulations it was provided that the same were suspended as provided in the said Act:

And whereas by section 133 of the said Act it is enacted that the operation of any such regulation may, if so provided therein, be wholly suspended until they are applied by the Minister by notice in the *Gazette* to any part of New Zealand:

Now, therefore, I, James Alexander Young, Minister of Health, in exercise of the power and authority given by the said regulations and by section 133 of the said Act, do hereby apply the said regulations to the—

County of Waikohu.

Borough of Greytown, and

Town District of Martinborough.

and do hereby declare that this notice shall take effect on the 1st day of June, 1926.

J. A. YOUNG, Minister of Health.

Prohibition of Issue of Money-order and Transmission of Postal Correspondence in New Zealand for Professor G. Van de Zaar, Haarlem, Holland.

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

SCHEDULE.

Professor C. Van de Zaar, Forest Mansion, Haarlem, Holland.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1926.

W. NOSWORTHY, for Postmaster-General.

Traffic Returns.

NEW ZEALAND RAILWAYS.—Traffic Returns for the period ending 31st March, 1926, and for the corresponding period, 1925:—

KAIHU SECTION.

	1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—	No.	No.
1st Class	80	104
2nd Class	1,934	2,202
Total	2,014	2,306
Season Tickets	4	..
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle, Calves	5	6
Sheep and Pigs	183	263
Total	188	269
Timber	Tons. 984	Tons. 890
Other Goods	655	466
Total	1,639	1,356
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	382 16 6	228 12 8
Parcels	102 9 11	113 5 8
Goods	583 18 1	518 6 8
Labour and demurrage	8 19 10	4 15 5
Miscellaneous	5 0 0	20 16 6
Total	£1,083 4 4	£885 16 11

GISBORNE SECTION.

	1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—	No.	No.
1st Class	656	727
2nd Class	3,208	3,700
Total	3,864	4,427
Season Tickets	11	..
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle, Calves	155	63
Sheep and Pigs	27,178	21,666
Total	27,333	21,729
Timber	Tons. 1,246	Tons. 1,137
Other Goods	3,816	4,169
Total	4,562	5,306
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	1,605 12 2	688 10 6
Parcels	298 0 4	310 16 7
Goods	2,521 0 9	2,330 1 7
Labour and demurrage	23 8 10	16 7 2
Miscellaneous	37 2 6	107 0 1
Total	£4,485 4 7	£3,452 15 11

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

	1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—	No.	No.
1st Class	69,167	91,946
2nd Class	454,073	477,393
Total	523,240	569,339
Season Tickets	39,466	40,289
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle, Calves	31,310	24,085
Sheep and Pigs	796,245	657,302
Total	827,555	681,337
Timber	Tons. 40,917	Tons. 37,534
Other Goods	269,810	250,607
Total	310,227	288,141

NORTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES—
continued.

	1926.	1925.
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	163,625 7 7	127,781 17 10
Parcels	22,440 0 4	21,941 15 5
Goods	267,472 18 11	232,912 13 1
Labour and demurrage	7,750 16 4	9,777 4 7
Miscellaneous	2,630 9 1	8,066 18 3
Total	£463,919 12 3	£400,480 9 2

SOUTH ISLAND MAIN LINES AND BRANCHES.

	1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—	No.	No.
1st Class	71,135	62,495
2nd Class	390,537	260,817
Total	461,672	323,312
Season Tickets	16,428	14,369
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle, Calves	10,379	8,671
Sheep and Pigs	917,435	946,939
Total	927,814	955,610
Timber	Tons. 26,331	Tons. 27,316
Other Goods	262,081	263,130
Total	288,412	290,446
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	114,126 10 8	59,409 5 11
Parcels	13,318 12 9	13,954 18 3
Goods	193,222 17 10	177,142 15 10
Labour and demurrage	5,018 3 2	6,951 16 9
Miscellaneous	1,686 16 9	2,958 18 1
Total	£327,373 1 2	£260,417 14 10

WESTPORT SECTION.

	1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—	No.	No.
1st Class	135	45
2nd Class	7,879	6,377
Total	7,514	6,422
Season Tickets	59	134
GOODS,—	No.	No.
Cattle, Calves	8	21
Sheep and Pigs	276	303
Total	284	324
Timber	Tons. 822	Tons. 484
Other Goods	57,064	52,307
Total	57,886	52,791
REVENUE,—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Passengers	1,025 5 11	597 12 3
Parcels	123 11 6	123 16 6
Goods	10,783 9 3	9,905 15 11
Labour and demurrage	941 13 7	823 10 9
Miscellaneous	58 10 10	103 18 2
Total	£12,932 11 1	£11,553 13 7

NELSON SECTION.

	1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	No. 606	No. 246
2nd Class	8,944	3,978
Total	9,550	4,224
Season Tickets	34	42
GOODS,—		
Cattle, Calves	No. 94	No. 41
Sheep and Pigs	5,333	5,042
Total	5,427	5,083
Timber		
Other Goods	Tons. 200	Tons. 656
Total	3,242	3,160
Total	3,442	3,816
REVENUE,—		
Passengers	£ s. d. 1,560 9 11	£ s. d. 466 16 4
Parcels	149 18 9	156 17 5
Goods	1,463 19 7	1,776 16 6
Labour and demurrage	199 9 0	35 2 9
Miscellaneous	63 17 11	67 2 9
Total	£3,437 15 2	£2,502 15 9

PICTON SECTION.

	1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—		
1st Class	No. 1,124	No. 1213
2nd Class	6,127	4,644
Total	7,251	5,857
Season Tickets	9	7
GOODS,—		
Cattle, Calves	No. 167	No. 92
Sheep and Pigs	30,206	37,901
Total	30,373	37,993
Timber		
Other Goods	Tons. 184	Tons. 97
Total	7,238	5,318
Total	7,422	5,415

PICTON SECTION—continued.

	1926.	1925.
REVENUE,—		
Passengers	£ s. d. 1,259 7 4	£ s. d. 697 2 8
Parcels	173 0 2	269 11 7
Goods	3,423 0 11	2,666 6 2
Labour and demurrage	238 14 6	238 13 2
Miscellaneous	50 10 6	91 9 7
Total	£5,194 13 5	£3,963 3 2

NON-OPERATING REVENUE.

	1926.	1925.
MISCELLANEOUS	£21,974 11 0	..

SUBSIDIARY SERVICES.

LAKE WAKATIPU STEAMERS.		1926.	1925.
PASSENGERS,—			
1st Class	No. 853	No. 545	
2nd Class	2,282	1,664	
Total	3,135	2,209	
Season Tickets .. ..	..	2
GOODS,—			
Cattle, Calves	No. 21	No. 27	
Sheep and Pigs	1,513	2,624	
Total	1,534	2,651	
Timber			
Other Goods	Tons. 44	Tons. 32	
Total	572	538	
Total	616	570	

	1926.	1925.
REVENUE,—		
Passengers	£ s. d. 595 0 4	£ s. d. 474 5 3
Parcels	99 17 7	131 15 3
Goods	412 13 3	434 4 7
Labour and demurrage	4 6 10	5 17 3
Miscellaneous .. ..	..	..
Total	£1,111 18 0	£1,046 2 4

	1926.	1925.
REFRESHMENT-ROOMS, ADVERTISING, AND OTHER SUBSIDIARY SERVICES	£20,146 15 10	..
DEPARTMENTAL DWELLINGS	£6,543 15 1	..

N.Z.R.—FINANCIAL YEAR, 1925-26.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF TRAFFIC ON ALL SECTIONS from 1st April, 1925, to 31st March, 1926.

All Sections.	First-class Passengers.		Second-class Passengers.		Total.	Season Tickets.
	S.	R.	S.	R.		
1926	662,895	1,095,666	3,177,413	6,877,506	11,813,480	600,292
1925	728,000	1,167,724	3,333,882	7,194,406	12,424,012	537,554
Increase .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	62,738
Decrease	65,105	72,058	156,469	316,900	610,532	..
All Sections.	Cattle.	Sheep and Pigs.	Total.	Timber.	Other Goods.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1926	391,823	8,220,135	8,611,958	771,576	6,037,027	6,808,603
1925	351,873	8,105,597	8,457,470	754,634	5,847,973	6,602,607
Increase	39,950	114,538	154,488	16,942	189,054	205,996
Decrease .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..

RAILWAY WORKING ACCOUNT, showing REVENUE and EXPENDITURE to the Termination of the Period ending 31st March, 1926.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		For a Twelve-monthly Period. Average to Date.		
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kaihu	24	£ 1,078 4 4	£ 8,411 1 2	£ 1,032 10 4	£ 11,353 17 0	134.99	£ 350 9 3	£ 473 1 7
Gisborne	60	4,448 2 1	39,565 0 11	4,412 5 7	41,110 3 1	103.90	659 8 4	685 3 5
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,276	461,289 3 2	4,534,945 18 2	344,406 5 13	3,367,038 5 5	72.25	3,611 3 7	2,681 3 6
Total	1,360	466,815 9 7	4,532,922 0 3	349,851 1 0	3,419,502 5 6	74.61		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,618	325,686 4 5	2,808,451 5 0	256,305 8 12	2,566,989 9 3	91.40	1,752 2 6	1,601 10 0
Westport	43	12,874 0 3	127,267 15 0	8,742 16 7	96,523 7 6	75.84	2,959 14 4	2,244 14 7
Nelson	61	3,373 17 3	28,281 11 1	3,440 4 4	36,654 7 9	129.61	463 12 8	600 17 10
Pictou	56	5,144 2 11	42,351 11 2	4,432 7 0	44,900 4 1	106.02	756 5 7	801 15 10
Total	1,778	347,078 4 10	3,006,352 2 3	272,920 16 02	2,745,067 8 7	91.31		
Operating total	3,138	818,893 14 5	7,589,274 2 6	622,771 17 06	6,164,569 14 1	81.23		
Miscellaneous Revenue	..	21,974 11 0	234,486 13 5	..	..	..
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	1,111 18 0	10,625 0 0	1,334 3 1	15,612 14 1	146.94		
Refreshment Rooms, Advertising, & other Subsidiary Services	..	20,146 15 10	193,174 1 7	24,679 18 3	158,338 0 9	79.90		
Departmental Dwellings	..	6,543 15 1	68,661 4 3	11,221 18 11	129,907 9 10	189.20		
	3,138	863,670 14 4	8,101,221 1 9	660,007 17 36	6,468,427 18 9	79.85		
Subsidy—Branch Lines and Isolated Sections (11 months)	..	..	344,829 18 7	..	..	..
Accrued Subsidy, 1 month	..	14,710 9 11	14,710 9 11	..	..	..
Grand total .. .. .	..	878,381 4 3	8,460,761 10 3	660,007 17 3	6,468,427 18 9	76.45		

CORRESPONDING PERIOD LAST YEAR.

Section.	Miles open for Traffic.	Revenue.		Expenditure.		Per Cent. of Revenue.	Revenue per Mile of Railway.	Expenditure per Mile of Railway.
		Four-weekly.	Total to Date.	Four-weekly.	Total to Date.			
NORTH ISLAND,—								
Kaihu	24	£ 885 16 11	£ 9,071 14 3	£ 807 3 11	£ 9,224 10 3	101.68	£ 377 19 9	£ 384 7 1
Gisborne	60	3,452 15 11	38,000 17 10	3,460 12 10	36,386 9 9	95.75	728 7 3	697 8 4
North Island Main Lines and Branches	1,246	400,480 9 2	4,255,890 0 3	265,624 11 3	3,051,272 6 9	71.70	3,425 17 4	2,472 4 8
Total	1,330	404,819 2 0	4,302,962 12 4	269,892 8 0	3,096,883 6 9	71.97		
SOUTH ISLAND,—								
South Island Main Lines and Branches	1,595	260,417 14 10	2,610,240 3 5	195,123 7 8	2,276,893 7 11	87.23	1,636 16 7	1,427 15 10
Westport	43	11,553 13 7	130,365 15 5	8,641 18 4	91,275 15 1	70.02	3,567 18 12	2,498 1 6
Nelson	61	2,502 15 9	24,736 17 2	3,068 19 4	31,862 5 1	128.80	405 10 5	522 6 8
Pictou	56	3,963 3 2	34,122 15 1	3,219 14 11	36,221 9 1	106.15	609 6 8	646 16 3
Lake Wakatipu Steamers	..	1,046 2 4	10,096 2 4	1,066 9 0	12,279 6 10	121.62	..	..
Total	1,755	279,483 9 8	2,809,561 13 5	211,120 9 3	2,448,532 4 0	87.15		
Grand total	3,085	684,302 11 8	7,112,524 5 9	481,012 17 3	5,545,415 10 9	77.97		

COST of CONSTRUCTION of RAILWAYS, ROLLING-STOCK, ETC., to 31st March, 1925, as furnished by Public Works Department and by Greymouth and Westport Harbour Boards respectively.

Section.	Cost of Opened Lines.		Cost of Unopened Lines.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Whangarei	1,184,193	0 0	371,334	0 0
Kaihu	192,164	0 0	..	..
Tauranga .. .. .	..	..	1,242,335	0 0
Gisborne	864,825	0 0	618,391	0 0
North Island Main Lines and Branches	20,134,115	0 0	3,147,462	0 0
South Island Main Lines and Branches	20,179,781	0 0	405,420	0 0
Westport	703,063	0 0	113,694	0 0
Nelson	445,246	0 0	124,303	0 0
Pictou	688,246	0 0	17,493	0 0
Lake Wakatipu Steamer Service ..	44,300	0 0	..	..
In Suspense—				
Surveys, North Island .. .. .	..	..	38,083	0 0
Miscellaneous, North Island .. .. .	..	..	5,169	0 0
Surveys, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,763	0 0
Miscellaneous, South Island .. .. .	..	..	5,168	0 0
P.W.D. Stock of Permanent-way .. .. .	..	..	125,951	0 0
W.R.D. Stock of A.O.L. and R.I.A. Stores	134,808	0 0	..	..
Balance of cost of raising loan of £1,000,000 for Railways Improvement Authorization Act 1914 Account	..	..	42,193	0 0
Totals	£44,570,746	0 0	£6,362,754	0 0

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 10th May, 1926.

HEREBY acknowledge receipt of the following amounts, forwarded by persons unknown, as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government: £5 forwarded to the Railway Department, Wellington; 6d. forwarded to the Chief Postmaster, Dunedin; 10s. forwarded to the Pensions Department, Wellington.

R. E. HAYES,
Secretary to the Treasury.

Officiating Ministers for 1926.—Notice No. 14.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th May, 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 Joseph Hewson.

The Methodist Church of New Zealand.

Mr. Claude C. Hoskin.
Mr. Charles Ernest Howard Naylor.
Mr. John Thomas.

Church of Christ.

Mr. Harold Dewar Priestly.

Latter Rain.

M. Lawrence P. Bryan.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

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

WILLIAM GREER FLETCHER, Assistant Registrar of Incorporated Societies, do hereby declare that, as it has been made to appear to me that the Taumarunui District Horticultural and Industrial Society (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 11th day of May, 1926.

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

Te Makarini Scholarships tenable at Te Aute College, Hawke's Bay.

Education Department,
Wellington, 13th May, 1926.

THREE scholarships of the yearly value of £35, tenable for two years, are offered for competition in the year 1926. One of these scholarships, to be called the Senior Makarini Scholarship, is open to all Maori boys under sixteen years of age at the end of the month next preceding the month of the examination. The other two scholarships, to be called the Junior Makarini Scholarships, are open to Maori boys under fourteen years of age at the end of the month next preceding the month of the examination. One of the junior scholarships is reserved for competition amongst candidates from Native village schools only, the other is open to Maori boys attending any school in the Dominion. The scholarships are open to Maori boys on the conditions set forth in the regulations of the Trustees of the Te Makarini Scholarships Fund, as printed in the appendix to the Regulations relating to Native Schools, except that for the Junior Scholarship the age-limit is now fourteen years, and that for the senior examination the work required is that of Standard VI instead of Standard V. The examination will be held at convenient centres on the 6th and 7th of December, 1926.

Candidates must, either directly or through their teachers, send notice to the Inspector of Native Schools, Education Department, Wellington, of their intention to present themselves for examination. Such notice must be posted so as to reach the Department not later than the 30th September, 1926.

Copies of the regulations and forms of notice may be obtained from teachers of Native schools and boarding institutions, the Secretaries to Education Boards, or the Director of Education, Wellington.

JOHN PORTEOUS,
Senior Inspector of Native Schools.

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Notice to make Returns of Income under the Land and Income Tax Act, 1923.

NOTICE is hereby given that, in pursuance of the above Act and the Regulations made thereunder, every person and company, whether a taxpayer or not, having derived income within the meaning of the said Act during the year ending 31st March, 1926, from any source or by any means which is made the subject of taxation under the said Act, is hereby required to make and furnish to me, in the prescribed form, returns of such income on or before the 1st day of June, 1926.

Returns of income are required to be furnished by all companies and persons in business, whether for the whole or part of the income year. They are also required from all persons in receipt of income from salary, wages, interest, rents, annuity, or other annual payment, where such income exceeds £250 per annum. The returns are required annually from such persons notwithstanding that by reason of the special exemptions allowable by law they may not be liable to pay tax.

In cases where the Commissioner has agreed to accept returns for twelve months ending at a date subsequent to the 31st March, such returns shall be made within two months of such subsequent date.

Further, notice is hereby given that all persons who received dividends from companies during the above year are required to make a return of such dividends in the space provided on page 1 of the prescribed form referred to in the foregoing.

And, further, notice is hereby given that such returns shall in all cases be delivered at or forwarded to the office of the Commissioner of Taxes, in the Government Buildings at Wellington.

A. E. FOWLER,
Commissioner of Taxes.

NOTE.—Forms of return may be obtained at any postal money-order office; they will not be sent to taxpayers from the office of the Commissioner of Taxes unless written application is made for them.

SPECIAL NOTE.—Any person failing to furnish a return at the prescribed time is liable to a penalty up to £100.

Conversion of German Government Loans.

Wellington, 7th May, 1926.

INFORMATION has been received from the German Consul for New Zealand that under a German statute of the 16th July, 1925, provision is made for the conversion of German Government loans into a Loan Liquidation Debt on the basis of R.M. 25 (i.e., gold marks) for each M. 1,000 of the old loans.

At first only those persons who are able to prove their uninterrupted ownership from before the 1st July, 1920, will be permitted to exchange their certificates. Such persons will receive bonds of the loan-liquidation debt, and also drawing certificates. Of these drawing certificates a certain number will be drawn each year extending over a period of thirty years from 1926, and the winners will receive five times the face value of their bonds in cash, plus interest at the rate of 4½ per centum per annum on the face value, commencing from this year.

The period during which applications will be considered commenced on the 1st April, 1926, and it will close on 30th June next. All applications for the exchange of loans from holders living in New Zealand should be addressed immediately to the German Consul for New Zealand, P.O. Box 1300, Wellington.

German loan certificates which were acquired by present holders after the 1st July, 1920, are expected to be exchanged later this year.

J. W. MACDONALD,
Public Trustee, as Controller, New Zealand Clearing Office.

Tenders for Supply of Uniforms.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 1st May, 1926.

TENDERS will be received at the office of the Controller of Stores, Post and Telegraph Department, Fryatt Street, Wellington, not later than 4 p.m. on Monday, the 31st May, 1926, for the supply and delivery of cloth uniforms during the period 1st July, 1926, to 30th June, 1928.

Forms and conditions of tender may be obtained at the offices of the Controller of Stores, Post and Telegraph Department, Wellington, the Stores Manager, Post and Telegraph Department, Auckland, and the District Telegraph Engineers, Post and Telegraph Department, Christchurch and Dunedin.

A. MARKMAN, Secretary.

Vital Statistics of Urban Areas.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of April, 1926:—

	Estimated Population, 1st April, 1926.	Total Births registered, April, 1926.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN APRIL, 1926.							Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, April, 1926.
				Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.		
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Auckland	180,790	322	1.78	3	1	60	6	2	49	121	0.67	
Wellington	118,490	190	1.60	3	..	41	2	1	37	84	0.71	
Christchurch	118,270	190	1.61	2	1	41	7	..	26	77	0.65	
Dunedin	77,480	86	1.11	5	..	27	..	..	19	51	0.66
Hamilton	17,070	27	1.58	..	..	9	1	..	4	14	0.82
Gisborne	15,700	23	1.46	1	..	9	1	..	5	16	1.02	
Napier	18,910	18	0.85	..	..	7	..	..	3	10	0.53
Hastings	14,590	33	2.26	..	1	8	..	..	1	10	0.69
New Plymouth	15,360	28	1.82	..	..	7	..	..	4	11	0.72
Wanganui	25,940	59	2.27	3	1	7	1	..	7	19	0.73	
Palmerston North	19,240	42	2.18	1	..	3	..	..	3	7	0.36
Nelson	11,650	18	1.55	1	..	5	..	..	5	11	0.94
Timaru	17,110	28	1.64	1	..	5	..	2	6	14	0.82	
Invercargill	20,990	35	1.67	..	..	7	1	..	4	12	0.57
Totals	671,590	1,099	1.64	20	4	236	19	5	173	457	0.68	

The total births registered for the urban areas amounted to 1,099, as against 1,175 in March—a decrease of 76. The deaths in April were 457—a decrease of 36, as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 260, females 197. Forty-eight of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 10.50 per cent. of the whole number. Thirty-nine of these were under one year of age.

The equivalent annual rates per 1,000 of mean population for April, 1926, and four months ended April, 1926, were as follows. The infantile-mortality rate per 100 births for the same period is also given.

Urban Area.	Equivalent Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population.				Infantile Mortality per 100 Births.	
	Births.		Deaths.		April, 1926.	Four Months 1926.
	April, 1926.	Four Months, 1926.	April, 1926.	Four Months, 1926.		
Auckland	21.37	20.86	8.03	8.50	2.80	3.66
Wellington	19.24	19.55	8.51	7.82	2.63	3.11
Christchurch	19.28	19.53	7.81	7.38	4.74	3.38
Dunedin	13.32	16.42	7.90	9.53	5.81	4.01
Hamilton	18.98	18.63	9.84	5.98	3.70	2.83
Gisborne	17.58	20.25	12.23	9.55	8.70	8.49
Napier	10.22	18.56	6.35	9.99	..	5.98
Hastings	27.14	21.80	8.22	4.73	..	..
New Plymouth	21.87	25.00	8.59	8.59	..	2.34
Wanganui	27.29	24.06	8.79	8.44	6.78	3.37
Palmerston North	26.19	19.96	4.37	7.64	2.38	4.69
Nelson	18.54	20.09	11.34	10.82	5.56	2.56
Timaru	19.64	19.29	9.82	8.59	3.57	2.73
Invercargill	20.01	19.29	6.86	6.15	2.86	2.22
All areas, April, and four months, 1926	19.64	19.86	8.17	8.17	3.55	3.51
All areas, April, and four months, 1925	19.96	19.96	8.34	7.96	4.63	4.31

The following table shows the deaths in various age-groups occurring in the urban areas during the month of April, 1926:—

Age-group.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
<i>Males.</i>															
Under 5 years	4	3	3	5	..	1	..	1	..	4	1	1	1	..	24
5 and under 10 years	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	5
10 " 15 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
15 " 20 " .. .. .	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	4
20 " 25 "	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
25 " 30 "	3	3	1	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
30 " 35 "	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
35 " 40 " .. .. .	..	5	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	9
40 " 45 "	5	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
45 " 50 "	4	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	11
50 " 55 "	7	2	3	2	1	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	18
55 " 60 "	5	5	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	18
60 " 65 "	3	9	3	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	22
65 " 70 "	9	3	9	1	2	3	1	1	2	3	..	..	..	1	35
70 " 75 "	5	3	7	3	1	..	2	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	25
75 " 80 "	7	2	5	4	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	22
80 " 85 "	3	..	2	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12
85 " 90 "	4	1	3	1	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	15
90 " 95 "	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
95 " 100 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
100 years and over .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	64	44	44	32	9	10	7	9	7	11	4	6	6	7	260

Age-group.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
<i>Females.</i>															
Under 5 years	8	3	7	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	24
5 and under 10 years..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
10 " 15 " .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 " 20 "	3	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	8
20 " 25 "	1	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
25 " 30 "	1	..	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
30 " 35 "	2	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
35 " 40 "	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	10
40 " 45 "	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
45 " 50 "	3	4	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	10
50 " 55 "	3	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	10
55 " 60 "	2	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	9
60 " 65 "	1	4	2	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	13
65 " 70 "	5	5	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	3	..	..	1	..	20
70 " 75 "	7	3	3	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	20
75 " 80 "	6	3	4	2	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	20
80 " 85 "	5	2	1	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	15
85 " 90 "	3	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	10
90 " 95 "	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
95 " 100 " .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
100 years and over ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	57	40	33	19	5	6	3	1	4	8	3	5	8	5	197
Grand totals	121	84	77	51	14	16	10	10	11	19	7	11	14	12	457

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during April, 1926.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
I.—EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES.															
8. Scarlet Fever	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
9. Pertussis	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
10. Diphtheria	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
11. Influenza	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
16. Dysentery	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
29. Tetanus	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
31. Tuberculosis of the Respiratory System	8	6	4	7	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	29
33. Tuberculosis of the Abdomen .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
34. Tuberculosis of Vertebral Column ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
36. Tuberculosis of Bladder .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
37. Acute Miliary Tuberculosis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
41. Septic Hand .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	16	8	5	8	2	1	2	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	47
II.—GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED ABOVE.															
43. Cancer of Tongue .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
44. " Stomach and Liver	3	4	3	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	19
45. " Peritoneum, Intestines, and Rectum	1	3	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	9
46. " Female Genital Organs	2	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
47. " Breast	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	1	8
48. " Abdominal Wall .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
49. " Abdomen	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Bladder	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
49. " Prostate .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	5
49. Disseminated Cancer .. .. .	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
50. Tumour of Mediastinum .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
51. Acute Rheumatism	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
52. Rheumatoid Arthritis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
57. Diabetes Mellitus .. .. .	..	1	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	7
58. Pernicious Anæmia	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	5
60. Diseases of Thyroid Gland.. .. .	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
62. Status Lymphaticus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
63. Addison's Disease .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
65. Leucæmia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
66. Delirium Tremens .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	15	15	17	7	2	2	2	..	2	3	1	3	8	3	80

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during April, 1926—*ctd.*

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
III.—DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.															
74. Cerebral Hæmorrhage and Apoplexy	6	8	5	4	2	2	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	2	32
76. General Paralysis of the Insane .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	4
77. Melancholia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
78. Epilepsy .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
79. Eclampsia (non-puerperal).. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
80. Infantile Convulsions (under 5 years) .. .. .	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
84. Other Diseases of the Nervous System .. .. .	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals	7	9	11	6	3	2	..	..	1	2	1	2	..	2	46
IV.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.															
88. Ulcerative Endocarditis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
89. Angina Pectoris	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
90. Other Diseases of the Heart	23	15	15	6	2	1	1	3	2	4	1	1	1	2	77
91. Diseases of the Arteries	3	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	8
Totals	27	17	16	8	3	1	1	3	3	5	1	1	1	2	89
V.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.															
99. Bronchitis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
100. Broncho-pneumonia	2	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	9
101. Pneumonia	3	1	1	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	10
103. Congestion and Hæmorrhagic Infarct of the Lungs	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
105. Asthma .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
107. Obstruction of Trachea .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	6	1	6	4	..	3	3	..	1	2	..	1	..	1	28
VI.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.															
109. Diseases of the Pharynx and Tonsils	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
111. Ulcer of Stomach and Duodenum	1	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
113. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (under 2 years) .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
114. Diarrhoea and Enteritis (2 years and over)	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
117. Appendicitis .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	5
118. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
119. Other Diseases of the Intestines	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
122. Cirrhosis of the Liver	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
123. Cholelithiasis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
124. Other Diseases of the Liver	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	7
126. Peritonitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	12	10	4	4	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	37
VII.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.															
128. Acute Nephritis	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
129. Chronic Nephritis	6	2	1	..	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	..	2	..	20
133. Cystitis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
135. Diseases of the Prostate .. .. .	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Totals	7	2	4	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	..	2	..	26
VIII.—THE PUERPERAL STATE.															
146. Puerperal Septicæmia	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
IX.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.															
151. Gangrene .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
153. Cellulitis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
154. Pemphigus Neonatorum .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Totals .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
X.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND OF ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.															
155. Osteomyelitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during April, 1926—*ctd.*

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
XI.—MALFORMATIONS.															
159. Congenital Deformities .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Heart-disease	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
159. " Pyloric Stenosis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Spina Bifida	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
XII.—EARLY INFANCY.															
160. Marasmus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
161. Injury at Birth	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
161A. Premature Birth	2	3	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	12
162. Other Diseases of Early Infancy	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
Totals	4	3	3	2	..	1	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	..	18
XIII.—OLD AGE.															
164. Senility	13	8	3	6	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	36
XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.															
167. Suicide by Gas Poisoning .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
178. Conflagration .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
179. Scalds	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
182. Accidental Drowning .. .. .	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	5
185. " Traumatism by Fall	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
188. " " by Tramcar .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
188. " " by Motor-vehicles	3	..	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	8
188. " " by other Crushing .. .. .	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
192. Starvation .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
199. Criminal Abortion .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
201. Fractures (Cause not specified)	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
202. Other External Injuries (Cause not specified) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	7	6	6	4	2	..	1	3	..	1	..	..	1	1	32
XV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.															
205. Not specified or Ill-defined	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Grand Totals	121	84	77	51	14	16	10	10	11	19	7	11	14	12	457

Infantile Mortality.

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of Infants under 1 Year of Age registered during April, 1926.

(These figures are included in the preceding table.)

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
9. Pertussis	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
10. Diphtheria .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
80. Convulsions .. .. .	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
100. Broncho-pneumonia	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	5
101. Pneumonia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
107. Obstruction of Trachea .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Diarrhoea and Enteritis .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
154. Pemphigus Neonatorum .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1
159. Congenital Cystic Disease of Kidneys .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Heart-disease	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
159. " Pyloric Stenosis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Spina Bifida	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
160. Marasmus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
161. Injury at Birth	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
161A. Premature Birth	2	3	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	12
162. Other Diseases of Early Infancy	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
Totals	9	5	9	5	1	2	..	..	..	4	1	1	1	1	39

Public Trustee.—Deceased Persons' Estates under Administration.

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

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE during the Month of April, 1926:—

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Allan, Thomas	Auckland	Gardener	21/3/26	Testate.
2	Anderson, Clara Emma	Napier	Married woman	10/4/26	"
3	Anderson, Harold	Palmerston North	Artist	4/4/26	"
4	Archibald, Andrew Elmslie	Hilton	Farmer	24/3/26	"
5	Arrow, George Henry	Palmerston North	Carpenter and joiner	25/3/26	"
6	Aston, William Arthur	Gisborne	Painter	17/4/26	Intestate.
7	Barry, Ellen	Christchurch	Widow	29/3/26	Testate.
8	Begg, Adam George	Auckland	Police constable	23/2/26	Intestate.
9	Bellette, Albert Victor	Tasmania	Retired farmer	12/12/25	Testate.
10	Binns, Agnes Ellen	Matiere	Married woman	29/3/26	"
11	Boldero, Frank Henderson	Wellington	Timber-worker	10/3/26	Intestate.
12	Breen, Thomas	Christchurch	Farmer	22/4/26	"
13	Broadway, Edwards	"	Confectioner	10/4/26	Testate.
14	Brown, Samuel Martin	Leeston	Grocer	28/2/26	Intestate.
15	Brown, Thomas Henry	Lyttelton	Wharf labourer	15/3/26	"
16	Burns, John	Wellington	Retired greengrocer	3/3/26	Testate.
17	Buick, David	Deborah, Oamaru	Farmer	28/3/26	"
18	Butler, Emma Agnes Mildred	Auckland	Married woman	16/4/26	"
19	Canute, Maud	Wellington	"	21/3/26	"
20	Cashman, James	"	Retired shipwright	26/3/26	"
21	Clarke, Margaret Frances	Christchurch	Widow	16/3/26	"
22	Cole, John Richard	"	Contractor	10/4/26	"
23	Collins, Martin	Invercargill	Retired farmer	12/4/26	"
24	Conaghan, Eugene Edward	Whangarei	Timber teamster	12/4/26	Intestate.
25	Cooke, Tom	England	Builder	27/2/26	Testate.
26	Cundy, Nita Blanch	Wellington	Spinster	2/4/26	"
27	Davison, Victor Claude	Eltham	Farm assistant	24/3/26	Intestate.
28	Drought, Albert Eyre	Florida, U.S.A.	Not known	11/1/20	Testate.
29	Dyer, Elizabeth	Newton, Auckland	Widow	15/8/25	Intestate.
30	Easterbrook, Daniel	Christchurch	Retired farmer	13/4/26	Testate.
31	Edwards, Ernest George	Blenheim	Joiner	16/12/25	"
32	Egan, Mary	Wrey's Bush	Widow	21/2/26	"
33	Emmett, Adam Butterworth	Wanganui	Labourer	20/4/26	"
34	Evans, George Leonard	Christchurch	Carpenter	1/4/26	"
35	Farmer, Julia	Auckland	Widow	20/3/26	"
36	Ferris, William	Tallyhul, County Armagh, Ireland	Labourer	3/11/26	Intestate.
37	Friedrick, Elizabeth	Wanganui	Married woman	15/4/26	"
38	Furby, George Frederick	Christchurch	Retired Postmaster	11/4/26	"
39	Goodall, Sarah	Greymouth	Widow	1/7/25	Testate.
40	Gray, William	North Invercargill	Retired farmer	21/6/23	"
41	Gray, William	Eltham	Minor	26/11/25	Intestate.
42	Green, James	Wellington	Retired farmer	17/4/26	"
43	Hadfield, Mary Ann	Auckland	Widow	25/3/26	Testate.
44	Halpin, John	Taradale	Retired roadman	6/4/26	"
45	Harvey, William	Portland	Labourer	30/3/26	Intestate.
46	Hayward, Henry	Timaru	Farmer	12/4/26	Testate.
47	Heaven, Henry Thomas	Christchurch	Retired telegraph-linesman	20/3/26	"
48	Hoar, Arthur	East Hastings	Monumental mason	11/4/26	"
49	Hogg, Walter	Hakataramea	Farmer	27/12/25	Intestate.
50	Holmes, Gertrude	Wellington	Married woman	23/2/26	Testate.
51	Hutt, John Frederick	Invercargill	Railway fireman	10/3/26	Intestate.
52	Irving, Emma Eliza	Christchurch	Widow	7/4/26	Testate.
53	Jarvis, Walter	Auckland	Labourer	21/6/22	"
54	Jennings, James Henry	Greymouth	Sawmiller	27/1/26	"
55	Johns, Grace Emily	England	Widow	4/6/25	Intestate.
56	Jones, Norman Robert James	Stoke	Farmer	10/4/26	Testate.
57	Kelly, Arthur	Doyleston	Labourer	11/4/26	"
58	Kerr, Thomas	New Plymouth	Retired farmer	2/4/26	"
59	Kinley, George	Rangiora	Sheep-drover	14/3/26	Intestate.
60	Kirby, James	Wellington	Retired farmer	29/3/26	Testate.
61	Lake, Robert	New Brighton	Clerk	31/3/26	"
62	Lark, William Edward	Wellington	Plumber	25/3/26	Intestate.
63	Larking, Jessie Campbell	Dunedin	Married woman	14/3/26	Testate.
64	Latimer, David	Christchurch	Ex-sergeant of police	7/3/26	"
65	Levy, Henry Joseph	Wellington	Factory-manager	19/4/26	"
66	Levy, Joseph	Dunedin	Bootmaker	29/3/26	Intestate.
67	Lodge, Louis	Tuakau	Dairy factory worker	11/3/26	Testate.
68	McIntyre, Beatrice	Timaru	Married woman	6/4/26	Intestate.
69	McIntyre, Robert	Christchurch	Retired railway employee	9/4/26	Testate.
70	McKee, James Stewart	Chertsey	Settler	1/4/26	"
71	McKenzie, Alexander	Invercargill	Foreman of works	6/4/26	"

DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES—continued.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
72	McKnight, Robert Reid	Domett, Canterbury	Apiarist	28/3/26	Intestate.
73	McLean, Duncan	Wellington	Merchant	28/11/25	"
74	McLean, John	Mosgiel	Labourer	15/3/26	Testate.
75	McLean, John Francis	Islington, Middlesex, England	Medical practitioner	19/12/25	"
76	McPherson, William Walter	Christchurch	Surgeon dentist	22/3/26	Intestate.
77	Macdonald, Charles	Wanganui	Retired Presbyterian minister	11/4/26	Testate.
78	Maunder, Mary Clark	New Plymouth	Widow	8/4/26	"
79	Mayman, Elizabeth Neville	Auckland	Spinster	30/3/26	Intestate.
80	Miller, Andrew	Nelson	Builder and contractor	1/4/26	Testate.
81	Mitchell, Alexander	Wanganui	Horse-trainer	26/3/26	Intestate.
82	Mountfort, Charles Wheller	Napier	Retired	18/4/18	"
83	Murphy, James	Wanganui	Bootmaker	22/3/26	Testate.
84	Nelson, Rebecca	Epsom, Auckland	Widow	27/3/26	"
85	Old, John	Mahoenui	Farmer	16/3/26	"
86	Page, Emma	Wellington	Married woman	7/4/26	"
87	Parrott, James	Awaroa, Taranui	Settler	1/4/26	"
88	Peterson, Charles John	Picton	Old-age pensioner	27/3/26	"
89	Powell, Lawrence Henry	Christchurch	Motor mechanic	26/3/26	"
90	Rasmussen, Alexandra Thora	Timaru	Married woman	10/4/26	"
91	Raymond, Frederick	Wellington	Carpenter	6/4/26	Intestate.
92	Rendall, Jessie	Dunedin	Widow	24/4/26	Testate.
93	Rodger, Euphemia	"	Spinster	22/3/26	"
94	Rugg, Daniel	Auckland	Patternmaker	11/2/26	"
95	Sellars, Charles Alfred	"	Retired railway servant	11/4/26	"
96	Severinsen, Raymon	Makaretu	Farmer	3/3/26	Intestate.
97	Shaw, Samuel	Wellington	Labourer	17/4/26	Testate.
98	Shaw, Sarah Ellen	"	Widow	18/4/26	Intestate.
99	Sinel, Eliza Jamie	Auckland	Married woman	18/4/26	"
100	Smart, James Walter	Christchurch	Retired engine-driver	28/3/26	Testate.
101	Sowerby, Henry	Toko, Taranaki	Farmer	3/4/26	"
102	Stephenson, William Layton	Christchurch	Retired marine-engineer	15/4/26	"
103	Sutherland, Georgina	"	Widow	16/4/26	Intestate.
104	Sykes, J. H.	Frankton	Builder	20/3/26	Testate.
105	Taylor, Simon	Totara	Farmer	19/3/26	"
106	Thorburn, John	Wellington	Retired Civil servant	6/4/26	"
107	Thorpe, Richard	Lower Hutt	Joiner	17/1/26	"
108	Todd, Robert	New Plymouth	Farmer	7/4/26	"
109	Tregonning, Mary	Wellington	Married woman	22/1/26	"
110	Twomey, Mary	"	"	6/4/26	"
111	Waddel, William	Auckland	Retired Civil servant	5/12/25	Intestate.
112	Waldron, W. J.	Christchurch	Club steward	17/4/26	Testate.
113	Walker, William	Invercargill	Night-watchman	9/12/12	"
114	Webb, Martha Sophia	Thornbury	Widow	11/4/26	"
115	West, Augustus George	White Park, Ireland	Gentleman	30/6/11	"
116	West, Dudley Alexander	"	"	26/6/04	Intestate.
117	West, Richard Annesley	Rosettnville, Transvaal	Army Officer	1/9/18	Testate.
118	Wetherald, Rowland	Papakura	Labourer	8/4/26	"
119	White, Emily Jane	Petone	Widow	1/4/26	"
120	White, Ernest Thomas	Hamilton	Seaman and labourer	12/12/25	Intestate.
121	White, George Hutcheson	Christchurch	Farmer	20/4/26	Testate.
122	Williamson, John Francis	Wellington	Carrier	9/3/26	"
123	Wilson, Jessie Ann	Christchurch	Domestic	12/3/26	Intestate.
124	Wright, Katherin	Tokaora	Married woman	25/3/26	Testate.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 5th May, 1926.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, 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	Bradley, Mary	Hastings	Widow	13/2/26	8/5/26	Testate	Napier.
2	Drought, Albert Eyre	Florida (U.S.A.)	Not known	11/1/20	3/5/26	"	Auckland.
3	Easterbrook, Daniel	Lincoln	Retired farmer	13/4/26	3/5/26	"	Christchurch.
4	Marsden, Clara Isabella	Ikley (England)	Married woman	27/11/24	8/5/26	Intestate	Napier.
5	Parrott, James	Awaroa	Settler	1/4/26	3/5/26	Testate	Nelson.
6	Peterson, Charles John	Picton	Freezing - works fireman	27/3/26	3/5/26	"	Blenheim.
7	Rayment, Frederick	Wellington	Carpenter	7/4/26	8/5/26	Intestate	Wellington.
8	Robinson, George	"	Labourer	26/2/26	8/5/26	"	"
9	Soloman, Frank Edward Jaffa	Auckland	Collector	11/9/25	8/5/26	Testate	Auckland.
10	Sutherland, Georgina	Christchurch	Widow	16/4/26	8/5/26	Intestate	Christchurch.
11	Thorburn, John	Wellington	Retired Civil servant	6/4/26	3/5/26	Testate	Wellington.
12	Twomey, Mary	Melrose (Wellington)	Married woman	6/4/26	3/5/26	"	"
13	West, Dudley Alexander	Brookeboro, County Fermanagh, Ireland	"	26/6/04	8/5/26	Intestate	Auckland.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, N.Z., 10th May, 1926.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Notice to Mariners No. 20 of 1926.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 11th May, 1926.

THE following Notice to Mariners, which has been received from the Department of Trade and Customs, Melbourne, is published for general information.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

AUSTRALIA.—SOUTH COAST.

Eclipse Island.—Intended New Light.—Signal Station to be established.

MARINERS and others are hereby notified that a Group-flashing White Light, and also a Signal Station, will be established on Eclipse Island on or about 1st July, 1926.

Previous Notices.—No. 11 of 1922, No. 19 of 1923.

Position.—On the summit (357'). Lat. 35° 11' S., long. 117° 53' E., on Chart No. 2619.

Details.

Character.—Group-flashing White, showing three flashes every twenty seconds, thus: Flash 0.29 sec., eclipse 3.15 sec.; flash 0.29 sec., eclipse 3.15 sec.; flash 0.29 sec., eclipse 12.83 sec.

Power.—1,160,000 candles. *Elevation.*—405 ft. *Visibility.*—27 miles.

Structure.—Circular concrete tower, painted white, 64 ft. in height.

Signalling.—Communication can be made during the day by International Code, the flags being shown from a spar attached to the balcony of the lighthouse, and during the night by Morse code. The lighthouse will be connected with the main telegraph system of Australia. Notice to Mariners No. 26 of 1924 is to be amended by deleting Breaksea Island, and inserting Eclipse Island.

Note.—Further notice will be given when the light has been established.

Charts affected.

Admiralty Chart No. 2619—King George Sound and Princess Royal Harbour.

Admiralty Chart No. 1034—Cape Naturaliste to King George Sound.

Admiralty Chart No. 2759B—Australia, southern portion.

Publications affected.—Australia Pilot, Vol. I, 1918, page 39, Supplement No. 6, 1924.

Notice to Mariners No. 21 of 1926.

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

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 8th May, 1926.

Erratum.

ADVERTING to Notice to Mariners No. 8 published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 17, of 25th March, 1926, attention is drawn to the first line of the paragraph relating to "Spar Buoy installed." This line should be altered to read "A red spar buoy has been placed eastward of the shoal . . ."

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.*

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925.—Notice of Cancellation of Registration.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 7th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the Wellington Local Federated Seamen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 960, situated at Wellington, is hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

C. A. BERENDSEN,
Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925.—Notice of Cancellation of Registration.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 7th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the Dunedin Local Federated Seamen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 995, situated at Dunedin, is hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

C. A. BERENDSEN,
Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions.

The Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925.—Notice of Cancellation of Registration.

Department of Labour,
Wellington, 7th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the registration of the Auckland Local Federated Seamen's Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 840, situated at Auckland, is hereby cancelled as from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

C. A. BERENDSEN,
Deputy Registrar of Industrial Unions.

New Zealand Government Railway Department.

NEW LOCOMOTIVE WORKSHOPS AT HILLSIDE (DUNEDIN) AND NEW CAR AND WAGON SHOPS AT ADDINGTON (CHRISTCHURCH).

WRITTEN tenders will be received up to noon on the 1st November, 1926, at the office of the Railway Board, Wellington, New Zealand, for the erection of new locomotive workshops at Hillside, Dunedin, and new car and wagon workshops at Addington, Christchurch.

Plans, specifications, and conditions of contract may be seen at the offices enumerated below:—

United Kingdom	..	The office of the High Commissioner for New Zealand in London.
Canada	..	The office of the Department of Labour, Ottawa.
Australia	..	The New Zealand Government Offices at Sydney and Melbourne.
New Zealand	..	The Chief Engineer's Office, Railway Buildings, Wellington. The Railway Engineer's Offices at Auckland, Wanganui, Christchurch, Dunedin, and Invercargill.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Telegraphic tenders will not be considered.

Separate tenders for either new locomotive workshops at Hillside or new car and wagon shops at Addington will not be considered.

By Order.

Sitting of the Native Land Court at Opotiki on the 8th June, 1926.

Registrar's Office,
Rotorua, 8th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the matter mentioned in the Schedule hereunder written will be heard by the Native Land Court sitting at Opotiki on the 8th day of June, 1926, or as soon thereafter as the business of the Court will allow.

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T. ANARU, Registrar.

SCHEDULE.

ASSESSMENT OF APPLICATION FOR COMPENSATION.

No. 42. Name of applicant: Minister of Public Works. Name of land: Opape 6c, 6h, and 6j. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for land taken for a road.

No. 43. Name of applicant: Minister of Public Works. Name of land: Opape 5d, 4b, and 4d 3. Nature of application: Assessment of compensation for land taken for a road.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Land in Canterbury Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the license of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Canterbury Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: S.T.D.P. 11. Section 15, Hei Hei Settlement. Formerly held by A. Laurie. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of license.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 7th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Wellington Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown, under provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: L.S.R.L. Lease No. 463. Section 7, Waddington Settlement. Formerly held by W. T. Knox. Reason for forfeiture: At request.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Canterbury Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the under-mentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Canterbury Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

TENURE: S.T.L./S. 38. Section 5, Avonhead Settlement. Formerly held by T. R. O'Callaghan. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands

Land in Wellington Land District for Sale or Selection.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 6th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be opened for selection in terms of the Land Act, 1924, and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Monday, the 28th June, 1926.

The land may, at the option of the applicant, be purchased for cash, or be selected for occupation with right of purchase, or on renewable lease.

Applicants must appear personally for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, on Tuesday, 29th June, 1926, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Eketahuna County.—Tararua Survey District.

SECTIONS 1 and 45, Block VI: Area, 705 acres. Capital value, £1,050; £1,285.* Occupation with right of purchase: Half-yearly rent, £26 5s. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £21.

* Valuation for improvements, consisting of felling and grassing 360 acres, £665; fencing, £190; plantation, £10; and a five-roomed dwelling and outbuildings, £420. Arrangements may be made by the successful applicant for a loan of £900 to the State Advances Office on security of the improvements; remainder payable in cash.

These sections are situated in the Stirling Farm Homestead Block at the end of the Mangaroa Road, about nine miles from Eketahuna. Comprises hilly bush country mostly. An area of 360 acres has been felled and grassed, but owing to neglect this area has gone back a good deal to second growth and rubbish. Soil is of a light nature, resting on papa and shingle formation. Sections are watered by small streams.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS.

*Conditional Purchase.**"Cash" System.*

1. Applicants to be seventeen years of age and upwards.
2. Applicants to furnish statutory declarations with applications, and, on being successful, deposit one-fifth of purchase-money; the balance, with Crown-grant fee, is payable within thirty days. The Crown-grant fee is £1 for first 100 acres or less, and ½d. for each additional acre.
3. *Improvements.*—Purchaser must, within ten years, improve the land to the extent of £1 an acre on first-class land,

10s. an acre on second-class land, and 5s. an acre on third-class land, otherwise no Crown grant can issue.

4. Roads may be taken through the land at any time within seven years upon payment of twice the amount paid by the original purchaser for the area taken for such roads.

Occupation with Right of Purchase.

1. Term of license: Twenty-five years, with right of purchase after six years if conditions fulfilled.
2. Rent: 5 per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable on 1st January and 1st July in each year.
3. Applicants to be seventeen years of age and upwards.
4. Applicants to furnish statutory declaration with application, and, on being declared successful, deposit £1 ls. (license fee) and a half-year's rent. Rent for the broken period between date of lease and 1st January or 1st July following is also payable.
5. Applications made on the same day are deemed to be simultaneous.
6. Order of selection is decided by ballot.
7. Successful applicant to execute license within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.
8. Residence is to commence within four years in bush land or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, and to be continuous for six years on bush land or swamp land, and for seven years on open or partly open land. Under certain conditions personal residence may be dispensed with.
9. *Improvements.*—Licensee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the price; within two years to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land, 10s. for every acre of second-class land, and 2s. 6d. for every acre of third-class land.
10. Licensee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
11. Transfer not allowed until completion of two years' continuous residence, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.
12. Roads may be taken through the lands at any time within seven years; twice the original value to be allowed for area taken for such roads.
13. License is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Renewable Lease.

1. Term of lease: Sixty-six years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of sixty-six years, but without right of purchase.
2. Rent: 4 per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable on 1st January and 1st July in each year.
3. Applicants to be seventeen years of age and upwards.
4. Applicants to furnish statutory declaration with applications, and, on being declared successful, deposit £1 ls. (lease fee), and a half-year's rent. Rent for the broken period between date of lease and 1st January or 1st July following is also payable.
5. Applications made on the same day are deemed to be simultaneous.
6. Order of selection is decided by ballot.
7. Successful applicant to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.
8. Residence is to commence within four years in bush land or swamp land, and within one year in open or partly open land, and to be continuous for ten years. Under certain conditions personal residence may be dispensed with.
9. *Improvements.*—Lessee is required to improve the land within one year to the value of 10 per cent. of the price; within two years to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price; and thereafter, but within six years, to the value of another 10 per cent. of the price. In addition to the foregoing, and within six years, improvements are also to be effected to the value of £1 for every acre of first-class land, 10s. for every acre of second-class land, and 2s. 6d. for every acre of third-class land.
10. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
11. Transfer not allowed until completion of two years' continuous residence, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.
12. Roads may be taken through the lands at any time within seven years; twice the original value to be allowed for area taken for such roads.
13. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924. Full particulars can be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Wellington.

H. W. C. MACKINTOSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

STATE FOREST SERVICE NOTICES.

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Auction.

State Forest Service,
Auckland, 11th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned milling-timber will be offered for sale by public auction at the office of the State Forest Service, Auckland, at 11 o'clock a.m., on 31st May, 1926.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.—AUCKLAND
LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber contained in 38 kauri-trees, situated on the western side of Ruru Stream, about eight miles from Paeroa, Block II, Ohinemuri Survey District (Provisional State Forest No. 72).

The estimated quantity is 156,950 super. feet (H.D. measurement).

Upset price, £552.

Ground rent, £1.

Time for removal of timber, six months.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for one-half of the purchase price, together with £1 ground rent and £1 ls. license fee, must be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance be paid three months after the date of sale.

Terms and Conditions.

1. All instalment payments shall be secured by "on demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at 1 per cent in excess of current bank rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

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

3. The attention of all buyers is drawn to the fact that the local controlling body may require the successful bidder to pay any claims or charges which may be made by that body for the maintenance of the road over which the timber may be transported, and before a sawmill license is issued a letter indicating that satisfactory arrangements have been made in this connection must be produced to the undersigned.

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

5. The timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the bid by the Commissioner of State Forests.

6. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber before the date of sale.

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

The conditions which will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser and further particulars may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Director of Forestry, Wellington.

R. D. CAMPBELL,
Conservator of Forests.

Milling-timber for Sale by Public Tender.

State Forest Service,
Invercargill, 10th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given that written tenders for the purchase of the undermentioned milling-timber will close at the office of the State Forest Service, Invercargill, at 4 o'clock p.m., on Friday, the 11th June, 1926.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND FOREST-CONSERVATION REGION.—SOUTHLAND
LAND DISTRICT.

ALL the milling-timber on Section 26, Block VI, Otago Survey District, containing approximately 248 acres (part provisional State forest), situated close to Tokanui Railway-station.

The total estimated quantity in cubic feet is 208,641, or in board feet 1,126,700, made up as follows:—

Species.	Cubic Feet.	Board Feet.
Totara	3,975	21,500
Rimu	194,079	1,048,000
Miro	10,587	57,200
Total	208,641	1,126,700

Upset price, £1,045.

Ground rent, £12 8s. per annum.

Time for removal of timber: Three years.

Further blocks of residual tributary timber in the provisional State forest mentioned will be selected at appropriate times and offered for sale by public auction as occasion warrants.

Terms of Payment.

A marked cheque for one-fifth of the purchase-money, together with half-year's ground rent and £1 ls. license fee, must accompany the tender, and the balance be paid by four equal quarterly instalments, the first of which shall be paid six months after the date of sale.

Terms and Conditions.

1. All instalment-payments shall be secured by "on demand" promissory notes made and endorsed to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of State Forests, and interest at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum in excess of current bank overdraft rates will be charged on all notes overdue from the date of maturity to the date of payment.

2. In addition the successful tenderer shall continue to pay such ground rent half-yearly in advance during the currency of the license.

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

4. The attention of all tenderers is drawn to the fact that the local controlling body may require the successful tenderer to pay any claims or charges which may be made by that body for the maintenance of the road over which the timber may be transported, and before a sawmill license is issued a letter indicating that satisfactory arrangements have been made in this connection must be produced to the undersigned.

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

6. Each tenderer must state the total price that he is prepared to pay for each species. The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted, and the timber described is submitted for sale subject to the final acceptance of the tender by the Commissioner of State Forests.

7. The right is reserved to the Commissioner of State Forests to withdraw from sale any or all of the said timber either before or after the closing date for receipt of tenders.

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

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

The conditions which will be inserted in the license to be issued to the purchaser, and further particulars, may be obtained on application to the undersigned or to the Director of Forestry, Wellington.

D. MACPHERSON, Conservator of Forests.

MAORI LANDS NOTICE.

Tenders for Leases in the Otorohanga Native Township.

Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board Office,
Auckland, 10th May, 1926.

NOTICE is hereby given, in terms of the Native Townships Act, 1910, and the regulations thereunder, that written tenders are invited and will be received at the office of the Waikato-Maniapoto District Maori Land Board, Auckland, up to 4 o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, the 27th day of June, 1926, for leases of the undermentioned sections, for terms of twenty-one years, with right of renewal for further terms of twenty-one years.

SCHEDULE.

WAITOMO COUNTY.—OTOROHANGA TOWNSHIP.

Section.	Block.	Area.			Upset Rental.
		A.	R.	P.	
5	VII	0	3	8	£ 8 5 0
15	XI	0	1	4	5 15 0
28	XII	0	2	25	6 11 0
34	"	0	3	5.8	11 4 0
7	XVI	0	0	31.9	6 12 0
10	"	0	0	31.9	6 12 0
11	"	0	0	31.9	8 4 0
2	XVII	0	1	2.8	6 12 0
3	"	0	1	2.8	6 12 0
4	"	0	1	2.8	6 12 0
7	"	0	0	36.9	8 10 0
18	"	0	2	15	4 7 0
1 of 20	"	0	1	17.5	5 15 0
2 of 21	"	0	1	17.5	5 15 0
2	XXIII	0	1	0	5 0 0
6	"	0	1	0	5 0 0
7	"	0	1	0	5 0 0
10	"	0	1	0	5 0 0
11	"	0	1	28.4	5 0 0

Abstract of Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. The term of the lease shall be twenty-one years from the 1st July, 1926, at the rental tendered, with right of renewal of the lease for further terms of twenty-one years,

at fair annual ground rents, to be fixed in accordance with the terms of the lease.

2. The lessee will pay all rates, taxes, &c.

3. The lessee will keep the land free from noxious weeds.

4. The lessee will keep all buildings, drains, and fences in good order and repair.

5. The lessee will not carry on any offensive trade.

6. The lessee will not assign or sublet without the previous consent in writing of the lessor.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO TENDERERS.

The sections will be leased subject to the upset rental specified in each case.

Every tender shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the President of the Board, and marked on the outside as follows: "Tender for lease of Section , Block , Otorohanga Township."

Tenders must be accompanied by six months' rent, lease fee £4 4s., stamp duty 6s., and registration fee 10s. If any person desires to tender for more than one section, a separate tender for each section to be made. In the event of two or more sections being included in the one lease, the excess fees will be refunded.

The highest tenderer to be declared the lessee, but the Board reserves the right to decline to accept any tender.

Plans of the sections and forms of lease can be inspected at the office of the Under-Secretary for Native Affairs, Wellington, or the office of the Board.

CHARLES E. MACCORMICK,
President, Waikato-Maniapoto District
Maori Land Board.

* BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that TUHI COLEMAN, of Omaramutu, near Opotiki, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Opotiki, on Thursday, the 20th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

7th May, 1926.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK HENRY MACKAY, of Auckland, Launch-proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 21st day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

8th May, 1926.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR HENRY SHERWOOD, formerly of Auckland, Boardinghouse-keeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 19th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

8th May, 1926.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS GIBB, formerly of Hamilton, now of Auckland, Taxi-proprietor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 17th day of May, 1926, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

3rd May, 1926.

V. H. SANSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FINDLAY DONALD MCLEAN, of Otorohanga, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Wednesday, the 19th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

4th May, 1926.

W. S. FISHER,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN LAYNE, of Te Awamutu, Agent, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 17th day of May, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

10th May, 1926.

V. H. SANSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FRED ESHELBY, of Hamilton, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Monday, the 24th day of May, 1926, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

10th May, 1926.

V. H. SANSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS BURGESS, of Meeanee, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 14th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

4th May, 1926.

ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE ARTHUR BROAD, of Palmerston North, Commercial Traveller, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1926, at 11.30 o'clock a.m.

6th May, 1926.

CHARLES E. DEMPSEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MATHEW OLIVER TREMAIN, Motor-driver, of Wanganui, but formerly Farmer, of Kairanga, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury-room, Courthouse, Palmerston North, on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

7th May, 1926.

CHARLES E. DEMPSEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SAMUEL WILLIAM RUDD, of Courtts Street, Wellington, Market-gardener, was this day adjudged bankrupt on creditors' petition; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 17th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.
3rd May, 1926.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ARTHUR WILLIAM KILMISTER and MARTIN JOSEPH SMITH, of Lower Hutt, Bus-proprietors, were this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 13th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.
4th May, 1926.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that VICTOR JOHANSEN, of Hokitika, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office at Hokitika on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock.

WM. WILSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.
6th May, 1926.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GORDON STEPHEN MILLS, of 384 Wainoni Road, Christchurch, Carpenter, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Government Departmental Buildings, Worcester Street, Christchurch, on Thursday, the 20th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

A. W. WATTERS,
Official Assignee.
8th May, 1926.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that AGNESS YATES WEBB, of Ashburton, Draper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 10th day of May, 1926, at 11 o'clock a.m.

J. B. CHRISTIAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.
22nd April, 1926.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MONCRIEFF SHEPHERD, of Dunedin, Baker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 18th day of May, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

E. W. CAVE,
Official Assignee.
6th May, 1926.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ANDREW LILBURNE HOOD and DAVID ALBERT EDWIN HOOD, of Milton, Mechanics, were this day adjudged bankrupts; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Supreme Court, on Tuesday, the 25th day of May, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

E. W. CAVE,
Official Assignee.
8th May, 1926.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DUKE HALLAM, of Otautau, Fruiterer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Invercargill, on Tuesday, the 25th day of May, 1926, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

W. D. WALLACE,
Official Assignee.
11th May, 1926.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcel of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 14th June, 1926.

7491. JULIUS WILLIAMSON and WILLIAM PHILLIPS ENDEAN.—Allotment 4 and part Allotment 68, Parish of Kaukapakapa, containing 2,233 acres. Unoccupied. Plan 19196.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 10th day of May, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

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 within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice:—

1567 (deposited plan No. 4715).—FRANCES MIRIAM LYE.—20.31 perches, parts of Section 611, Town of New Plymouth. Occupied by Roger Sharrock.

1566 (deposited plan No. 4705).—EDWARD PERCY WEBSTER.—1 rood 7.5 perches, part of Section 19, Fitzroy District. Occupied by Sarah Ellen Downs.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 10th day of May, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, New Plymouth.

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

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a fresh certificate of title in the name of FRANCIS WALLACE MACKENZIE, of Wellington, Surgeon, for 11.6 perches, and being Lot 235 on deposited plan 1232 and part of Section 6, Hutt District, and being the balance of the land in certificate of title, Vol. 144, folio 266, Wellington Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the fresh certificate of title as requested, after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 12th day of May, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

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

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

13473. JOHN JAMES HALL.—Part of Rural Section 132, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, deposit plan 7845, Torrens Street, Block XIV, Christchurch Survey District. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 10th day of May, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

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

5336. JOHN McMASTER and JAMES DANIEL McMASTER.—206 acres 2 roods 28.5 perches, part Section 7, Wharekaka Block. Occupied by applicants. Plan 7677.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 12th day of May, 1926, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

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

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of CHARLES HUNTER WALKER, formerly of Dunedin, but now of parts beyond the seas, Gentleman, for 10.6 perches, more or less, being Allotment 65 on the plan of the Extension of the Township of Selwyn, and being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 41, folio 295, and evidence having been

lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin this 10th day of May, 1926.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of provisional Crown leases in the name of GEORGE DEVENNEY, of Ranfurly, Farmer, for 474 acres 1 rood 36 perches, more or less, being Section 8, Block I, Maniototo District, and being all the land in Crown lease Register-book, Vol. 110, folio 78, Otago Registry, and for 331 acres, more or less, being Section 8, Block XIX, Maniototo District, and being all the land in Crown Lease Register-book, Vol. 123, folio 144, Otago Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said Crown leases, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional Crown leases at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin this 10th day of May, 1926.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

A PPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in the name of GEORGE WATSON BELL, of Ranfurly, Saddler, for 2 acres 16.1 perches more or less, being part of Section 15, Block XV, Town of Ranfurly, and being all the land in certificate of title, Vol. 169, folio 16, Otago Registry, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that it is my intention to issue such provisional certificate of title at the expiration of fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated at the Land Registry Office at Dunedin this 10th day of May, 1926.

WM. PHILIP MORGAN, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

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

Kauri Gum, Oil, and Timber (Limited). 1924/221.
Lawson's Proprietary (Limited). 1923/35.

Dated at Auckland this 5th day of May, 1926.

WM. G. FLETCHER,
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 names of the undermentioned companies will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the companies will be dissolved:—

Great Northern Waihi Gold-mining Company (Limited). 1914/63.

Moon Motors (Limited). 1923/46.

Dated at Auckland this 8th day of May, 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 has been dissolved:—

1924/48. Oliver Safety Releasing Hook Company (Limited).

Given under my hand at Auckland this 10th day of May, 1926.

WM. G. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908 (SECTION 262).

I, WALTER HAROLD FLETCHER, Assistant Registrar of Companies, do hereby give notice that an affidavit, a copy of which is hereunder given, by ALFRED SEIFERT, Managing Director of THE REPONUI COMPANY (LIMITED), has been lodged with me, and that, unless notice of objection be lodged with me within sixty days of the publication of this notice, I shall proceed to declare the said company to be dissolved in manner provided by the Companies Act, 1908.

Signed this 29th day of April, 1926.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies, Wellington.

I, ALFRED SEIFERT, Managing Director of THE REPONUI COMPANY (LIMITED), incorporated under the Companies Act, 1908, do hereby make oath and say:—

That the nominal capital of the said Company is £7,000, in 7,000 shares of £1 each.

That the shares have been fully paid up.

That the company has no assets, and has ceased to carry on business.

And I do hereby apply for declaration of dissolution of such company.

ALFRED SEIFERT.

Sworn before me, this 27th day of April, 1926—W. H. Gunning, J.P.

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:—

The Canterbury Afforestation Company of N.Z. (Limited). 24/83.

Given under my hand at Christchurch this 10th day of May, 1926.

J. MORRISON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the CANDY FILTER COMPANY (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated outside of New Zealand.

NOTICE is hereby given that the CANDY FILTER COMPANY (LIMITED), a company duly incorporated in England under the provisions of the Companies Acts, 1862-1900, and having its registered office at Number 14, Church Road, Hanwell, in the County of Middlesex, England, intends to carry on business at Auckland, in New Zealand, and that the office or place of business for the purposes of carrying on such business as aforesaid, and where legal process may be served and notices of any kind may be addressed or delivered, is situated at my office at the registered office of Hancock and Company (Limited), National Trading Company's Buildings, corner Fort Street and Emily Place, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland this 30th day of April, 1926.

THE CANDY FILTER COMPANY (LIMITED),

By its Attorney in New Zealand,

C. ROBINSON.

Stanton, Johnstone, and Spence, Solicitors to the Company, Auckland. 474

MATAURA BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one thousand two hundred and fifty pounds, authorized to be raised by Mataura Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for completion of gravitation water scheme, the said Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of five-twelfths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Borough of Mataura Special-rating Area, comprising the whole of the Borough of Mataura, with the exception of Blocks 7 and 17; 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 June in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

C. D. MCCONNELL, Mayor.

JOHN F. WALSH, Town Clerk.

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MAKERUA DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.—£15,000 LOAN.

IN pursuance of the powers vested in it on that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the Makerua Drainage Board hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purposes of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of fifteen thousand pounds (£15,000), authorized to be raised by the Makerua Drainage Board under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, for the purpose of 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 any 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 said Makerua Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of—

4/6ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property classified A in the Board's district ;
3/6ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property classified B in the Board's district ;
2/6ths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property classified C in the Board's district ;
and that such rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan; and be payable half-yearly on the 1st February and August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 20 years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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F. W. CONNELL, Clerk.

FRANKLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Franklin County Council Shakespear-Sands Road (Waiuku) Special-rating Area Loan of £500 (1925), authorized to be raised by the Franklin County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of metalling the Shakespear-Sands Road, Waiuku, the said Franklin County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one halfpenny ($\frac{1}{2}$ d.) in the pound sterling upon the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Shakespear-Sands Road (Waiuku) Special-rating Area, being part of Waiuku Riding of the County of Franklin, being more particularly described in the Schedule hereto; 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 July in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half ($36\frac{1}{2}$) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

SCHEDULE.

Shakespear-Sands Road (Waiuku) Special-rating Area.

Description of Property.	Area.		
	A.	R.	P.
Part of Allotments 132, 133, and 134, Waiuku East Parish	101	0	0
Allotments 136, 137, and part of 135, Waiuku East Parish	124	3	9
Allotments 56 and 57, Waiuku East Parish	98	2	0
Part of Allotments 50 and 51, Waiuku East Parish	44	2	0
Part of Allotments 49, 50, 51, and 52, Waiuku East Parish	25	0	0
Allotments 54 and 55, Waiuku East Parish	96	0	0

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H. WILCOX, Chairman.
ALAN P. DAY, Clerk.

PAHIATUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of one hundred pounds, authorized to be raised by the Pahiatua County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the construction of the Ruawhata Deviation

Road, the said Pahiatua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-fifteenth of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Ruawhata Deviation Special-rating Area, comprising Sections 139, Block III; 140, Blocks III and IV; 144, 141, 142, 143, 145, 146, Block III; 16, 18, 17, 12, 11, 1B c No. 2B 3, 1B c No. 2B 2, 1B c No. 2A 2B 1, 26, 26, 25, 30, 23, 24, 18, part 13, 22, 21, 17, 16, 20, 19, part 13, 15, 14, part 13, 28, Block IV, Mangahao Survey District; and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of $36\frac{1}{2}$ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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THOMAS HODGINS, Acting-Chairman.
J. HUTTON, County Clerk.

PAHIATUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Pahiatua Manawatu Gorge Contribution Loan of £870, 1926, under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of providing the Council's proportion of levy made for construction-work by the Manawatu Gorge Board of Control, the said Pahiatua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one seventy-fifth ($1/75$ th) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the County of Pahiatua; 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 twenty (20) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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THOMAS HODGINS, Acting-Chairman.
J. HUTTON, County Clerk.

OROUA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Oroua County Manawatu Gorge Road Contribution Loan of £700, 1926, authorized to be raised by the Oroua County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of providing the Council's contribution towards cost of completing Manawatu Gorge Road, the said Oroua County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one one-hundred-and-fiftieth ($1/150$ th) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the whole of the County of Oroua; 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 twenty (20) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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ARCHD. CAMPBELL, Chairman.
ROY L. HARDING, Clerk.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the PURITY PRODUCTS COMPANY (LIMITED), in voluntary liquidation.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of the above-named company will be held at the offices of the Liquidator, Princes Street, Hawera, on Thursday, the 27th day of May, 1926, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of having an account laid before such meeting showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the assets of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation which the Liquidator may wish to give; and for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution disposing of the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator.

Dated at Hawera this 7th day of May, 1926.

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A. GRANT,
Liquidator.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between JAMES ALEXANDER FRASER and WILLIAM GEORGE FRASER, carrying on business as General Storekeepers at Albury, under the style or firm of "Fraser Bros.," has been dissolved by mutual agreement as from the 29th day of March, 1926. The business will in future will be carried on by "FRASER AND Co." to whom all accounts owing are to be paid.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1926.

JAMES ALEXANDER FRASER,

Signed by the said James Alexander Fraser in the presence of—Clifford F. Jones, Solicitor, Timaru.

WILLIAM GEORGE FRASER.

Signed by the said William George Fraser in the presence of—Clifford F. Jones, Solicitor, Timaru. 482

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of Company: The Temuka Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 11th December, 1924.
 Whether in active operation or not: Not yet in active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Mendelson's Buildings, King Street, Temuka; Bernard Hughes.
 Nominal capital: £2,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £2,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £685.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: Nil.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 2,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 2,000.
 Amount paid per share: 8s.
 Amount called up per share: 8s.
 Number and amount of calls in arrears: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: Nil.
 Number of forfeited shares sold and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.
 Present number of shareholders: 10.
 Number of men employed by company: Nil.
 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: £398 13s. 6d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £717 13s. 6d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank: £36 17s. 7d.
 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 (if any): £400.
 Amount of debts owing to company: Nil.

I, Bernard Hughes, of Temuka, the Secretary of the Temuka 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 the 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.

BERNARD HUGHES.

Declared at Temuka this 27th day of April, 1926, before me—H. E. Gapper, J.P. 483

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, FRANCIS REGINALD LEONARD, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery, University of New Zealand, 1925, Bachelor of Science, University of New Zealand, 1922, now residing in Auckland, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 6th June, 1926, 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 Auckland.

F. R. LEONARD,
 District Hospital, Auckland.

Dated at Auckland, 6th May, 1926. 484

E. FEIST AND COMPANY (LIMITED).

A PRIVATE COMPANY INCORPORATED UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that it was resolved by the above-named company on the 30th day of April, 1926,—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908, and that PHILIP HARRY PUTNAM, of Wellington, Solicitor, be hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

Dated this 5th day of May, 1926.

P. H. PUTNAM,
 Liquidator.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, carrying on business as Furniture and Second-hand Dealers in Dickens Street, Napier, under the style or firm of "Dunstall and Taylor," has been this day dissolved by mutual consent, on which day the undersigned SYDNEY TAYLOR retired from the said business; and that henceforth the said business will be conducted by the undersigned, ALBERT EDWARD DUNSTALL, on his own behalf.

All debts owing to the said Partnership should be paid to the said Albert Edward Dunstall, whose receipt will be sufficient discharge for same.

Dated this 1st day of May, 1926.

A. E. DUNSTALL.
 S. TAYLOR.

Witness to both signatures—John M. Runciman, Solicitor, Napier. 486

THE Partnership heretofore existing between ALLAN NORMAN OAKEY and CHARLES GOATER BAKER, heretofore carried on at Strathallan Street, Timaru, under the name or style of "Oakey, Baker, and Co.," has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by the said ALLAN NORMAN OAKEY.

C. G. BAKER.
 A. N. OAKEY.

1st May, 1926. 487

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between us at Waipukurau, under the style of "H. F. and M. Chandler," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 31st day of March, 1926. All Partnership accounts to the date of dissolution are to be paid or rendered to H. F. CHANDLER, Waipukurau.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1926.

H. F. CHANDLER.
 M. CHANDLER.

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PRIVATE BILL.

In the matter of a proposed Bill or Act intitled "An Act to enable the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Wellington to sell and dispose of certain Lands in the Archdiocese of Wellington, and to apply the Net Proceeds thereof in or towards the Purchase of other Lands in the Archdiocese, and in or towards the Erection of Churches and School Buildings, and to authorize the Raising of Money on the Security of the Lands so acquired or any of them."

WHEREAS, in virtue of the provisions of the Roman Catholic Lands Act, 1876, as amended by the Roman Catholic Lands Extension Act, 1890, the Roman Catholic Archbishop is a Corporation sole in whom are vested all lands belonging to the Roman Catholic Church in the Archdiocese of Wellington: And whereas there are in various parts of the said archdiocese lands which by reason of altered circumstances are no longer suitable for the purpose for which they were originally acquired:

Notice is hereby given that, within fourteen days of the meeting of the General Assembly of New Zealand, to be held next after the date of this notice, a petition will be presented to the said General Assembly praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill to be called "The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Wellington Empowering Act, 1926."

The objects of the said application and Bill are:—
 To enable the Archbishop to sell the lands described in the Schedule thereto, or any of them, and to expend the proceeds

thereof in the purchase of other lands in the archdiocese, and to erect churches and school buildings thereon, and to borrow money on the security of the lands do acquired or any of them.

A copy of the said petition and Bill will be deposited in the office of the Examiner of Standing Orders either before or within fourteen days of the commencement of the said session.

Dated at Wellington this 7th day of May, 1926.

FRANCIS REDWOOD,
Archbishop of Wellington.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE OF SURNAME.

I, HERBERT MONTAGUE MILLS, heretofore called and known by the name of "Herbert Montague Higginson," hereby give public notice that by deed-poll dated the 24th day of April, 1926, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the office of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Auckland on the 29th day of April, 1926, under No. 3608, I formally and absolutely renounced and abandoned the surname of "Higginson," and declared that I had assumed and adopted and intended thenceforth upon all occasions whatsoever to use and subscribe the name of "Herbert Montague Mills" instead of "Herbert Montague Higginson," and so as to be at all times thereafter called, known, and described by the name of "Herbert Montague Mills" exclusively.

Dated at Tauranga this 24th day of April, 1926.

HERBERT MONTAGUE MILLS.
(Late HERBERT MONTAGUE HIGGINSON).

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of TAYLER, SCRIVENER, AND Co. (LIMITED), a private company duly incorporated and having its registered office at Bridge Street, Eltham.

NOTICE is hereby given that the general meeting of the above company required by section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, will be held at 1.30 p.m. on Friday, 4th June, 1926, at the office of Thos. B. Crump, Solicitor, Eltham, for the purpose of receiving the Liquidator's account and considering the disposal of the books of the company.

H. W. BOVIS,
Liquidator.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership business heretofore carried on by the undersigned at Wellington as Tobaccoists, under the firm-name of "G. and C. Aldous," has been dissolved as from the 5th day of May, 1926.

G. ALDOUS.
C. ALDOUS.

Witness to both signatures—R. St. J. Beere, Solicitor, Wellington. 492

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

WE, the undersigned, do hereby give notice that the Partnership in the business hitherto carried on by us as Carriers and Garage-proprietors at Glen Eden, Auckland, under the name of "Cooke and Lawrence," has been dissolved.

Dated at Glen Eden this 19th day of September, 1925.

P. COOKE.
P. LAWRENCE.

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METHODIST CHURCH OF NEW ZEALAND.

I, PERCY NORWOOD KNIGHT, President of the Conference of the Methodist Church of New Zealand, hereby certify that the REVEREND SAMUEL LAWRY has been duly appointed "Authorized Representative" for the year 1926-27, in accordance with the provisions of the Wesleyan Methodist Church Property Trust Act, 1887.

PERCY N. KNIGHT,
President of the Conference.

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MAY AND ARROWSMITH (LIMITED).

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named company on the 6th day of May, 1926, resolved as follows:— That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that Mr. HUGH BAILY be appointed Liquidator, and that his remuneration be £26 5s. 495

MANAWATU DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Manawatu Drainage Board Loan of £5,000, 1926, authorized to be raised by the Manawatu Drainage Board under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of widening, deepening, diverting, straightening, putting in flood-gates, and doing all such other works and acts as may be necessary for the purpose of improving the Joint Outlet, Whiskey Creek, Burke's Drain, Boundary Drain, and Main Drain, the said Board makes and levies the special differential rates on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Manawatu Drainage District:—

On lands classified "A" a special rate of seventy-six eight-hundredths (76/800ths) of a penny in the pound sterling:

On lands classified "B" a special rate of forty-nine eight-hundredths (49/800ths) of a penny in the pound sterling:

On lands classified "C" a special rate of thirty-one eight-hundredths (31/800ths) of a penny in the pound sterling:

and that such special differential rates shall be annually recurring rates during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the first day of February in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty (20) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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F. W. CONNELL, Clerk.

MOUNT WELLINGTON ROAD BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Mount Wellington Road Board Roading Loan of £34,600, 1926, authorized to be raised by the Mount Wellington Road Board under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of—

1. To augment the existing loan authority in order that the Panmure-Otahuhu Road and the Ellerslie-Panmure Road may be paved with concrete instead of bituminous macadam, as authorized, and that a footpath may be constructed from Lake Road to Pit Road, along the Ellerslie-Panmure Road, and from Panama Road to Portage Road, along the Otahuhu-Panmure Road;
2. To pay out of the loan the cost of raising same and the first year's interest and sinking fund,—

the said Board hereby makes and levies a special rate of seventeen-twentieths (17/20ths) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Mount Wellington Road District; and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

497

J. WOOD, Chairman.
F. L. MAY, Clerk.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership hitherto existing between us, the undersigned, as Butchers, at Gore, under the firm name of "Mason and McLeod," has been dissolved as at the 1st day of May, 1926. The business will in future be carried on by the said MALVENA ANN McLEOD in the same premises. All debts due to the Partnership are payable to the said Malvena Ann McLeod, and all accounts owing by the Partnership will be paid by her.

Dated at Gore this 8th day of May, 1926.

MALVENA ANN McLEOD.
ALEX. MASON.

Witness to both signatures—T. R. Pryde, Law Clerk, Gore. 498

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE Partnership hitherto subsisting between Mrs. L. E. ROWLATT and Mrs. E. W. MOORE, carrying on business as Booksellers and Stationers at 16 Wellesley Street, East Auckland, under the name of "Rowlatt and Moore," has been dissolved as at the 30th day of April, 1926.

Mrs. Rowlatt has retired from the business, which will as from the said date be carried on by Mrs. Moore under the old firm name. All accounts due by and all accounts owing to the late firm will be respectively paid and collected by the remaining partner.

Dated this 10th day of May, 1926.

L. E. ROWLATT.
E. W. MOORE.

Witness—C. S. Leahy, Solicitor, Auckland. 499

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