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Allocating Land reserved and taken for a Railway to the Purposes of a Street, in Borough of New Plymouth, at New Plymouth.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land: 1 acre 1 rood 24.32 perches.

Portion of Railway Reserve, (Section 50, Grey District), Borough of New Plymouth.

In the Taranaki Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked W.R. 35754, deposited in the office of the Minister of Railways at Wellington, and thereon bordered purple.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 24th day of February, 1927.

J. ROLLESTON,
Acting Minister of Railways.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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Allocating to the Purposes of a Road Land in Block III, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District, Whakatane County, taken for a Railway.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land which is described in the Schedule hereto (and which was taken for the purposes of the East Coast Main Trunk Railway and is not now required for such purposes) shall, upon the publication hereof in the *New Zealand Gazette*, become a road, and that such road shall be maintained by the Whakatane County Council in like manner as other public highways are controlled and maintained by the said Council.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land dealt with: 1 rood 12 perches.

Being portion of railway land, situated in Block III, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District, Matata Parish. (S.O. 23842.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65094, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured yellow.

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 1st day of March, 1927.

O. HAWKEN, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 35/323.)

Proclaiming a Road-line laid out through Subdivisions of the Rangitoto A No. 32b and A No. 48b Blocks, Block III, Pakaumanu Survey District, Auckland Land District, to be a Public Road.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the land described in the Schedule hereto was by an order of the Native Land Court made on the seventeenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, duly laid off as a road-line, in pursuance of sections forty-nine and fifty of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913:

And whereas the said Court is of the opinion that it is in the public interest that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road, and a notification to that effect has been forwarded to the Minister of Lands, in terms of section fifty-one of the said Act:

And whereas one month's notice in writing of the intention to proclaim the said road-line as a public road has been given by the Surveyor-General to the local authorities of the districts concerned, in terms of section fifteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914:

And whereas it is now expedient that the said road-line should be proclaimed as a public road:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by sections forty-nine and fifty of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1913, and in so far as each of these sections is applicable, do hereby proclaim as a public road the road-line described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

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

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
0	2	3	Rangitoto A No. 48B 2B 2 Block; coloured pink.
4	0	17	Rangitoto A No. 48B 2B 3 Block; coloured yellow.
4	3	14	Rangitoto A No. 39B 2A Block; coloured blue.
18	3	37	Rangitoto A No. 48B 2C Block; coloured pink.
2	1	2	Rangitoto A No. 48B 2A Block; coloured yellow.

Situated in Block III, Pakaumanu Survey District.

In the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 16/1414, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2204, 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 28th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Resuming Land for Gravel Purposes in Lower Hawea Survey District, Otago Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and thirty-five of the Land Act, 1924 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), it is, *inter alia*, enacted that the Governor-General may by Proclamation resume possession of any land leased under Part V of the said Act, or under the corresponding provisions of any former Land Act, which in his opinion is required for any public purpose:

And whereas the lands described in the Schedule hereto form part of land held under small grazing-run lease from His Majesty the King, issued under Part V of the Land Act, 1908, and dated the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eleven:

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto are required for a public purpose—that is to say, for gravel purposes:

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and thirty-five of the Land Act, 1924, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and

declare that I hereby resume possession of the lands mentioned in the Schedule hereto for the public purpose hereinbefore mentioned, the same being part of the land held under small grazing-run lease as aforesaid.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land resumed:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
1	0	0	Portion of Section 10, Block VII.
2	1	0	" "

Situated in Run 507, Lower Hawea Survey District, in the Otago Land District; as the same are delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 8/9/263A, 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 22nd day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Road closed in Block III, Onewhero Survey District, North Auckland Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of roads closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Portion of
1	3	6	Adjoining Allotment 6A, Parish of Tuakau.
2	2	10	" " "

Situated in Block III, Onewhero Survey District.

In the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 9/1540, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2201, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 28th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Constituting the North Canterbury Electric-power District and Outer Area.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section three of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, and of every other power and authority enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim the district described in the First Schedule hereto to be an electric-power district, and I hereby assign to such district the name of the "North Canterbury Electric-power District"; and I do further proclaim that the area described in the Second Schedule hereto shall be the outer area of such electric-power district.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

NORTH CANTERBURY ELECTRIC-POWER DISTRICT.

ALL that area of land situated in the Land District of Canterbury, comprising the County of Rangiora (but not including therein the Borough of Rangiora), the County of Kowai, and the Loburn-Whiterock Riding of the Ashley County, all as at present constituted, together with those portions of the Counties of Oxford, Ashley, and Eyre as are bounded as follows: Commencing at a point being the intersection of the Rangiora, Eyre, and Waimairi County boundaries, and proceeding thence generally in the following directions: South-westerly along the southern boundary of the Eyre

County until it strikes the south-western boundary of Rural Section 4895; thence along the south-western boundaries of Rural Sections 1563, 1564, 2189, 2247, 2270, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2269, 2270, and 2271; thence north-easterly along the north-western boundary of the aforementioned Rural Section 2271, until it strikes Storey's Road; thence north-westerly along Storey's Road to the Middle Island Road; thence in a north-easterly direction along Middle Island Road until it joins Heyward's Road; thence along Heyward's Road in a north-westerly direction until it strikes Dixon's Road; thence along Dixon's Road in a south-westerly direction to Harper's Road; thence in a south-westerly direction to the eastern boundary of Rural Section 11376; thence in a north-westerly direction along the eastern boundary of Rural Section 11376; thence in a south-westerly and north-westerly direction still following the boundary of Rural Section 11376 to its junction with the boundary of Rural Section 5898; thence north-easterly along the eastern boundary of Rural Section 5898 until it meets the Eyre Road south; thence in a north-westerly direction following the Eyre Road south to Moffat's Road; thence along Moffat's Road in a north-easterly direction to the south-western boundary of Rural Section 6167; thence in a north-westerly direction along the south-western boundaries of Rural Sections 6167, 4480, and 4204; thence following the southern bank of the Eyre River to its junction with the north branch of the Eyre River; thence along the southern bank of the north branch of the Eyre River to the road bounding the north-eastern boundaries of Rural Sections 17978, 20285, 9445, 8306, 5168, 1949, 1923, 1827, 1825, 1826, and 1840; thence along the north-eastern boundary of Rural Section 1909 in a south-easterly direction; thence in a north-easterly direction along the northern boundaries of Rural Sections 4853, 7883, 1980, 19413; thence north-easterly along the north-western boundary of Rural Section 19413 to its junction with a road; thence after crossing the road in a north-easterly direction along the northern boundaries of Rural Sections 27326, 14489 until it strikes the McCandlash's Road; thence, after crossing the road in a south-easterly direction, along the south-western boundaries of Rural Sections 12883, 6267; thence in a north-easterly direction along the south-eastern boundary of Rural Section 6267 to the north-western corner of Rural Section 19287; thence in a south-easterly direction along the north-eastern boundaries of Rural Sections 19287 and 20284 until it meets the Old Mill Road; thence in a north-westerly direction along the Old Mill Road to its junction with Crallan's Drain Road; thence in a direct line north-easterly to the north-west corner of Rural Section 17026; thence north-easterly along the north-western boundary of Rural Section 17026 until it meets Bay Road; thence south-east to the south-western boundary of Rural Section 12728; thence in a south-easterly, north-easterly, and north-westerly direction following the boundary of Rural Section 12728, and thence in a northerly direction along the north-eastern boundaries of Rural Sections 12741 and 17828; thence along and across a road to the intersection of the north-western boundary of Rural Section 17831 with Rural Section 7772; thence in a north-westerly direction along the north-eastern boundary of Rural Section 17831; thence generally in a north-easterly direction along the boundaries of Run 222 and Rural Sections 26015, 21903, 20780, 20778, 20779, and 23104; thence in a north-easterly direction along the north-western boundary of Rural Sections 21713 and 32763; thence by a right line north-east to the Ashley River; thence following the river to the district boundary between the Upper Ashley and the Ashley Survey Districts, and following the said boundary in a northerly direction to the northern boundary of Run 146; thence running in a north-easterly and south-easterly direction along the northern boundary of Run 146 to its intersection with Rural Section 15945; thence in a north-easterly direction along the north-western boundary of Rural Section 15945 to its junction with Glentui Bush Road; thence south-easterly along Glentui Bush Road to the south-eastern boundary of Rural Section 15915; thence in a north-easterly direction along the south-eastern boundary of Rural Section 15915, to the Glentui River; thence in a south-easterly direction along the Glentui River to the north-western boundary of Rural Section 19699, and thence following the north-western boundary of Rural Sections 19699, 24312, and 14502; thence running in a south-easterly direction along the north-eastern boundary of Rural Section 14502 to the north-western boundary of Rural Section 24368; thence following that boundary in a north-easterly direction to its intersection with a road; thence crossing the road and following the southern boundary of Reserve 894 in a general easterly direction to the Garry River; thence in an easterly direction following the Garry River to the north-western boundary of Rural Section 31221; thence in a north-easterly direction following the north-western boundary of Rural Section 31221 to a road; thence following the road in an easterly direction to its intersection with the boundary of Rural Section 37047; thence

along the boundary of Rural Section 37047 in an easterly direction to the corner; thence southerly, south-east, and south-west following the boundary of Rural Section 31220 to its intersection with Hayland Road at the Garry River; thence following the Garry River in a south-easterly direction to its junction with the county boundary at the confluence of the Garry and Ashley Rivers; thence following in a westerly direction the boundary between Rangiora and Ashley Counties to the point of intersection of the Oxford, Ashley, and Rangiora County boundaries; thence following along the western Rangiora County boundary generally in a southerly direction to the point of intersection of Oxford, Eyre, and Rangiora County boundaries; thence following the Rangiora County south boundary in a general south-easterly direction to the intersection of the county boundary with the Kaiapoi Borough boundary; thence following the Borough boundary in a southerly and then easterly direction back to the commencing-point. As the said area is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 66942, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged yellow.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

OUTER AREA.

ALL that area of land situated in the Land District of Canterbury, comprising that part of the County of Ashley, the County of Oxford, and the County of Eyre, not comprised in the Electric-power District of North Canterbury, together with the Borough of Rangiora and the Borough of Kaiapoi; all as at present constituted. As the said area is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 66942, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured purple.

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 26th day of February, 1927.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 26/1131.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Street, at Lucknow Terrace, in the City of Wellington.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a street at Lucknow Terrace, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Wellington as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A. R.	P.	Being
0 0	0.44	Portions shown as reserves on D.P. 1573, part Section 4A.
0 0	0.16	Portions shown as reserves on D.P. 1573, part Section 4A.

Situated in Block XI, Belmont Survey District (Harbour R.D.). (S.O. 2134.)

In the Wellington Land District. As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68296, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of February, 1927.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 51/1032.)

Land taken for a further Portion of the Midland Railway, Portion of Kawatiri Section, Murchison Section, and for Road-diversions in connection therewith (59m. 16.5 chs.—67 m.).

[L.S.]

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land mentioned in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for a further portion of the Midland Railway, portion of Kawatiri Section, Murchison Section, and for road-diversions in connection therewith.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Shown on Plan.	Coloured on Plan.	Sheet No. of Plan.
FOR RAILWAY.					
A. R. P.					
5 0 33	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	VII	P.W.D. 64347	Pink .. 1
0 0 1.8	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
3 1 0	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
1 0 0	"	" ..	"	"	Edged pink .. 1
0 2 12	Road	" ..	"	"	Green .. 1
0 0 20	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
0 1 35	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
0 1 9	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
0 0 23	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1 and 2
5 3 0	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	"	Pink .. 2
0 1 39	"	" ..	VI & VII	"	" .. 2
1 3 28	"	" ..	VI	"	" .. 2
0 2 0	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2
2 2 38.7	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2
1 1 16	Road	" ..	VI & VII	"	Green .. 2
0 3 0	"	" ..	VI	"	" .. 2
0 0 32	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2
1 2 9	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	"	Pink .. 3
8 1 0	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
0 0 3.9	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
0 0 4.8	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
0 2 3	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
2 3 18	"	" ..	"	"	Edged red .. 3
1 0 3	Road	" ..	"	"	Green .. 3
0 0 37	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
0 2 17	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
0 1 14	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
1 0 17	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
2 2 6	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	P.W.D. 63561	Pink .. 1
0 0 15	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
0 3 30	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 2	.. ..	"	"	" .. 1
0 2 20	Road	" ..	"	"	Green .. 1
2 3 20	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
1 1 34.6	Section 2, Public Utility Reserve ..	.. ..	X	P.W.D. 65738	Pink
0 1 17.5	"	" ..	"	"	"
0 1 5.7	"	" ..	"	"	"
0 0 1.9	"	" ..	"	"	"
0 0 7.4	"	" ..	"	"	"
0 0 7.4	Road	" ..	"	"	Green
0 2 8.5	"	" ..	"	"	"
3 2 11	"	" ..	"	"	"
4 2 7	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	P.W.D. 63561	Pink .. 2
0 2 32	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2
0 1 9	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2
0 0 0.12	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2
2 1 29	Road	" ..	"	"	Green .. 2
0 0 0.20	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	P.W.D. 64348	Pink .. 1
8 0 38	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1
3 0 38.18	Section 1 .. ..	.. ..	"	"	Red .. 1
2 3 10	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	"	Pink .. 1
0 1 6.15	Road	" ..	"	"	Green .. 1
0 0 11.43	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 1 and 2
15 0 25	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	IX & X	"	Pink .. 2
0 1 25.8	Road	" ..	X	"	Green .. 2
0 1 2.24	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2
0 2 4.18	"	" ..	IX	"	" .. 2
0 0 9.06	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 2 and 3
9 2 35	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	"	Pink .. 3
0 0 0.22	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3
0 1 20.71	Section 1 .. ..	.. ..	"	"	Red .. 3
5 2 35.9	" .. ..	.. ..	"	"	" .. 3
0 3 34.73	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	.. ..	"	"	Pink .. 3
0 0 37.19	Road	" ..	"	"	Green .. 3
0 1 31.98	"	" ..	"	"	" .. 3

Approximate Areas of the Pieces of Land taken.	Being Portion of	Situated in Block	Shown on Plan.	Coloured on Plan	Sheet No. of Plan.
FOR ROAD-DIVERSIONS.					
A. R. P.					
0 0 23	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	VII	P.W.D. 64347	Sepia	1
0 0 18	"	"	"	"	1
0 0 39	"	"	"	"	1
0 0 6	"	"	"	"	1
0 0 10	"	"	"	"	1
0 0 23	"	"	"	"	1
0 0 33	"	"	"	"	1
0 0 1-4	"	"	"	"	2
1 2 24	"	VI & VII	"	"	2
0 0 6	"	VI	"	"	2
0 1 23	"	VI & VII	"	"	2
1 0 1	"	VI	"	"	2
0 1 23	"	"	"	"	3
0 0 27	"	"	"	"	3
0 0 11-5	"	"	"	"	3
0 1 17	"	"	"	"	3
0 3 36	"	"	"	"	3
0 2 19	"	"	P.W.D. 63561	"	1
0 3 30	"	"	"	"	1
0 3 18	Section 2, Public Utility Reserve ..	X	P.W.D. 65738	Yellow	..
0 2 19-8	"	"	"	"	..
1 0 20	"	"	"	"	..
0 3 32	"	"	"	"	..
0 0 13	"	"	P.W.D. 63561	Orange	2
2 2 8	Scenery Preservation Reserve No. 1	"	"	Sepia	2
0 1 2-94	"	"	P.W.D. 64348	"	1
2 0 39-75	"	"	"	"	1
0 3 5-6	"	"	"	"	1
0 0 9-64	"	"	"	"	1 and 2
0 1 28-07	"	"	"	"	2
0 0 0-01	"	"	"	"	2
0 0 36-25	"	"	"	"	2
0 1 37-6	"	IX	"	"	2
0 0 6-45	"	"	"	"	2 and 3
0 0 35-88	"	"	"	"	3
0 2 16-62	"	"	"	"	3
0 3 7-24	"	"	"	"	3
0 1 24-63	"	"	"	"	3
0 0 8-23	"	"	"	"	3
0 2 39-5	"	"	"	"	3
1 0 3-49	Section 1	"	"	Orange	3

Situated in the Hope Survey District.

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

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 28th day of February, 1927.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Public Works.

(P.W. 11/4.)

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land taken for the Purposes of a Quarry in the City of Wellington.

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

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a quarry, and shall vest in the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Wellington as from the date hereinafter mentioned; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the eighteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1 acre 1 rood 6-76 perches.
Being Lot 84, D.P. 1463, of Section 10, situated in Block VII, Port Nicholson Survey District (Watts Peninsula R.D.), (City of Wellington). (S.O. 2142.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68117, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at

Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 22nd day of February, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 54/444.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in the Borough of Lower Hutt.

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

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 34 perches.
Being Lot 4 on D.P. 1612, being part Section 12 (Borough of Lower Hutt), situated in Block XIV, Belmont Survey District (Hutt R.D.). (S.O. 2176.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68181, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon bordered green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 1st day of March, 1927.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 41/640.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block III, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District, Whakatane County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 2 roods 39 perches.

Being portion of Allotment 52, Matata Parish, situated in Block III, Rangitaiki Upper Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23842.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 65094, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 1st day of March, 1927.

O. HAWKEN, for Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 35/323.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block VIII, Paekakariki Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 1 rood 4.7 perches.

Being portion of Lot 30, D.P. 2073, part Section 97, situated in Block VIII, Paekakariki Survey District (Porirua R.D.). (S.O. 2106.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 67081, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at

Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of February, 1927.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/9/1/7.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Post-office in Block XVI, Piako Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a post-office; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 39.5 perches.
Being Part Lot 3 of Section 1.

Situated in Block XVI, Piako Survey District. (S.O. 24248.)
In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 67695, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of February, 1927.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 20/1015.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XVI, Piako Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken : 0.5 perches.
Being portion of Lot 3 of Section 1.

Situated in Block XVI, Piako Survey District. (S.O. 24258.)
In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 67696, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of February, 1927

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 20/1015.)

Crown Land set apart for Courthouse Purposes in Block X, Waitapu Survey District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of every other power and authority in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby proclaim and declare that the Crown land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby set apart for courthouse purposes, and I also hereby declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area: 36 perches.

Being part Section 18, Takaka District, Block X, Waitapu Survey District. (S.O. 92/29.)

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68326, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of February, 1927.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 22/159.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block V, Takahue Survey District, Kaitiaki Town District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

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

A.	R.	P.	Being Portion of
0	0	1.96	O.L.C. 7; coloured blue.
0	0	2.35	„ 7; „ red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
0	0	1.96	Part Lot 268, D.P. 14239; coloured green.
0	0	0.8	„ 278 „ „
0	0	0.8	„ 279 „ „
0	0	1.1	„ 280 „ „

Being portions of O.L.C. 7.

All situated in Block V, Takahue Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23877.)

All in the North Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 67175, 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 22nd day of February, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 33/892.)

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block IV, Moehau Survey District, Coromandel County.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 2 acres 1 rood 14 perches.

Being portion of Section 2; coloured red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of piece of road closed: 2 acres 2 roods 22 perches.

Adjoining or passing through Section 2; coloured green.

All situated in Block IV, Moehau Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 23904.)

All in the Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 66145, 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 15th day of October, 1926.

W. NOSWORTHY,
For Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 36/1133.)

Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

KAIMANAWA 1E 2A Block, Waitahanui and Maruanui Survey Districts: Approximate area, 1,555 acres 2 roods.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 26th day of February, 1927.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
For Acting Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Proclaiming Native Land to have become Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section fourteen of the Native Land Amendment Act, 1914, it is provided, *inter alia*, that on being satisfied that the purchase of any Native land has been duly completed by or on behalf of the Crown under

the authority of the Native Land Act, 1909, the Governor-General may issue a Proclamation that such land has become Crown land:

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

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

SCHEDULE.

TAKAMORE A 4 Block, Block XII, Mangaoporo Survey District: Approximate area, 90 acres 0 roods 29 perches, and being all that land described in certificate of title, Vol. 77, folio 138, at the Gisborne District Land Registry.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 24th day of February, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS,
Acting Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Licensing Frederick Augustus Macdonald, of Colville, Coromandel, to occupy a Part of the Foreshore near Waiaro, Coromandel Peninsula, Hauraki Gulf, for the Purpose of taking Shingle.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Auckland, this 21st day of February, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Frederick Augustus Macdonald, of Colville (hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), to use and occupy a part of the foreshore near Waiaro, Coromandel Peninsula, for the purpose of taking away the shingle deposited thereon; and, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act, has deposited a plan in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 6314) showing the area of foreshore intended to be occupied for such purpose:

And whereas it is desirable to grant the license applied for: Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the 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 which is particularly shown and delineated within a red line on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of taking away the shingle deposited 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 necessary for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, as shown within a red line in the plan marked M.D. 6314, 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 licensee shall, on being supplied with a copy thereof, pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter shall deposit annually the sum of £26 to be applied as hereinafter provided, payable on the 1st day of April in each year; provided that, in respect of the period from the date of this Order in Council until the 31st day of March, 1927, the amount to be deposited shall be an amount proportionate to the said period, at the rate of £26 per annum, to be deposited on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

4. The royalty payable by the licensee in consideration of the concessions and privileges hereby granted shall be at the rate of 9d. per cubic yard on all shingle taken from either above or below high-water mark. If in any year the licensee fails to remove any shingle the deposit hereinbefore referred to shall be appropriated by the Minister as flat rent in respect of that year; but if during any year the licensee removes any shingle the deposit shall, in proportion to the amount of shingle so removed, be applied as royalty at the rate hereinbefore mentioned, but so that the minimum amount payable as combined royalty and flat rent in any one complete year shall be £26. All such payments shall be made to the Superintendent of Mercantile Marine at Auckland, or such other person as the Minister may direct.

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

6. 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 any regulation of the Minister of Customs, or with any provisions of the Harbours Act, 1908, or its amendments, or any regulations made thereunder, and that are now or may hereafter be in force.

7. 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 date hereof, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges are revoked by competent authority as hereinafter provided; and the licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

8. The licensee shall keep a strictly accurate record of all shingle removed in terms of this Order in Council, and shall submit the same for inspection immediately at the end of each month to the Superintendent of Mercantile Marine at Auckland, or such other officer as may be appointed by the Minister; and shall at the same time pay to the Superintendent or other officer as aforesaid the amount of royalty due to the Minister.

9. In case the licensee shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them;
- (2.) Become bankrupt, or be brought under the operation of any law for the time being in force relating to bankruptcy;
- (3.) Fail to pay the sums specified in clauses 3 and 4 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 on giving thirty days notice to the licensee, 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.

10. Payment by the licensee of any of the sums hereinbefore mentioned shall be sufficient evidence of the acceptance by him of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Validating Proceedings in connection with a Loan of One Thousand Five Hundred Pounds (£1,500) proposed to be raised by the Stratford County Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Auckland, this 21st day of February, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Stratford County Council, acting under and in pursuance of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, proposes to raise a loan of one thousand five hundred

pounds (£1,500) authorized by a special order passed on the twentieth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and confirmed on the eighteenth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, pursuant to a petition of the ratepayers in the South Mangaehu, Perrys, and Tauwharenikau Roads Special-rating District of the County of Stratford, for the purpose of metalling portions of the South Mangaehu, Perrys, and Tauwharenikau Roads:

And whereas the proceedings are irregular in that the advertisements as required by section ninety-nine, subsection (c), of the Counties Act, 1920, and published in the *Stratford Evening Post* newspaper at Stratford on the twenty-third and thirtieth days of November and the eleventh and fourteenth days of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, respectively, were not published once in each and every of the four weeks immediately preceding the date of the meeting confirming the special order:

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on him by section one hundred and twenty-two of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the proceedings taken shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though the advertisements had been published once in each and every of the four weeks immediately preceding the date of the meeting confirming the special order, and that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall not be called into question by reason only of the irregularity or defect aforesaid.

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

Deer to cease to be Imported Game within Additional State Forest Service Plantation in the Rotorua County.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by a Warrant dated the fifteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and gazetted on the twenty-fifth day of the same month, made under the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), deer were declared to cease to be imported game within State forest plantations in the Rotorua County:

And whereas it is desirable that deer should cease to be imported game within an additional State forest plantation:

Now, therefore, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by the said Act, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that on and from the date hereof deer shall cease to be included in the Second Schedule of the said Act within the area described in the Schedule hereto, being a State forest plantation in the Rotorua County.

SCHEDULE.

KAINGAROA STATE FOREST PLANTATION EXTENSION.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District containing by admeasurement 55,812 acres, more or less, being Kaingaroa State Plantation Extension, situated in Blocks VIII, XI, XII, XIII, XIV, XV, and XVI, Kaingaroa Survey District, Blocks I, II, III, IV, VI, VII, and VIII, Weao Survey District, Blocks I, V, IX, and XIII, Galatea Survey District, and Block I, Akikareru Survey District, and bounded generally as follows: Commencing at the most westerly point, being the north-east corner of Kaingaroa 1A North Block, and bounded towards the north and north-west generally by Kaingaroa Plantation, *Gazette*, 1911, page 3567; towards the west generally by Kaingaroa Plantation, *Gazette*, 1926, page 1918; towards the north generally by the Ngatama-wahine Stream; towards the east generally by Rangipo No. 1, Rangipo No. 2, Section 1, Block V, Galatea Survey District, subdivisions of the Karatia Block, a public road, a post-office site, the Te Whaiti Road, Section 2, Block XVI, Kaingaroa Survey District, and by the Rangitaiki River; towards the south and south-west generally by the Rangitaiki River, Run No. 59, Kaingaroa No. 1A South, and Kaingaroa No. 1A North to the point of commencement. Excepting an area of 470 acres, being Oruatewehi Native Reserve.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 26th day of February, 1927.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.

SUBURBAN LAND.

Waiapu County.—Suburbs of Te Puia.

LOT 1 of Section 134; area, 35 acres 1 rood 13 perches. Upset price, £1,125.

Area ranges from undulating to hilly country; is well situated on Main East Coast Road in the suburbs of Te Puia, which is one of the growing towns of the coast. Buildings comprise house of seven rooms, motor-shed, and shed and washhouse.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

Town of Lowther.

SECTION 6, Block IX: Area, 2 roods. Upset price, £7 10s.

Section 7, Block IX: Area, 1 acre 0 roods 1 perch. Upset price, £7 10s.

Section 6, Block V: Area, 3 roods 3 perches. Upset price, £10.

Situated a quarter of a mile from Lowther Railway-station. Flat land. Sections are suitable for building-sites.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

Waitomo County.—Te Kuiti Township.

SECTION 10, Block X; Area, 20.8 perches. Upset price, £2,750.

Business-site section fronting Rora Street (Main Street, Te Kuiti Township). Buildings, included in capital value, comprise two shops with living-rooms and office. A portion of the building has been tenanted as a billiard-saloon and has an entrance from the main street.

Special Condition.—Buildings may not be removed from the section until the full purchase-money has been paid.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 28th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST CLASS LAND.

Castlepoint County.—Castlepoint Survey District.

LOTS 1 and 2 on S.O. Plan 124/6, part Section 363, Whareama Registration District, Block X, Castlepoint Survey District: Area, 3 roods 3·2 perches. Upset price, £555.

This property is situated near the Castlepoint Jetty, within easy distance of the beach. The buildings consist of a well-built dwelling of five rooms, with usual outbuildings and concrete tank. Washhouse and bathroom under the same roof.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 22nd day of February 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Town Land.—Borough of Rangiora.

LOT 28, part R.S. 385: Area, 19½ perches. Upset price, £300.

Situated on Cone Street, Rangiora, 15 chains from Rangiora Railway-station. Consists of a six-roomed dwelling thereon, built of concrete, with iron roof, plastered and part papered; three open fires, gas lighting in three rooms; water-supply, well and pump.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 26th day of February, 1927.

D. H. GUTHRIE, for Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Land in Otago Land District for Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that the settlement land described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection

on renewable lease on Monday, the eleventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, at the rental mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said land shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Tuapeka County.—Beaumont and Tuapeka West Survey Districts.—Bellamy Settlement.

SECTION 2A: Area, 90 acres 2 roods 18 perches. Capital value £430. Half-yearly rent, £10 15s.

Weighted with £8 6s. 3d., valuation for improvements, comprising fencing, to be paid for in cash.

Improvements, included in the capital value, comprise fencing valued at £37 16s.

General Description.

Bellamy Settlement is situated on the main road, Lawrence to Roxburgh, half a mile from the Beaumont Railway-station. Section 2A is broken land with fairly steep faces, with a fair amount of manuka. Soil generally is black loam on clay formation. Most of the arable land has been cultivated and is now in old pasture. At the present time the section carries a fair amount of rough feed with a fair sprinkling of clover. Section well watered. The nearest school and store are at Beaumont.

Special Condition.—The successful applicant will be liable for his half share of the boundary fencing.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 28th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Land in the Gisborne Land District for Sale or Selection.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

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

SCHEDULE.

GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.

SECOND-CLASS LAND.

Opotiki County.—Motu Survey District.

SECTIONS 20 and 21, Block II; area, 98 acres 2 rood 34 perches. Capital value, £660. Deferred payments: Deposit, £35; half-yearly instalment, £20 6s. 3d. Renewable lease: Half-yearly rent, £13 4s.

Land is situated about one mile from Motu Village and about four miles from Motuhora Railway-station. The area comprises undulating land and low hills; well watered. Good soil on sandy clay subsoil. Land suitable for dairying when cleared and in grass. Average altitude about 1,700 ft. 60 acres were burnt and sown last year. Improvements, valued at £165, are included in the capital value.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section one hundred and sixty-one of the Land Act, 1924, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand,

do hereby set apart the land described in the Schedule hereto for disposal under the section of the Act mentioned.

SCHEDULE.

NORTH AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 11, Block V, Opoe Survey District. Area, 25 acres.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 24th day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Trustees for the Glenorchy Public Cemetery appointed.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by section four of the Cemeteries Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke a certain Warrant dated the first day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, appointing trustees for the Glenorchy Public Cemetery, and in lieu thereof do hereby appoint

John Henry Forbes,
James Robert Adam Hume,
Stanley Charlton Knowles,
Olgar Archibald John Thornton, and
Donald Williamson

to be trustees to have the maintenance and care of the Glenorchy Cemetery as described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

GLENORCHY PUBLIC CEMETERY.—OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.

SECTIONS 1 and 2, Block XVIII, Glenorchy Township: Area, 13 acres.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 22nd day of February, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Vesting the Control of a Scenic Reserve in the New Plymouth Scenic Reserves Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto (being land reserved under the said Act), in trust, for the purposes of scenery preservation, as from the date of this notice until the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), in the New Plymouth Scenic Reserves Board, as constituted by notification dated the twenty-fourth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and published in *Gazette* of the thirtieth day of that month.

SCHEDULE.

AWA-TE-TAKE PA SCENIC RESERVE, TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

PART Section 77, Tikorangi District, Block IX, Waitara Survey District: Area, 9 acres 1 rood.

Also Section 2, Block IX, Waitara Survey District, and part Section 44, Tikorangi District, Block IX, Waitara Survey District: Area, 3 roods 29 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 28th day of February, 1927.

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

Vesting the Control of a Scenic Reserve in the Pelorus Bridge Scenic Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the reserve described in the Schedule hereto (being land reserved under the said Act), in trust, for the purposes of scenery preservation, as from the date of this notice until the twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and

thirty-one (unless previously altered or revoked under the said Act), in the Pelorus Bridge Scenic Board, as constituted by notification dated the twenty-fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and published in *Gazette* of the second day of December, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 31, Block IX, Wakamarina Survey District: Area, 1 acre 2 roods 20 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 28th day of February, 1927.

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

Inspectors of Scenic Reserves appointed.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section four of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

John Sidney Winstanley and
Joseph August Perano

to be Inspectors under the said Act in respect to the scenic reserves described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

MARLBOROUGH LAND DISTRICT.

Scenic Reserves in Queen Charlotte Sound.

Section.	Block.	Survey District.	Area.	Locality.
			A. R. P.	
Pt. 2	I	Arapawa	322 0 0	Kumutoto.
3	I	"	237 0 0	
4	I	"	318 0 0	
11	I	"	8 2 0	Ngaruru.
3	III	"	259 0 0	
2	IX	"	167 1 0	
32	VI	Gore ..	40 0 0	Miritu.
15	X	" ..	285 0 0	
14	X	" ..	161 0 0	Edgecombe Point.
1	XIV	" ..	113 0 0	Blumme Island.
3	XV	" ..	82 2 0	Motuanauru Island.
4	XV	" ..	62 0 0	
1	XV	" ..	958 0 0	
2	XVI	" ..	582 0 0	Ship Cove.
36	XI	" ..	341 0 0	
31	XII	" ..	130 0 0	
115	XV	" ..	350 0 0	Long Island.
	XIX			
8	VII	Linkwater	105 2 0	Puroa Point.
Pt. 4	VIII	"	131 2 15	Kaipupu.
12	XI	"	5 3 0	Ngakuta Point.
13	XI	"	158 0 35	Whenuanui.
13	VII	"	1 3 20	
14	VII	"	1 1 0	
15	VII	"	1 3 30	

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 22nd day of February, 1927.

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

Vesting the Control of Scenic Reserves in the Edendale Town Board.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by section thirteen of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand doth hereby vest the control of the scenic reserves described in the Schedule hereto (being lands reserved under the said Act) in the Edendale Town Board, subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, that is to say:—

1. The period for which the control of the reserves is hereby vested shall be five years from the date hereof, unless the reservation is previously altered or revoked under the said Act.

2. The said Town Board shall prepare a report each year ending on the thirty-first day of March, together with a statement of receipts and expenditure in connection with the said reserve.

Such report and statement shall be sent to the Minister charged with the administration of the said Act as soon as possible after the close of the year.

3. The said Town Board shall control the said reserves in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the regulations made thereunder.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—EDENDALE SCENIC RESERVES.
SECTION 135E (Edendale Settlement) Block I, Mataura Hundred: Area, 40 acres 2 roods.

Section 134E (Edendale Settlement), Block V, Lothian Hundred: Area, 165 acres.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 22nd day of February, 1927.

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

Inspector of Scenic Reserve appointed.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section four of the Scenery Preservation Act, 1908, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby appoint

Harry Cole

to be an Inspector under the said Act in respect to the scenic reserve described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

AWA-TE-TAKE PA SCENIC RESERVE, TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

PART Section 77, Tikorangi District, Block IX, Waitara Survey District: Area, 9 acres 1 rood.

Also Section 2, Block IX, Waitara Survey District, and part Section 44, Tikorangi District, Block IX, Waitara Survey District: Area, 3 roods 29 perches.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 28th day of February, 1927.

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

Revoking the Constitution of the Transport Appeal Board for No. 2 Motor-omnibus District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on me by the Motor-omnibus Traffic Act, 1926, and of every other power in anywise enabling me in that behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the appointment of the members of the Transport Appeal Board for Number 2 Motor-omnibus District, dated the first day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and published in the *Gazette* dated the fourth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 22nd day of February, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.
(P.W. 26/5/2/17).

Members of Local Government Loans Board appointed.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 26th February, 1927.

IN pursuance of section 4 (1) (b) of the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint the following persons to be members of the Local Government Loans Board for a period of one year from 1st April, 1927:—

R. A. Anderson, Esquire, of Invercargill.
G. C. Godfrey, Esquire, of Wellington.
W. J. Holdsworth, Esquire, of Auckland.
G. A. Lewin, Esquire, of Dunedin.
S. A. R. Mair, Esquire, of Hunterville.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

Chairman of Local Government Loans Board appointed.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 26th February, 1927.

IN pursuance of section 4 (4) of the Local Government Loans Board Act, 1926, His Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

R. E. Hayes, Esquire, I.S.O., Secretary to the Treasury, to be Chairman of the Local Government Loans Board.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

Inspectors of Sea-fishing appointed.

Marine Department,
Wellington, 26th February, 1927.

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

Frederick Walter Pellett, of St. Kilda, Dunedin, and Alfred Allan Campbell, of Tawanui,

to be Inspectors of Sea-fishing for the purposes of Part I of the first-mentioned Act.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
Minister of Marine.

Member of Westland Land Board reappointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 24th February, 1927.

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

Bernard Ward

to be a member of the Westland Land Board, as from the 5th March, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Native Interpreter's License revoked.

Native Department,
Wellington, 26th February, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to revoke the license granted to

Hoani Tera Arekatera,

of Masterton, authorizing him to act as a Native Interpreter under the Native Land Act, 1909.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
For the Acting Native Minister.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 25th February, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Alexander William McDonald

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wairau, during the absence of A. F. Bent, on leave; and

Percy Harold Wylde

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Ohinemuri, vice C. H. Butcher.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Bailiffs of Magistrate's Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 23rd February, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

Constable Michael John Joseph Roche

to be Bailiff of the Magistrate's Court at Feilding, on and from the 3rd day of March, 1927.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Appointments to Cook Islands Public Service.

Cook Islands Department,
Wellington, 24th February, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand has been pleased to make the following appointments to the Cook Islands Public Service under section 13 of the Cook Islands Act, 1915:—

Edward Arrot Reid

to be Director of Agriculture, Rarotonga, from 1st April, 1926.

Robert Walker

to be Headmaster, Arorangi School, Rarotonga, from 1st February, 1927.

J. W. W. Graham

to be Assistant Teacher, Oneroa School, Mangaia, from 1st March, 1927.

Miss A. McCarthy

to be Assistant Mistress, Rarotonga, from 1st March, 1927.

Miss A. E. Lee

to be Assistant Mistress, Rarotonga, from 1st March, 1927.

M. POMARE, Minister for the Cook Islands.

Members of Clutha River Board appointed.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 21st February, 1927.

IT is hereby notified that

John Crawford Anderson, of Stirling, and Joseph Mosley, of Clydevale, have been appointed by the Governor-General,

Victor Wilson, of Greenfield, has been appointed by the Bruce County Council,

Arthur C. Leary, of Evans Flat, by the Tuapeka County Council, and

Ernest Fuller Pannett, of Clydevale, by the Clutha County Council,

to be members of the Clutha River Board, under the Clutha River Board Empowering Act 1898 Amendment Act, 1900.

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

Appointment in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 25th February, 1927.

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

George Orr, Esquire,

to be an Inspector for the purposes of the Dairy Industry Act, 1908, as from the 21st day of February, 1927.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 29th February, 1927.

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

Robert Duggan Grey.

Robert Barbour McKay Invercargill.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 19th February, 1927.

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

ROYAL N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Captain A. de T. Nevill is appointed Staff Captain, Artillery, General Headquarters, *vice* Lieutenant C. S. J. Duff, and retains the appointment of Acting Inspecting Ordnance Officer. Dated 18th October, 1926.

Captain A. de T. Nevill relinquishes the appointment of Acting Inspecting Ordnance Officer. Dated 11th January, 1927.

Captain W. Ivory relinquishes the appointment of Officer in Charge Harbour Defences and Officer Commanding R.N.Z.A. Detachment, Northern Command. Dated 15th November, 1926, and is seconded to the N.Z. Army Ordnance Corps as Inspecting Ordnance Officer and Acting Ordnance Mechanical Engineer. Dated 12th January, 1927.

Lieutenant C. S. J. Duff relinquishes the appointment of Staff Captain, Artillery, General Headquarters. Dated 18th October, and is appointed Officer Commanding R.N.Z.A. Cadre (60-pr. and Coast), Northern Command. Dated 15th November, 1926.

1ST N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (CANTERBURY YEOMANRY CAVALRY.)

Lieutenant C. R. Cresswell from the Canterbury Regiment to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th February, 1927.

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

Honorary Lieutenant and Bandmaster G. L. Buckley to be Honorary Captain and Bandmaster. Dated 4th February, 1927.

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

2nd Lieutenant R. Wiltshire to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1927.

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

Eugene Dumont Robins to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) and is seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion. Dated 7th February, 1927.

The North Auckland Regiment.

Major C. S. White, 1st Battalion, is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 3. Dated 7th February, 1927.

The Waikato Regiment.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants, 1st Battalion. Dated 7th February, 1927:—

Edward Raymond Blackwell.
Matthew Henry.
John Henry Searle.

The Wellington Regiment.

Lieutenant C. J. W. Parsons, 2nd C Battalion, resigns his commission. Dated 7th February, 1927.

2nd Lieutenant A. E. Gorton, 1st Battalion, to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1927.

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

J. R. Grigg, 2nd C Battalion.
V. F. O. Francis, 1st C Battalion.
J. D. Mackay, 1st C Battalion.
L. Shotlander, 3rd C Battalion.

The Wellington West Coast Regiment.

The undermentioned Lieutenants to be Captains. Dated 4th February, 1927:—

J. Dash, 2nd C Battalion.
H. E. Edmondson, 1st C Battalion.

Major Stanley Purser to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion. Dated 4th February, 1927.

The Hawke's Bay Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant A. G. Thompson, 1st C Battalion, to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th August, 1926.

The appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) G. R. Haldane, 1st C Battalion, is confirmed.

The undermentioned to be 2nd Lieutenants, and are seconded for duty with the 1st C Battalion. Dated 15th September, 1926:—

Percival Arthur Hickling.
Ernest George Latimer.
Conrad Harry Excelsior Strack.

Arthur Franklin Peryer to be 2nd Lieutenant, 1st Battalion. Dated 4th February, 1927.

The Canterbury Regiment.

Lieutenant C. R. Cresswell, 1st Battalion, is transferred to the 1st N.Z. Mounted Rifles (Canterbury Yeomanry Cavalry). Dated 15th February, 1927.

The Otago Regiment.

2nd Lieutenant A. G. Russell, 1st Battalion, is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b), R.D. 11. Dated 15th February, 1927.

The Southland Regiment.

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

N. A. Malcolm, 1st C Battalion.
M. Fowler, 2nd C Battalion.

N.Z. AIR FORCE.

The notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 9, of 17th February, 1927, relating to the appointment of 2nd Lieutenant (on probation) Morton Alfred Seafield should read "Morton Alfred Seafield Manhire."

N.Z. MEDICAL CORPS.

Charles Skinner Williams, *M.B.*, to be Lieutenant, and is attached for duty to the 7th N.Z. Mounted Rifles (Wellington East Coast). Dated 31st January, 1927.

William Henry Johnston, *M.B.*, to be Lieutenant, and is attached for duty to the 6th N.Z. Mounted Rifles (Manawatu). Dated 2nd February, 1927.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Captain E. Morgan is posted to the Retired List under the provisions of G.O. 184/21, with permission to retain his rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 3rd February, 1927.

Lieutenant C. O. Pratt, *M.C.*, is posted to the Retired List with the rank of Captain under the provisions of G.O. 184/21, with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 15th February, 1927.

With reference to the notice appearing in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 71, of 21st October, 1926, relating to the posting of Lieutenant A. Hutson to the Retired List for the rank of "Lieutenant" read "Captain."

SOUTHERN COMMAND.

The undermentioned are posted to the Retired List under the provisions of paragraph 126, General Regulations, 1913, with permission to retain their rank and wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 12th January, 1927:—

Majors: J. L. Conlan; F. P. O. Smith.
Captains: A. K. Anderson; S. A. Clark.

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. Dated 12th January, 1927:—

Majors—

J. Anderson; T. Lawless; R. A. R. Lawry, *O.B.E.*

Captains—

J. L. Turnbull. K. B. McKenzie-Murison,
N. J. Reed. *M.C.*
R. L. Anderson. J. S. Chisholm.
V. A. Norrish. S. J. Sampson.

Lieutenants—

A. G. Valentine. H. C. Fenton.
E. H. Walcott. W. R. E. Hally.
P. C. Walshe. P. P. Chamberlain.
I. A. Bristol, *M.C.* M. W. P. Blathwayt.
R. M. S. Jones. H. Watts.
G. McSaveney, *M.C.* A. E. Dendy.
C. L. Gillies.

2nd Lieutenants—

S. G. Prebble. D. L. Cameron
D. W. Russell. J. A. Dean.
O. A. Gillespie, *M.M.* W. McCoy.
J. F. Cody. T. J. McGee.
J. A. S. Marris. E. Horrobin.
A. N. Silcock.

The undermentioned are retired. Dated 12th January, 1927:—

Captains—

N. C. Jones. C. Bell.

Lieutenants—

L. H. Davidson. W. G. McKay.
G. J. Connolly. C. W. Foster.
C. A. Lawn. R. F. Holderness.
R. P. Tapley. S. G. Robinson.
G. M. McKenzie. H. S. Hobbs.

Hon. Lieutenant—

T. H. Hughes.

2nd Lieutenants—

H. W. Hodges. J. Brown.
S. P. McCallum.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Defence.

Dismissal from the Forces.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 18th February, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the dismissal of the undermentioned soldier of the Territorial Force from the New Zealand Defence Forces, under Section 6 (b), Defence Act, 1909, he having been convicted by the Civil power:—

Private T. W. Madsen, 1st Battalion, Wellington Regiment.
Dated 11th February, 1927.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Defence.

Award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 15th February, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to Squadron Sergeant-Major A. W. Homes, 8th N.Z. Mounted Rifles (Nelson).

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Defence.

Awards of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Officers' Decoration.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 24th February, 1927.

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

The Reverend C. J. Bush-King, Chaplain, 3rd Class, N.Z. Chaplains Department.
Captain R. H. Nimmo, The Wellington Regiment.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Defence.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 24th February, 1927.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Otago Electric-power Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

OTAGO ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD.

I HEREBY give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the Lawrence-Tuapeka-Bruce area of the Otago Electric-power District, held on 15th February, 1927, on a proposal to raise a loan of £40,000 for the reticulation, &c., of that area, the following votes were recorded:—

For the proposal, 256; against the proposal, 17; and, as the number of votes in favour of the proposal exceeds three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded, I hereby declare the proposal carried.

Dated this 17th day of February, 1927.

PROOF BRISCOE, Chairman.

Result of Poll on Proposal to strike an additional Bridge Rate.

Wellington, 23rd February, 1927.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Rodney County Council is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

RODNEY COUNTY COUNCIL.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give public notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the Rodney County, taken on the 13th day of January, 1927, on the proposal to levy an additional bridge rate over the whole county, the following votes were recorded:—
For the proposal, 173; against the proposal, 331; informal, 12.

I hereby declare the proposal rejected.

Dated at Warkworth this 25th day of January, 1927.

W. J. SCHOLLUM, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 1st March, 1927.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Heathcote County Council, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

HEATHCOTE COUNTY COUNCIL.

Mount Pleasant Electric Loan of £2,000.

PURSUANT to section 14 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers in the Mount Pleasant Riding of the County of Heathcote, taken on the 19th January, 1927, on the proposal to borrow the sum of £2,000 for the purpose of electric light extensions—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 45; the number of votes against the proposal was 9.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1927.

C. FLAVELL, Chairman.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 1st March, 1927.

THE following notice, received from the Mayor of the Borough of Avondale, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF AVONDALE.

Proposed Loan, £1,300.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of Avondale, taken on the 5th day of February, 1927, on the proposal of the Avondale Borough Council to borrow the sum of £1,200 for extension of the main sewer—

The number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal was 51; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 59; informal votes, 4.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Proposed Loan, £10,300.

Pursuant to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of a specially defined part of the borough called the Sewer Reticulation Rating - area No. 2, taken on the 5th day of February, 1927, on the proposal of the Avondale Borough Council to borrow the sum of £10,300 for sewer reticulation in the said special area—

The number of votes recorded in favour of the proposal was 19; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 17; informal vote, 1.

I therefore declare the proposal was carried.

Dated this 21st day of February, 1927.

WM. JOHN TAIT, Mayor.

Varying Notice under the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, fixing the Closing-hours of Fishmongers' Shops within the Borough of Hastings.

WHEREAS a requisition in writing, signed by a majority of the occupiers of all the fishmongers' shops within the Borough of Hastings, has been forwarded to me, desiring that the notice dated the 23rd January, 1923, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 25th January, 1923, fixing the closing-hours of such shops, be varied in the following manner—viz., by deleting the reference to closing on Saturdays at 8.30 p.m., and substituting therefor the following: On Saturdays, from 1st March to 30th September (both days inclusive), at 9.45 p.m., and during the remainder of the year at 8.30 p.m.:

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

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 32 of the Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22, I do hereby direct that the notice dated the 23rd January, 1923, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 25th January, 1923, fixing the closing-hours of fishmongers' shops in the Borough of Hastings is hereby varied accordingly as from the 1st day of March, 1927.

Dated at Wellington, this 28th day of February, 1927.

G. JAS. ANDERSON,
Minister of Labour,

Transmitting and Receiving Officer for the Service of Notices by Telegraph.

General Post Office,

Wellington, 23rd February, 1927.

IN pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Post and Telegraph Act, 1908 (hereinafter termed "the said Act"), and by the regulations made on the 12th May, 1914, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 21st May, 1914, the following officer, at the address set against his name, is hereby appointed Transmitting and Receiving Officer for the purpose of dealing with all notices by telegraph sent under the said Act or regulations, and of signing such certificates in relation to the service of any such notices as are required or authorized to be signed or given under the said Act or the regulations aforesaid:—

Samuel Pearce Eddy, Postmaster, Milton.

R. A. WRIGHT, for Minister of Telegraphs.

Teachers' Appeal Board.

Education Department,

Wellington, 21st February, 1927.

GRADING AND CLASSIFICATION OF TEACHERS.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the Appeal Boards for 1927, set up to hear appeals in connection with the grading or classification of secondary and technical school teachers, will consist of:—

Chairman: Andrew Duncan Thomson.

Representatives of Education Department:—

William Watson Bird, M.A., and Theophilus Benjamin Strong, M.A., B.Sc.

Representatives of Teachers:—

Secondary School Teachers—

Thomas Brodie, B.A., and Frank Hyde Campbell, B.A.

Technical School Teachers—

Hugh Aled Jones and Robert J. Thompson.

R. A. WRIGHT, Minister of Education.

Trustee of the Te Aria Rabbit-proof Fencing District elected.—Notice No. Ag. 2643.

Department of Agriculture,

Wellington, 23rd February, 1927.

NOTICE has been received under the hand of the Returning Officer of the Te Aria Rabbit-proof Fencing District, constituted under Part IV of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908, that

Alexander Hanna

has been duly elected a trustee of the said district, *vice* Bruce Anderson, resigned.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

Plumbers' Registration Act, 1912.

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATE, PLUMBERS BOARD EXAMINATION,
29TH AND 30TH OCTOBER, 1926.

THE following candidate, having passed the examination of the Plumbers Board of New Zealand, held on the 29th and 30th October, 1926, his name has been entered in the Register of Plumbers of New Zealand in pursuance of sections 8 and 17 (b) of the Act:—

Reg. No.: 1792. Name: Fletcher, Percy.

J. A. YOUNG, Minister of Health.

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

Department of Labour,

Wellington, 24th February, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to an application in that behalf made to me by the Auckland Municipal Tramways and Omnibus Employees' Industrial Union of Workers, registered number 1088, situated at Auckland, and in exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon me by section 22 of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, it is my intention to cancel the registration of that industrial union after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, unless in the meantime cause is shown to the contrary.

F. W. ROWLEY,

Registrar of Industrial Unions.

Register of Licenses issued under the Land Agents Act, 1921-22.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 25th February, 1927.

HEREWITH is published for general information, in accordance with the Land Agents Act, 1921-22, a supplementary list of persons licensed to carry on business as land agents as on the 15th day of February, 1927.

R. A. WRIGHT, for Minister of Internal Affairs.

REGISTER OF LICENSES ISSUED UNDER THE LAND AGENTS ACT, 1921-22.

NOTE.—The Register is arranged alphabetically under the names of holders of licenses; but when an individual holds a license on behalf of a firm or registered company, the name of such firm or company, and not the name of the holder of the license, is placed in its alphabetical order.

In the case of a firm or company the name of which consists of the Christian name or names (or initials) and surname or surnames of some person or persons, the index letter is the first letter of the first surname.

Further, where an individual holder of a license trades under a particular name, the trade-name appears in its alphabetical order.

No. of License.	Name of Licensee.	Name of Firm (if any of which Licensee is a Member, or Registered Company on whose behalf License is held.	Names of Partners of Firm.	Registered Office.	Date License granted.	Court by which License granted.
7101	Amos, William Henry ..	..	..	17 Cuba St., Lower Hutt	2/6/26	Lower Hutt.
6297	Anderson, Andrew Wright	..	..	5 Phoenix Chambers, Queen Street, Auckland	13/12/26	Auckland.
6458	Bailey, George Edward ..	Bailey and Driscoll	George Edward Bailey and Alfred Driscoll	North Road, Papanui ..	21/1/27	Christchurch.
*6420	Cameron, Albert Graham	..	..	150 Hereford St., Christchurch	1/4/26	Christchurch.
6279	Chambers, John Blackburn	..	..	205 N.Z. Insurance Buildings, Queen St., Auckland	16/6/26	Auckland.
4047	Clothier, James ..	..	..	Tower Road, Matamata..	17/6/26	Matamata.
5157	Gilchrist, Archibald William	J. L. Bennett (Ltd.)	..	Rangitikei Street, Palmerston North	15/6/26	Palmerston N.
6278	Drysdale, Charles Herbert	C. H. Drysdale and Co.	..	15 Little Queen St., Auckland	8/6/26	Auckland.
6786	Greig, Harry Esmond ..	..	..	25 Panama Street, Wellington	21/1/27	Wellington.
†6749	Hathaway, Llewellyn ..	..	..	56 Willis St., Wellington	1/4/26	Wellington.
973	Healy, John ..	Healy and Horton	..	Market Place, Blenheim..	26/5/26	Blenheim.
†6418	Hulston, Charles Frank..	Hulston and Overend	Charles Frank Hulston and Sydney Baden-Powell Overend	138 Hereford St., Christchurch	1/4/26	Christchurch.
§6772	Jauncey, Albert Frederick	..	..	50 Willis St., Wellington	21/5/26	Wellington.
5233	Jones, Ernest Arundel ..	..	..	Great South Road, Huntly	10/6/26	Huntly.
258	Jones, John Walling ..	..	..	53 Crawford St., Dunedin	15/12/26	Dunedin.
5927	Lack, John Robert ..	..	..	Peel Street, Geraldine ..	6/12/26	Geraldine.
6785	Lewis, Robert Ashwell ..	..	..	59 Manners St., Wellington	5/1/27	Wellington.
||6257	Mann, John William ..	..	..	31 Fort Street, Auckland	14/1/26	Auckland.
259	McKenzie, Richard Seddon	Octagon Labour Exchange and Agency Co.	..	The Octagon, Dunedin ..	15/12/26	Dunedin.
4914	McPherson, Ernest McLaren	E. McPherson and Co.	..	Wakefield	1/4/26	Nelson.
932	Murley, Edwin Arthur ..	Murley and Son ..	..	Queen Street, Hastings ..	11/6/26	Hastings.
¶1558	Oakey, Allan Norman ..	..	..	Timaru	1/4/26	Timaru.
6784	Payne, Cecil Mears ..	Payne and Deverell	Cecil Mears Payne and William Edward Deverell	4 Willis St., Wellington ..	6/12/26	Wellington.
6298	Prothero, Herbert Francis	..	..	2 Security Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland	15/12/26	Auckland.
6787	Purdie, Edgar Weston ..	Purdie and Baker	Edgar Weston Purdie, Lilian Maud Baker, and Victor Horace Baker	144 Featherston Street, Wellington	27/1/27	Wellington.
751	Quigley, Herbert Sydney McGowan	..	..	Gordon St., Dannevirke..	11/2/27	Dannevirke.
4385	Robertson, Thomas ..	Robertson and McCall	..	Papakura	20/12/26	Papakura.
6775	Russell, Edward Collins	..	..	101 Willis St., Wellington	14/6/26	Wellington.
6277	Stone, Frederick William	..	..	44 Grange Rd., Mt. Eden, Auckland	7/6/26	Auckland.
**5567	Thompson, Louis Aquila	Salesmen Limited ..	..	4 Swanson St., Auckland	1/4/26	Auckland.
934	Smith, Ernest Edmund..	Smith and Sharp ..	Ernest Edmund Smith and James Smart Sharp	217A Russell St., Hastings	19/1/27	Hastings.
4146	Thomson, David McNab	..	..	Mataura	18/1/27	Mataura.
6276	Vaughan, Arthur Shanley	Arthur S. Vaughan (Ltd.)	..	St. Kevins Arcade, Karangahape Rd., Auckland	2/6/26	Auckland.
††6279	Von Sturmer, Ernest Hugh	..	..	205 N.Z. Insurance Buildings, Queen St., Auckland	2/12/26	Auckland.
2789	Winlove, John ..	..	..	Waipukurau	14/6/26	Waipukurau.
6296	Wilson, Francis J. V. ..	Wilson Bros. ..	F. J. V. Wilson and C. L. Wilson	174 Queen St., Auckland	29/11/26	Auckland.

* Transferred from F. W. H. White on 8/6/26.

† Transferred from Newman Coffey on 13/12/26.

‡ Transferred from Hulston and Grant on 7/12/26.

§ Transferred from John Maitland Gillespie on 15/12/26.

¶ Transferred from W. A. Broadbent on 17/6/26.

¶ Transferred from C. G. Baker on 26/5/26.

** Transferred from Robertson Bros. on 12/1/27.

†† Transferred from John Blackburn Chambers on 2/12/26.

Minister's Decisions under Customs Acts.

Customs Department, Wellington, 1st March, 1927.

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

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

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.		
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
4/286/3	A. and m.s., viz. :— Protectol Agfa II, a liquid preparation for use in scouring and dyeing	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	Free ..	Free.
14/51	Stoves and ranges, fittings for, viz. :— Glass “bulls-eyes” for electric ranges	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	10 per cent.	10 per cent.
3/379	Tennis-racquet presses, metal fittings for the manufacture of, viz. :— Sleeve-bolts	As a. and m.s. (643) ..	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
10/13/8	Biscuits, o.k., viz. :— “Shredded wheat”	As biscuits o.k. (37) ..	2d. per lb.	2½d. per lb.	3d. per lb.
10/13/8	“Weet-Bix”				
10/13/8	“Zed” health biscuits				
4/255/4	Chemicals, drugs, druggists' sundries, &c., viz. :— Peptone, Nutritive Liquid (Parke, Davis, and Co.'s)	As druggists' sundries, n.e.i. (157)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
2/237	Machinery, &c., and appliances, n.e.i., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes, viz. :— Bakers' machines, viz.,— Cake-mixer and egg-whisk, the “Melvin,” having a capacity of 36 quarts and upwards	As machines, &c., n.e.i., peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free ..	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/112/4	Wafer-cone machine for making ice-cream cones (Small and Shattell, manufacturers) (NOTE.—The blower is to be separately classified under Tariff item 442).				
2/92/27	Cardboard-box making, viz.,— Creasing machine, the “Robinson”				
2/92/26	Cutting and scoring machine, the “Hobbs Single”				
2/423	Clothing - manufacturers' machines, viz.,— Laying-up machines, the “Rod-way” and “Wedg-way,” for folding cloth preparatory to cutting up				
2/141/12	Thread-marking machine, the “Eastman,” for marking by threads the position of pockets, buttons, &c.				
2/112/50	Confectioners' machines, viz.,— Chocolate-covering machine, the “Kadema” (NOTE.—The fans are to be separately classified under Tariff item 442.)				
2/112/37	Cocoa-bean roaster (J. M. Lehmann, manufacturer)				
2/112/36	Crimping-machine (Brierley, Collier, and Hartley, Ltd., manufacturers)				
2/112/37	Shaking table (J. M. Lehmann, manufacturer)				
2/184/2	Emulsor, the “Donolac,” for working skim-milk powder mixed with butter into cream				
2/254	Envelope-making machine, the “Champion” (F. L. Smithe Machine Co. Inc., manufacturers)				
2/111/21	Flour-milling machinery, viz.,— Oat clipper, the “Eureka”				
3/240/5	Jack, pulling, the “Hecla”				
2/18/87	Printers' and stationers' machines, viz.,— Printing presses— “Babcock Standard”				
2/18/53	“Enterprise” box-board (Jones, Burton, and Co., Ltd., manufacturers)				

MINISTER'S DECISIONS UNDER CUSTOMS ACTS—continued.

Record.	Goods.	Classification under Tariff, and Item No.	Rate of Duty.		
			British Preferential Tariff.	Intermediate Tariff.	General Tariff.
2/18/81	Machinery, &c., and appliances, n.e.i., peculiar to use in manufacturing and industrial processes— <i>ctd.</i> Printers' and stationers' machines— <i>ctd.</i> Printing presses— <i>ctd.</i> Envelope printing press, the "Post" automatic (NOTE.—The electric motor is to be separately classified under Tariff item 433A.)	As machines, &c., n.e.i. peculiar to use in industrial processes (481) (2)	Free	5 per cent.	10 per cent.
2/18/86	Schelter and Giesecke's hand cylinder proof-press				
2/18/85	"Winkler" stop-cylinder				
2/18/85	Sheet-feeder, the "Winkler" automatic				
3/233/3	Metal, manufactured articles of, n.e.i., &c., viz.,— Brass domes, cast, for the manufacture of taps	As manufactured articles of metal, n.e.i. (547)	20 per cent.	30 per cent.	35 per cent.
†6/5/3	Paper, viz.,— Cheque-paper, "Safety Check" (having an all-over or other design produced during the course of manufacture) not printed or lithographed (Revises decision in M.O. 53).	As paper n.e.i. (360) or (361) according to size	..	..	..

Minister's Order No. 57.]

GEO. CRAIG, Comptroller of Customs.

Tenders.

Public Works Department, Wellington, 28th February, 1927.

THE following schedule of tenders accepted by the Public Works Department is published for general information:—

Work or Supply.	Price.	Tenderer.
Waikaremoana, Section 15: Outdoor switchgear	£ 5,871 15 0	A. D. Riley and Co., Ltd (Oil Circuit-breakers.)
	6,941 0 0	National Electric and Engineering Co. Ltd. (Transformers, &c.)
Waikaremoana, Section 16: Outdoor switchgear	4,254 0 0	Metro-Vickers Electric Co., Ltd.
Taupiri-Orini Road: Metalling	535 2 0	G. Brown.
Mangahao, Section 187: Steel ladders and landings	71 0 4	Walker Bros. (Eng.).
Waikaremoana, Section 37: Steel screens for surge-chamber	554 0 1	Walker Bros. (Eng.).
Waihou River Bridge: Electric motor and controller	127 10 0	Cory-Wright and Salmon.
Stoke Mental Hospital: Villas for female patients	33,108 11 9	Robertson Bros., Ltd.
Waihou River Bridge: Winches	485 0 0	A. and G. Price, Ltd.
" " Roller gear	965 0 0	P. and D. Duncan, Ltd.
Waitomo Caves Hostel	27,385 0 0	N. Cole.
Palmerston North Technical School: Additions	2,223 10 0	F. Needham, Ltd.
Miramar Automatic Telephone Exchange	3,197 0 0	M. G. Templeton.
Takaka Courthouse: Alterations, &c.	225 0 0	W. H. Green.
Gisborne High School: Additions	1,300 0 0	G. Smith.
Wellesley Street Post-office: Additions	12,697 0 0	C. A. Lee.
Steels Mill: Ngongotaha Highway—Formation, &c.	167 10 0	T. C. Henderson.
Waikaremoana Scheme: Erection of store at Wairoa Station-yard	288 0 0	A. K. Davis.
Auckland Mental Hospital: Residence for Assistant Medical Officer	1,430 0 0	A. H. O. Irvine.
Mangaone: Mangapoike Road-formation—		
Contract No. 1	575 6 4	Mitchell and Sons.
Contract No. 2	514 13 7	Mitchell and Sons.
Clarence Reserve Homestead:—		
Sawyer's Creek Protective-works—		
Contract No. 1	500 6 0	D. Buckley.
Contract No. 2	616 9 0	W. Chapman.
Dunedin-Christchurch Main Highways: Tar sealing	2,395 16 8	Road Constructors, Ltd.
Tauraroa Quarry: Quarrying metal	3s. 4d. per yd.	S. R. Ray.
Mt. Crawford Prison: Steel window-sashes	630 0 0	Woolnough Window Co.

C. J. MCKENZIE,
Acting Engineer-in-Chief and Under-Secretary.

Notice as to an Area in Canterbury Land District declared to be a Fire District.

State Forest Service.

Wellington, 16th February, 1927.

PURSUANT to section 27 of the Forests Act, 1921-22, and section 6 of the Forests Amendment Act, 1925, I do hereby notify that, on the recommendation of the Director of Forestry and the Land Board of the district, the area described in the Schedule hereto is hereby declared by me to be a fire district; and I do further specify the period from the 1st day of November in any year to the 31st day of March in the following year, inclusive, as the period during which it shall not be lawful for any person within the said district, save pursuant to the written permit of a Forest Officer, to set on fire, or cause to be set on fire, any timber (whether standing or not), or any undergrowth, or any debris from forest operations or land-clearing operations, or any grass or other specially inflammable material, without taking such precautions as may be prescribed by a Forest Officer.

SCHEDULE.

BOTTLE LAKE PLANTATION FIRE DISTRICT.
Canterbury Land-District.

ALL that area in the Canterbury Land District containing by admeasurement 4,850 acres, more or less, situated in Blocks IV, VII, and VIII, Christchurch Survey District, and bounded generally as follows: Towards the south generally by Beach Road and Cemetery Road from the sea to the junction of the last-named road with Bottle Lake Road; thence towards the south-west by a right line to the south-east corner of Rural Section 1682; thence towards the west by the eastern boundary of the last-named section, the eastern boundaries of Rural Sections 1681, 1604, 1477, and the eastern and northern boundaries of Section 1472; thence towards the north-west generally by the road intersecting Rural Sections 1479 and 1473, and forming the north-west boundaries of Rural Sections 10527, 10571, 19571; 20278, 20279, and 21011; again towards the north-west by the road forming the north-west boundary of the last-named Section 21011 and continuing by that road to the sea; thence towards the east by the sea to the place of commencement: As the same is more particularly delineated on plan No. 141/1 deposited in the Head Office of the State Forest Service at Wellington, and thereon coloured red.

R. A. WRIGHT,
For Commissioner of State Forests.

Conscience-money received.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 24th February, 1927.

I HEREBY acknowledge receipt of the following amounts, forwarded by persons unknown, as conscience-money to the New Zealand Government: £26 10s. and £50 forwarded to the Land and Income Tax Department, Wellington; £2 forwarded to the Treasury, Wellington.

A. D. PARK,
Acting Secretary to the Treasury.

Customs Tariff Commission, 1926-27.

Customs Department.

Wellington, 28th February, 1927.

IT is hereby notified for public information that the Tariff Commission has been asked or proposes to take evidence concerning the articles set out in the Schedule hereto.

This list is supplementary to the lists published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of 9th December, 1926, 13th January, 1927, 10th February, 1927, and 17th February, 1927.

It will be understood that the Commission does not bind itself to take evidence concerning or to consider only the article or articles mentioned in these lists.

GEO. CRAIG, Chairman.

SCHEDULE.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF ARTICLES WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THE TARIFF COMMISSION HAS BEEN ASKED OR PROPOSES TO TAKE EVIDENCE.

Bran.	Malt.
Braids.	Metal stamped work in the rough.
Chairs of bent timber.	Metals: stamped or blocked tin or copper.
Clocks.	
Flour.	Onions.
Fruits fresh, bananas.	Peas.
Fruits dried, oranges.	Peas, split.
Gas, carbonic acid.	Pollard.
Gas engines.	Potatoes.
Grain—	Rubber fusing for the repair of tires.
Barley.	Size.
Maize.	Stencils, duplicator.
Oats.	
Pearl barley.	Tinsmiths' fittings.
Wheat.	Tractors for agricultural use.
Ink, black printing.	Vinegar.
Iron drums not exceeding 10 gallons capacity.	Wireless receiving sets.
Isinglass.	Yeast.
Lemon cheese.	
Lemon peel, candied or dried.	

Officiating Ministers for 1927.—Notice No. 6.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 1st March, 1927.

PURSUANT to the provisions of the Marriage Act, 1908, the following name of an Officiating Minister within the meaning of the said Act is published for general information:—

Brethren.

Mr. George Menzies.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Elections to administer Estates.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder set forth.

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Allan, Elizabeth ..	Timaru ..	Widow ..	9/2/27	25/2/27	Testate	Christchurch.
2	Cann, George ..	Wellington ..	Motor-driver ..	31/1/27	23/2/27	Intestate	Wellington.
3	Clark, Frederick ..	Stratford ..	Ganger ..	31/1/27	26/2/27	"	N. Plymouth.
4	Deakin, Edward ..	Rotorua ..	Labourer ..	13/10/26	26/2/27	"	Auckland.
5	Kennard, Janet ..	Palmerston ..	Widow ..	13/5/26	26/2/27	"	Dunedin.
6	McDowell, Rose ..	Auckland ..	" ..	31/3/24	25/2/27	"	Auckland.
7	McNicholl, Sarah ..	Christchurch ..	" ..	23/6/1878	25/2/27	"	Christchurch.
8	Montgomery, Sarah Jane ..	Southbridge ..	Spinster ..	12/12/26	25/2/27	"	"
9	Noon, Henry Alfred James	Auckland ..	Firebrigadesman	31/12/26	23/2/27	"	Auckland.
10	Olsen, Annie ..	Dunedin (formerly Port Chalmers)	Widow ..	7/12/26	23/2/27	Testate	Dunedin.
11	Skinner, Elizabeth ..	Christchurch ..	Married woman	27/3/21	23/2/27	Intestate	Christchurch.
12	Stoman, Rita ..	Levin ..	Spinster ..	18/11/26	26/2/27	"	Wellington.
13	Stapledon, Cyril James ..	Waihi ..	Farm hand ..	15/12/26	25/2/27	"	Auckland.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 28th February, 1927.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Results of Election of Trustees of Drainage District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 26th February, 1927.

THE following results of elections of trustees of drainage districts have been received from the Returning Officers, and are published in accordance with the provisions of the Land Drainage Act, 1908.

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

Tauhei Drainage District.—Counties of Waikato and Piako.

Gee, A. E.
Noble, J.
Findlay, J.
Taylor, C.
Palmer, H.

Awatane Drainage District.

Martin, Anso.
Austin, Arthur Nassau.
Budge, John.
Illing, Abel.
McCracken, David.

Result of Election of Members of Waimakariri River Trust.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 26th February, 1927.

THE following result of the election of members of the Waimakariri River Trust has been received, and is published in accordance with the River Boards Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Waimakariri River Improvement Act, 1922:—

Dixon, Richard Orme, Eyre Subdivision.
Howell, Edward Evans, Cust Subdivision.
Witty, George, Waimakariri East Subdivision.
Leslie, James, Waimakariri West Subdivision.
Boys, Francis Theodore }
Flesher, James Arthur } Christchurch Subdivision.
Freeman, Frederic Willie }
Manhire, Alfred }

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

Results of Elections of Members of River Boards.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 26th February, 1927.

THE following results of elections of members of River Boards have been received from the Returning Officers, and are published in accordance with the provisions of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913.

G. P. NEWTON,
Assistant Under-Secretary.

Wairau River District.—County of Marlborough.

Blenheim Subdivision—
Bythell, Raymond Victor.
Carr, William.
Eckford, Charles Alexander.

Omaka Subdivision—
Ham, Robert.
Parker, Edward Stone.

Spring Creek Subdivision—
Mills, Lawrence Harold.
Sutherland, John Henry.

Poverty Bay River District.—County of Cook.

Clark, William.
Collin, Fred.
Pilmer, William Claymore.
Smith, Gerald Vincent.
Tietjen, Charles.

Kaikoura River District.—County of Kaikoura.

Boyd, James Wilson.
Flower, Erie William.
Keenan, Alexander.
Moran, Charles Joseph.
Smith, Ethelbert Augustine William.

Opio River District.—County of Wallace.

Blanch, James E.
Gallagher, Peter.
Johns, John James.
Johnston, James G.
Roland, Robert.

Waikivi River District.—County of Southland.

Anderson, Robert Albert.
Bowie, James Leo.
Findley, Thomas William.
Fraser, Hugh.
Macpherson, Alexander.

Waihopai River District.—County of Southland.

Barker, Thomas A.
Brown, John Robert.
Dawson, Herbert H.
Gilfedder, John James.
Grieve, Robert.
Holmes, Franklin.
Saunders, Charlie.

Ahikouka River District.—County of Featherston.

Cadwallader, Owen Arthur Llewellyn.
Eagle, James Bertram.
Feast, Walter James.
Heapy, Thomas Bestwick.
Slater, William Christopher.

Olautau River District.—County of Wallace.

Lower Subdivision—
McGregor, Duncan.
Smith, James H.
Seatter, Robert.
Middle Subdivision—
Clouston, John D.
Muir, John.
Smith, John.
Upper Subdivision—
Dahlenberg, Percival G.
Fleet, John George.
Paterson, James G.

Waimatuku River District.—Counties of Southland and Wallace.

Lower Subdivision—
Campbell, William J.
Muirhead, Thomas S.
Rance, John.
Middle Subdivision—
Calder, Thomas George.
Cowan, James Henry.
McKenzie, Alexander.
Upper Subdivision—
Kennedy, Robert.
Mathieson, Hugh.
Morton, John.

Manawatu-Oroua River District.—Counties of Kairanga, Manawatu, and Horowhenua.

Oroua Subdivision—
Buchanan, Andrew.
Motoua Subdivision—
Carter, Walter S.
Gower, Bernard Gapper.
Koputaroa Subdivision—
Richardson, James.
Makerua Subdivision—
Barber, Harold.
Seifert, Alfred.
Akers, Hugh.
Kairanga Subdivision—
Harrison, John Ernest Cotton.
Tanner, Robert.

Inch Clutha River and Drainage District.—County of Bruce.

Anderson, Peter.
Bell, Adam James.
Mosley, John.
Mosley, Oliver.
Renton, Alexander.
Rutherford, John Peter.

Taieri River Trust District.—Counties of Taieri and Bruce.

Snow Subdivision—
Miller, John.
Moore, Andrew.
Lee Creek Subdivision—
Marshall, William J.
O'Leary, William.
Lakes Subdivision—
Geary, Thomas.
Kempshall, Richard A.

Elephant Hill River District.—County of Waimate.

Corbitt, Edward.
Dugdale, C. F.
Kearton, Christopher Thomas.
Ruddenklau, J. G.
Smillie, James.
Swann, James R.
Wallace, Forbes.

Lochiel River District.—County of Southland.

Blakie, Arthur Sydney.
Clark, Arthur Williamson.
Forbes, Alexander R.
May, John Thomas.
Paddon, Alfred Henry John.

Kaituna River District.—County of Tauranga.

Berquist, William.
Broad, Edmund Lowther.
Collins, Alfred James.
Cruickshank, Milford George.
Ford, George Pinckney.
Griffin, Mapson Webb.
King, Robert.
Mitchell, Stewart Wilson.
Sinclair, Duncan Henry.

Waiohine River District.—Counties of Wairarapa South and Featherston.

Greathead, Leonard.
Haigh, Arthur Moffatt.
Herrick, Leonard Joseph Cecil.
Murray, Alexander.
York, Alfred Harold.

West Winton River District.—County of Southland.

Cunningham, James, jun.
Hamilton, John Ronald.
Ledington, Frank.
Legat, David Craig.
Thomson, John Henderson.

Upper Winton River District.—County of Southland.

Blackmun, James.
Egerton, Thomas.
Grant, Alexander.
Hamilton, William.
McKenzie, John Hendry.

Winton River District.—County of Southland.

Cunningham, James, jun.
Ledington, Frank.
Legat, David Craig.
Pearce, George Albert.
Thomson, John Henderson.

Dipton River District.—County of Southland.

Burgess, John.
Finlayson, Alexander D.
Mitchell, Robert.
McRae, Duncan.
Reilly, John.

Otaki River District.—County of Horowhenua.

Elliott, Stanley Aloysius.
Harper, George Herbert.
Kilminster, Leonard James.
Lethbridge, Harry Bruce.
Robinson, John Stocker.
Ryder, Frederick James.
Synnott, Thomas William.

Hawke's Bay Rivers District.—County of Hawke's Bay.

No. 1 Ward—
Latham, George.
No. 2 Ward—
Clark, Henry Richard.
Jarvis, William George.
Macdonald, James.
No. 3 Ward—
Hellyer, Charles William.
Miller, John Anderson.
No. 4 Ward—
Purves, George.
Smart, William Wilson.
No. 5 Ward—
Donovan, Timothy.

Waipu River District.—County of Whangarei.

Finlayson, John J.
McKay, Roderick Frank.
McLean, Norman E.
McMillan, Alexander.
Russell, Edward.

Notice to Mariners No. 10 of 1927.

NEW ZEALAND.—ANTIPODES, BOUNTY, AND CAMPBELL ISLANDS.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 24th February, 1927.

Relief and Provision Depots for Castaways to be discontinued.
Former Notice.—No. 3 of 1923.

INFORMATION is hereby given that maintenance of the depots of provisions and clothing for shipwrecked mariners established on Antipodes, Bounty, and Campbell Islands, and the attendant periodical visits to those islands will, after a visit to be made in March, 1927, be discontinued. *Positions.*—Antipodes Islands depot.—Lat. 49° 40' S., long. 178° 50½' E. Bounty Islands depot.—Lat. 47° 41½' S., long. 179° 3¼' E. Campbell Islands depot.—Lat. 52° 33½' S., long. 169° 6½' E.

This notice amends Wellington Notice to Mariners No. 3, of 1923, in respect of Antipodes, Bounty, and Campbell Islands only.

Remarks.—Antipodes and Bounty Islands are uninhabited. Sheep station exists on Campbell Islands, but human habitation is occasional.

Charts.—Nos. 788, 1022, 2683.

Publications.—"New Zealand Pilot" 9th edition, 1919, pages 494, 496, and 497.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Branch of Friendly Society registered.

Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 22nd February, 1927.

THE Tutaneikai Rebekah Lodge, No. 51, situated at Helensville, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 22nd day of February, 1927.

R. WITHEFORD,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.*Land in Canterbury Land District forfeited.*

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 25th February, 1927.

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: R.L. 695: Section 6, Craigmere Settlement. Formerly held by C. T. Layton. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Auckland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Auckland, 1st March, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the local Lands and Survey Office, Te Kuiti, at 10 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 6th April, 1927, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.—WAIMOMO COUNTY.—TE KUITI TOWNSHIP.

SECTION 10, Block X: Area, 20.8 perches. Upset price, £2,750.

Business site section fronting Rora Street (Main Street, Te Kuiti Township). Buildings included in capital value comprise two shops with living-rooms and office. A portion of the building has been tenanted as a billiard-saloon, and has an entrance from the main street.

Terms of Sale.

1. Cash.—One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee (£1) to be paid within thirty days thereafter.

2. Deferred Payments.—Five per cent. of the purchase-money and license fee (£1 ls.) to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance by equal half-yearly instalments extending over 34½ years, bearing interest at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum on the unpaid purchase-money; but with the right to pay off at any time the whole or any part of the outstanding amount.

In either case, if the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, the amount already paid shall be forfeited and the contract for sale of the land shall be null and void.

Titles will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924.

The land is described for the general information of intending bidders, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Department is not responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

Special Condition.—Buildings may not be removed from the section until the full purchase-money has been paid.

K. M. GRAHAM,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Education Reserves in Taranaki Land District for Lease by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 28th February, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned education reserves will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, on Wednesday, 6th April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1908, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

EDUCATION RESERVES.

Patea Borough.—Patea Suburban.

TERM of lease: Twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal.

Subdivisions 19 to 25 of Section 42: Area, 3 roods 29 perches. Upset annual rent, £25.

Situated in Albany and Monmouth Streets. All flat land in grass. There is an old two-storeyed house situated on Subdivision 25. This house is in a bad state of repair. Valuation for same is included in the capital value, on which rental is based.

Subdivisions 10 to 18 of Section 42: Area, 1 acre 0 roods 32 perches. Upset annual rental, £4 10s.

This area is situated at the junction of Monmouth and Albany Streets. It comprises good level land in grass, very suitable as a paddock for grazing a house cow.

Subdivisions 34, 35, and 36 of Section 42: Area, 1 rood 24 perches. Upset annual rent, £2.

These subdivisions are situated at the corner of Monmouth Street and Unthinks Road. They comprise good level land in grass, and are very suitable for grazing a house cow.

Patea Borough.—Town of Patea.

Sections 5 and 6, Block XXVII: Area, 2 roods. Upset annual rent, £4 10s.

These sections are situated at the corner of Norfolk and Cornwall Streets. They comprise flat land, surrounded by live hedges. There is an old four-roomed cottage situated on Section 5. This building is in a very bad state of repair, and there is a considerable amount of borer therein. The valuation of this building is included in the capital value, on which the rental is based.

ABSTRACT OF TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. A half-year's rent at rate offered, and lease and registration fees, £2 2s., to be paid on fall of hammer.

2. Term of lease is twenty-one years, with perpetual right of renewal for successive terms of twenty-one years at rents based on fresh valuations under the provisions of the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908.

3. No compensation for improvements; but if lease is not renewed upon expiry, the new lease offered for disposal by public competition will be subject to payment by the incoming tenant of valuation for improvements effected by the

original lessee with the consent of the Land Board. Failing disposal, the land and improvements revert to the Crown without compensation.

4. No transfer, mortgage, sublease, or subdivisions allowed without consent.

5. Lessee to cultivate and improve the land and keep it clear of noxious weeds.

6. Lessee to maintain in good substantial repair all buildings, fences, gates, and drains, and to keep clear all creeks, drains, ditches, and watercourses, to trim all live hedges, and to yield up all improvements in good order and condition at the expiration of the lease.

7. Rent payable half-yearly in advance, subject to penalty at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum for any period during which it remains in arrears.

8. No gravel to be removed from land without consent of the Land Board.

9. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade.

10. Lessee to give notice to Land Board before making improvements.

11. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.

12. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, New Plymouth.

W. D. ARMIT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Wellington Land District for Sale under the Provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 1st March, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned sections will be offered for sale at the Conference Hall, Dominion Farmers' Buildings, Wellington, at 7.30 o'clock p.m., on Tuesday, the 22nd March, 1927.

The sections may be purchased for cash; for cash by instalments; or on special deferred payments under the provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—LOWER HUTT BOROUGH.

Belmont Survey District.—Hutt Valley Settlement.

Section.	Block.	Area.	Section.	Block.	Area.
		A. R. P.			A. R. P.
29	XXIV	0 0 39.3	14	XXII	0 0 27.5
28	"	0 0 39.8	15, 16	"	0 1 19.6
27	"	0 0 39.9	17	"	0 0 31.5
26	"	0 0 39	18, 19	"	0 1 24.8
25	"	0 0 38.4	20	"	0 0 32.3
1, 2	XXII	0 1 23.6	1, 2	XXIII	0 1 14.5
3	"	0 0 29.5	3	"	0 0 27.2
4, 5	"	0 1 14.5	4, 5	"	0 1 16.5
6	"	0 0 26.8	6	"	0 0 27
7, 8	"	0 1 13.2	7, 8	"	0 1 17.1
9	"	0 0 29.4	9	"	0 0 31.8
10	"	0 0 27.9	10, 11	"	0 1 33.9
11	"	0 0 26.9	12	"	0 0 39.2
12, 13	"	0 1 11.3	13, 14	"	0 1 27.6

The sections being offered comprise part of the land which was purchased by the Crown from the Riddiford family in connection with the Hutt Valley Railway Deviation. The whole area has been laid out in accordance with modern town-planning ideas, a part of the general scheme of subdivision being shown on the locality plan. The situation of the sections is ideal, being within easy reach of either the White's Line or Waterloo Road Railway-stations. It is anticipated that the railway will be in operation at an early date, and when running, this settlement will be brought within twenty minutes of Wellington by rail.

The roads throughout this settlement are, wherever possible being formed below the level of the sections, so as to give better settings for houses and to provide adequate facilities for storm-water drainage. Roading, which is being carried out on up-to-date lines, is now proceeding rapidly, and when completed the streets will present a most attractive appearance.

The settlement has been provided with sewerage, storm-water drains, and high-pressure water throughout, and gas and electric lighting are now being provided.

Attention is drawn to the fact that a number of sections have been grouped so as to provide larger areas for those requiring same.

Attention is also drawn to the fact that the school on the eastern side of the railway is now in course of erection, and will be completed at an early date.

NOTE.—The attention of intending purchasers is drawn to easements for public purposes as shown on the plan. Intending purchasers are also advised that a building-line restriction will operate in case of sections fronting streets of a less width than sixty-six feet.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF SALE.

Cash.

One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the remaining four-fifths, together with Crown grant fee of £1, within thirty days thereafter.

Cash by Instalments.

(a.) Ten per cent. of the purchase-money, and license fee of £1 ls., on the fall of the hammer.

(b.) Ten per cent. thereof on the expiration of each of the following periods from the date of sale—namely, three months, six months, nine months, and twelve months.

(c.) The balance of 50 per cent. on the expiration of eighteen months from the date of sale.

(d.) Interest on the unpaid balance of purchase-money to be payable with each instalment, and to be computed at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum.

Special Deferred Payments.

(a.) Five per cent. of purchase-money, together with £1 ls. license fee, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

(b.) The balance of the purchase-money, with interest thereon at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum, to be paid by instalments extending over a period of 34½ years.

(c.) In addition to the prescribed half-yearly instalment the purchaser may, on making any such payment, pay any sum or sums not less than £5 or multiple of £5 in reduction of the purchase-money.

(d.) Upon receipt of the final instalment a certificate of title in respect of the land purchased shall issue, upon payment of the prescribed Crown grant fee.

If the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date, whether of purchase-money or interest, the amount (if any) already paid shall be forfeited and the contract for the sale be null and void.

It shall not be lawful for any person to acquire more than two allotments of land, subject to the provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925, under the system of deferred payments providing for repayment of purchase-money in 34½ years, and where any person so acquires two allotments, such allotments shall be contiguous.

Except on the recommendation of the Land Board and with the approval of the Minister of Lands, it shall not be lawful for any lessee or licensee of land subject to the provisions of the Hutt Valley Lands Settlement Act, 1925, to transfer his interest in such land before the expiration of ten years from the date of the original disposal of the land under the aforesaid Act.

Titles will be subject to section 85 of the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, and Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924.

The lands are described for the general information of intending bidders, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make a personal inspection, as the Department is not responsible for the accuracy of any description.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

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

Land in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Wellington, 2nd March, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the local Lands and Survey Office, Masterton, at 2 o'clock p.m., on Wednesday, 6th April, 1927, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Castlepoint County.—Castlepoint Survey District.

Lots 1 and 2 on S.O. Plan 124/6, part Section 363, Whareama Registration District, Block X, Castlepoint Survey District: Area, 3 roads 3.2 perches. Upset price, £555.

This property is situated near the Castlepoint Jetty, within easy distance of the beach. The buildings consist of a well-built dwelling of five rooms, with usual outbuildings and concrete tank, Washhouse and bathroom under the same roof.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The purchaser may pay for the land in cash or by deferred payments. The terms are:—

1. *Cash.*—One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter.

2. *Deferred Payments.*—Five per cent. of the purchase-money, together with £1 ls. license fee, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

The balance of the purchase-money, with interest thereon at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum, to be paid by instalments extending over a period of 34½ years.

The licensee shall have the right at any time during the currency of his license to pay off either the whole of the purchase-money or any half-yearly instalment or instalments thereof then remaining unpaid.

Upon receipt of the final instalment a certificate of title in respect of the land purchased shall issue upon payment of the prescribed Crown grant fee.

If the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date the amount (if any) already paid shall be forfeited, and the contract for the sale be null and void.

Titles will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

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

Land in Canterbury Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Christchurch, 28th February, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land will be offered for sale by public auction for cash or on deferred payments at the District Lands and Survey Office, Christchurch, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 6th April, 1927, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT.

Town Land.—Borough of Rangiora.

Lot 28, part R.S. 385: Area, 19½ perches. Upset price, £300.

Situated on Cone Street, Rangiora, 15 chains from Rangiora Railway-station. Consists of a six-roomed dwelling thereon, built of concrete, with iron roof, plastered and part papered; three open fires, gas lighting in three rooms; water-supply, well and pump.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The purchaser may pay for the land in cash or by deferred payments. The terms are:—

1. *Cash.*—One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee (£1), within thirty days thereafter.

2. *Deferred Payments.*—Five per cent. of the purchase-money, together with £1 ls. license fee, to be paid on the fall of the hammer.

The balance of the purchase-money, with interest thereon at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum, to be paid by instalments extending over a period of 34½ years.

The licensee shall have the right at any time during the currency of his license to pay off either the whole of the purchase-money or any half-yearly instalment or instalments thereof then remaining unpaid.

Upon receipt of the final instalment a certificate of title in respect of the land purchased shall issue upon payment of the prescribed Crown grant fee.

If the purchaser fails to make any of the prescribed payments by due date the amount (if any) already paid shall be forfeited, and the contract for sale be null and void.

Titles will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

W. STEWART,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Settlement Land in Otago Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Dunedin, 1st March, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned land is open for selection on renewable lease, and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Monday, 11th April, 1927.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, Dunedin, at 10.30 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 13th April, 1927; but if any applicant so desires he may be examined by the Land Board of any other district.

The ballot will be held immediately upon conclusion of the examination of applicants.

Preference at the ballot will be given to landless applicants who have one or more children dependent on them; to landless applicants who within two years immediately preceding date of ballot have applied for land at least twice unsuccessfully; to applicants who have served beyond New Zealand as members of the Expeditionary Force; to persons engaged on military service beyond New Zealand in connection with the late war if such persons immediately prior to the war were *bona fide* residents of New Zealand; and to applicants who, while domiciled in New Zealand, have served beyond New Zealand as members of any of His Majesty's forces in connection with any war other than the war with Germany.

SCHEDULE.

OTAGO LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.—FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Tuapeka County.—Beaumont and Tuapeka West Survey Districts.—Bellamy Settlement.

SECTION 2A: Area, 90 acres 2 roods 18 perches. Capital value £430. Half-yearly rent, £10 15s.

Weighted with £8 6s. 3d., valuation for improvements, comprising fencing, to be paid for in cash.

Improvements, included in the capital value, comprise fencing valued at £37 16s.

General Description.

Bellamy Settlement is situated on the main road, Lawrence to Roxburgh, half a mile from the Beaumont Railway-station. Section 2A is broken land with fairly steep faces, with a fair amount of manuka. Soil generally is black loam on clay formation. Most of the arable land has been cultivated and is now in old pasture. At the present time the section carries a fair amount of rough feed with a fair sprinkling of clover. Section well watered. The nearest school and store are at Beaumont.

Special Condition.—The successful applicant will be liable for his half share of the boundary fencing.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

Settlement Land.

1. Term of lease: Thirty-three years, with a perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of thirty-three years, and a right to acquire the freehold.
2. Rent: Five per cent. per annum on the capital value, payable in advance on 1st January and 1st July in each year.
3. Applicants to be twenty-one years of age and upwards.
4. Applicants to furnish with applications statutory declaration, 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. No person may hold more than one allotment.
7. Successful applicants to execute lease within thirty days after being notified that it is ready for signature.
8. Lessee to reside continuously on the land, and pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
9. Transfer not allowed until expiration of fifth year of lease, except under extraordinary circumstances, and then only with permission.
10. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Dunedin.

R. S. GALBRAITH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Lands in Southland Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

District Lands and Survey Office,
Invercargill, 1st March, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands will be offered for sale by public auction for cash at the District Lands and Survey Office, Invercargill, at 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 6th April, 1927, under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

SOUTHLAND LAND DISTRICT.—SOUTHLAND COUNTY.

Town of Lowther.

SECTION 6, Block IX: Area, 2 roods. Upset price, £7 10s.

Section 7, Block IX: 1 acre 0 roods 1 perch. Upset price, £7 10s.

Section 6, Block V: Area, 3 roods 3 perches. Upset price, £10.

Situated a quarter of a mile from Lowther Railway-station. Flat land. Sections are suitable for building-sites.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash.—One-fifth of the purchase-money on the fall of the hammer, and the balance, with Crown grant fee of £1, is payable within thirty days thereafter, otherwise the part of the purchase-money paid by way of deposit will be forfeited, and the sale of the land declared null and void.

Title will be subject to Part XIII of the Land Act, 1924. Full particulars may be had on application to the Commissioner of Crown Lands, Invercargill.

N. C. KENSINGTON,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

MAORI LANDS NOTICE.

Tenders for lease of Lands.

NOTICE is hereby given, under the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909, and its amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, that written tenders are invited and will be received at the office of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, Rotorua, up to 4 o'clock p.m. on Thursday, 21st April, 1927, for the lease of the lands described in the First Schedule hereto, on the terms and conditions set out in the Second Schedule hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

ROTORUA TOWN SECTIONS.

Block XLIX, Town of Rotorua.

SECTION 3: Area, 1 rood. Upset annual rental, £8 10s. *Locality and Description.*—This section is situated close to Whakarewarewa, with a frontage of 82½ ft. to Meade Street—a blind street off the southern end of Fenton Street. It has a slightly elevated position, and is a good building-site.

Block LI, Town of Rotorua.

Section 1: Area, 1 rood. Upset annual rental, £10. Section 2: Area 1 rood. Upset annual rental, £6 12s. *Locality and Description.*—These two sections are both very good level sections, in scrub, situated at the corner of Fenton Street and Froude Street. Section 1 has a frontage of 66 ft. to Fenton Street and 165 ft. to Froude Street. Section 2 has a frontage of 66 ft. to Fenton Street.

Block LII, Town of Rotorua.

Section.	Area.			Upset Annual Rental.	
	A.	R.	P.	£	s. d.
1	0	1	0	11	10 0
5	0	1	0	6	5 0
6	0	1	0	6	5 0
7	0	1	0	6	5 0
8	0	1	0	6	5 0
9	0	1	0	6	5 0
10	0	1	0	8	15 0
12	0	1	0	6	5 0
13	0	1	0	6	5 0
14	0	1	0	6	5 0
15	0	1	0	6	5 0
16	0	1	0	8	15 0

Locality and Description.

Section 1 is situated at the corner of Fenton and Sala Streets, having a frontage of 66 ft. to Fenton Street and 165 ft. to Sala Street. It is a good level section, and very useful building-site.

Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 are all good level sections, each having a frontage of 82½ ft. to Sala Street, which is formed and constitutes the main roadway to the Government Nurseries.

Sections 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16 are also good level sections, each having a frontage of 82½ ft. to Froude Street, which is the main entrance to Whakarewarewa.

Block LXI, Town of Rotorua.

Section 1: Area, 2 roods 36 perches. Upset annual rental, £3 15s.

Locality and Description.—This is a good level section. It has a strong growth of gorse, but when cleared it would be a very good building area. It is high and dry, and faces Tarewa, being bounded on the west by the railway-line.

Block LXII, Town of Rotorua.

Section 1: Area, 5 acres 3 roods. Upset annual rental, £21 10s.

Locality and Description.—This is a good level land in gorse and scrub, bounded on the north-west by Tarewa Road, on the south by Pukuatua Street, and on the west by the railway-line. It is suitable for small farmlet or for subdivision purposes.

Block LXIX, Town of Rotorua.

Section.	Area.			Upset Annual Rental.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	0	1	0	4	0	0
24	0	1	0	5	0	0
25	0	1	0	4	0	0
26	0	1	0	5	0	0
27	0	1	0	4	0	0
28	0	1	0	4	0	0

Locality and Description.—These are all level, but rather low-lying sections, each having a frontage of 82½ ft. to Pukuatua Street. Section 24 has a frontage of 132 ft. to Tawa Street, which at present is unformed.

Block LXXI, Town of Rotorua Extension.

Section 1: Area, 1 rood 39 perches. Upset annual rental, £3.

Locality and Description.—This is a level section in manuka, close to Whakarewarewa, with a frontage to Froude and Nelson Streets, both of which are unformed. The section is bounded on the west by the Puarenga Stream.

ROTORUA SUBURBAN SECTIONS.

Suburban Section 22 of the Suburbs of Rotorua.

Lot.	Area.			Upset Annual Rental.		
	A.	R.	P.	£	s.	d.
1	0	1	0	10	0	0
2	0	1	0	10	0	0
3	0	1	0	19	16	0
4	0	1	0	7	15	0
5	0	1	0	7	15	0
6	0	1	0	7	15	0
7	0	1	0	7	15	0
8	0	1	0	7	15	0
9	0	1	0	7	15	0
10	0	0	31.8	10	0	0
11	0	1	14.6	12	10	0
14	0	1	0	10	0	0
15	0	1	0	7	15	0
17	0	1	0	7	15	0
18	0	1	0	7	15	0
24	0	1	3.7	11	0	0
25	0	1	26.07	10	0	0

Locality and Description.

These sections are only about half a mile from the town, and all are admirable level building-sites.

Sections 1, 2, and 3 are situated at the corner of Fenton Street and Ti Street, and are exceptionally fine, level residential sites. Sections 1 and 2 are fronting on Fenton Street and Section 3 on Fenton Street and Ti Street. Section 14, on the opposite side, fronts on Fenton Street between Section 13 and the racecourse. Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9 are situated on the northern side of Ti Street.

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Section 10, adjoining Section 9, has a frontage to the Rotorua-Wairoa-Maketu Road. Section 11 is on the corner of the Rotorua-Wairoa-Maketu Road and Ti Street on the northern side.

Sections 15, 17, and 18 are on the southern side of Ti Street. Section 24 on the southern side has a frontage to Ti Street and the Rotorua-Wairoa-Maketu Road.

Section 25 fronts on the Rotorua-Wairoa-Maketu Road.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

1. Term of Lease: Fifty years.
2. Rental: The rental shall not be less than the given upset annual rental, and shall be payable half-yearly in advance.
3. Every tender must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, addressed to the President, Waiariki District Maori Land Board, Rotorua, and marked "Tender for the lease of Section ..," and must be accompanied by a half-year's rent and the sum of three pounds three shillings (£3 3s.) to cover the cost of the preparation of the lease, and an amount sufficient to cover the cost of the stamping and the registration of the lease.
4. The lease will be prepared by the Board.
5. A successful tenderer will be required, within thirty (30) days from the date on which the lease shall be tendered to him by the Board for execution, to sign the same in triplicate. In the event of his failure to do so, the Board may forfeit the deposit paid by him and again offer the land at the upset rental, freed from any obligations to the defaulting lessee.
6. The Board reserves the right to withdraw any section or lot at any time prior to the time for receiving the tenders.
7. The lessee shall be required, before obtaining his lease, to make a declaration against aggregation of area in accordance with the provisions of the Native Land Act, 1909.
8. The lands are offered under the Native Land Act, 1909, and its amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908. The lessee shall be deemed to be acquainted with the provisions thereof and be bound thereby as effectually as if such provisions were embodied herein.
9. The lessee has no right to minerals without license.
10. The lessee has no right to assign or sublet without the previous consent in writing of the Board.
11. The Board may re-enter on land for breach of covenant or default in payment of rent after thirty (30) days, whether legally demanded or not.
12. The lessee shall pay all rates, taxes, and assessments other than landlord's land-tax.
13. The lessee will keep the land free and clear from noxious weeds, growths, &c.
14. The lessee will keep in good and tenantable order and repair all fences and buildings, &c.
15. The lessee will fence without any right of resort to the Board for contribution on account of the Board owning or occupying adjacent land; but this provision shall not deprive the lessee of any rights he may have against any subsequent occupier, other than the Board of such adjacent land.
16. The highest or any tender shall not necessarily be accepted. In the event of no tender being received the sections shall remain open for selection for any period fixed by the Board at the upset rental.
17. A copy of the form of lease may be inspected at the office of the Under-Secretary for Native Affairs, Wellington, or at the office of the Board.

Instructions to Applicants.

The sections are described for the general information only of intending tenderers, who are recommended, nevertheless, to make personal inspection, as the Board will not be held responsible for the absolute accuracy of any description.

The highest or any tender shall not necessarily be accepted. Tenders must be sent to the office of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, Rotorua, and must be made on the proper forms, to be obtained at the office of the Board.

Full particulars may be obtained at the head office of the Native Department, Wellington, and at the office of the Waiariki District Maori Land Board, Rotorua.

A. G. HOLLAND,
President,

Waiariki District Maori Land Board.

Office of the Waiariki District Maori
Land Board, Rotorua.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that BOB JOHN SARICH, of Morrinsville, Storekeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the office of the Official Assignee at Auckland on Thursday, the 10th day of March, 1927, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

V. H. SANSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.
26th February, 1927.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MATTHEW HENDERSON, of Putaruru, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Putaruru, on Wednesday, the 9th day of March, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.
25th February, 1927.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HERBERT WYLES, of Gisborne, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Jury-room, on Friday, 4th March, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

C. BLACKBURN,
Deputy Official Assignee.
23rd February, 1927.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN WILLIAM BLANCE, of Huirangi, Share-milker, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 2nd day of March, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.
23rd February, 1927.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at New Plymouth.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDWARD JAMES CORRIE, of Rahotu, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 7th day of March, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

J. S. S. MEDLEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.
25th February, 1927.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY DAWSON ARTHUR, of Wanganui, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of March, 1927, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.
24th February, 1927.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that FREDERICK WILLIAM PERCIVAL, of Wanganui, Accountant (on creditor's petition of John David Todd, of Waipukurau, Farmer), was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my Office, 44 Maria Place, Wanganui, on Saturday, the 5th day of March, 1927, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

E. M. SILK,
Deputy Official Assignee.
22nd February, 1927.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GORDON GILLON GRIFFIN, of Wellington, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Board Room, Dominion Farmers Institute, on Friday, the 11th day of March, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.
1st March, 1927.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LEONARD BANKS SYME, of Springburn, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Magistrate's Court, Ashburton, on Thursday, the 10th day of March, 1927, at 2 o'clock p.m.

C. O. PRATT,
Official Assignee.
24th February, 1927.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land herein after described will be brought under the provisions of the Land Transfer Act, 1915, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same on or before 4th April, 1927.

7493. HUGH WHITE.—Allotments 491 and 496, Town of Cambridge West, containing 2 acres, fronting Byron Street, Tennyson Street, and Raleigh Street, in the Leamington Town District. Occupied by applicant. Plan 19241.

7559. HENRY JOSEPH REILLY.—Part Allotment 49, Parish of Manurewa, containing 8 acres 1 rood 12 perches, fronting Walmsley Road. Occupied by applicant. Plan 20008.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 25th day of February, 1927, at the Land Registry Office, Auckland.

W. JOHNSTON, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a new certificate of title in the name of JOHN ALFRED BUSH, of Marton, Company Manager, for 3 roods 16'8 perches, more or less, being part of Section 18, Borough of Marton, and part of Section 15, Rangitikei Agricultural Reserve, and being the whole of the land in certificate of title, Vol. 334, folio 176, Wellington Registry (limited as to parcels and title), and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I will issue the new certificate of title as requested after fourteen days from the date of the *Gazette* containing this notice.

Dated this 2nd day of March, 1927, at the Lands Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

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

686. SAMUEL JOHN PRESTON, FRANK COLLYER, and HERBERT WILLIAM REID SWENEY (No Survivorship).—Sections 17, 19, 146, and 148, Town of Hokitika, containing 14'7 perches, more or less. Occupied by applicants as trustees of the Pacific Lodge of Freemasons 1229, E.C. Plan No. 612.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 22nd day of February, 1927, at the Land Registry Office, Hokitika.

E. C. ADAMS, 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, and its amendments, unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within one calendar month from the date of publication of the *New Zealand Gazette* containing this notice.

13527. ROBERT FAIRBAIRN and JESSIE MARIA FAIRBAIRN.—Part of Rural Sections 177A, 177B, and 177C, Block X, Christchurch Survey District, Lots 1 and 2, deposit plan 8185, Hawthornden Road. Unoccupied.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.
Dated this 28th day of February, 1927, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

H. B. MOUNTFORD AND COMPANY, LIMITED. 1914/4.

KINDLY take notice that, at the expiration of three months from this date, the name of the above-mentioned company will, unless cause is shown to the

contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

R. BAIRD,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

THE NAPIER-HASTINGS BUS COMPANY, LIMITED. 1925/23.

KINDLY take notice that, at the expiration of three months from this date, the name of the above-mentioned company will, unless cause is shown to the contrary, be struck off the Register, and the company will be dissolved.

R. BAIRD,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

THE HAWKE'S BAY FRUIT-CANNING COMPANY, LIMITED.
1914/1.

TAKE notice that the name of the above-mentioned company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated at Napier, this 24th day of February 1927.

R. BAIRD,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

COOPER, KELLY, AND COMPANY, LIMITED. 1920/21.

TAKE notice that the name of the above company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated at Napier, this 26th day of February, 1927.

R. F. BAIRD,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

HAWKE'S BAY LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.
1916/6.

TAKE notice that the name of the above company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated at Napier, this 26th day of February, 1927.

R. F. BAIRD,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

THE COMPANIES ACT, 1908, SECTION 266 (4).

NEW ZEALAND POWELL WOOD PROCESS, LIMITED. 1907/12.

TAKE notice that the name of the above company has been struck off the Register, and the company has been dissolved.

Dated at Napier, this 26th day of February, 1927.

R. F. BAIRD,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF PLACES OF BUSINESS.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the LONDON ASSURANCE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the situation and locality of the offices or places of business of the London Assurance will in future be at—

Johnston Street, Wellington.
The Avenue, Wanganui.
Cuba Street, Palmerston North.
Emerson Street, Napier.
Egmont Street, New Plymouth.
Shortland Street, Auckland.
Vanguard Street, Nelson.
Cathedral Square, Christchurch.
Water Street, Dunedin.
Childers Road, Gisborne.
Beswick Street, Timaru.

BRANDON, WARD, AND HISLOP,
Solicitors, Wellington.

STANDARD TELEPHONES AND CABLES (AUSTRALASIA) LIMITED.

PURSUANT to the Companies Act, 1908, notice is hereby given that the locality of the office or place of business of Standard Telephones and Cables (Australasia) Limited at which notices may be delivered or legal process served is at No. 156 Lambton Quay, Wellington.

Dated this 9th day of February, 1927.

E. H. McINNES,
Attorney.

Bell, Gully, Mackenzie, and O'Leary,
Solicitors.

MAUNGATUROTO PUBLIC HALL COMPANY, LTD.

(IN LIQUIDATION.)

NOTICE is hereby given that, pursuant to section 230 of the Companies Act, 1908, an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders of the above company will be held in the Public Hall, Maungaturoto, on Friday, the 18th day of March, 1927, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidators; and for the purpose of passing an extraordinary resolution disposing of the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the liquidation.

Dated at Maungaturoto this 21st day of February, 1927.

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L. E. CULLEN } Liquidators.
W. J. DELL }

WAIPUKURAU BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Waipukurau Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Waipukurau Borough Unemployment Relief Loan of £500, 1927, authorized to be raised by the Waipukurau Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of Reservoir Road Extension, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of sixty-three one-thousandths (63/1,000ths) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Borough of Waipukurau, 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 ten (10) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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H. M. SANSLEIF, Town Clerk.

WAIPA COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTIONS MAKING SPECIAL RATES.

Loan of £1,600.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, the Waipa County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,600, authorized to be raised by the Waipa County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of forming, culverting, and metalling for the first time roads in the Puhue Special-rating Area, the said Waipa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-eighths of a penny (¾d.) in the pound upon the rateable (capital) value of all rateable properties in the Puhue Special-rating Area, comprising all that area in the County of Waipa bounded by a line commencing at the north-western corner of Puhue 1E Block, south-easterly by the north-eastern boundaries of Sections 1s, 2s, 4s, and 5s of the Puhue Settlement to the northern corner of Section 10s, Puhue Settlement; thence by the northern and eastern boundaries of the said Section 10s to the south-eastern corner of that section; thence by the eastern boundary of Section 16s, Puhue Settlement, and Maungatautari 4E 4, 4E 5, 4E 2, and 4E 3 Blocks to the south-eastern corner of the said 4E 3 Block; thence north-westerly by the north bank of the Mangahoe Stream to the point where it crosses the Confiscated Boundary-line at the south-western corner of

Puahue No. 2, Section 14; thence north-easterly by the Confiscated Boundary-line to the north-western corner of Puahue No. 1E, the place of commencement: And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Loan of £1,200.

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,200, authorized to be raised by the Waipa County Council under the above-mentioned Act, for the purpose of forming, culverting, and gravelling roads in the Tautari Special-rating Area, the said Waipa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one farthing (¼d.) in the pound upon the rateable (capital) value of all rateable properties in the Tautari Special-rating Area, comprising all that area in the Orakau Riding of the Waipa County bounded by a line commencing at the north-western corner of part Maungatautari 4G 1 Block (containing 514 acres), easterly by the northern boundary of Maungatautari 4G 1, 4G 5, and 4G 4, a line across a road and the eastern boundary of the said Maungatautari 4G 4 Block to the south-eastern corner of the said block; thence by the northern boundaries of Sections 9, 10, 11, a line across a road and the western boundary of Section 30, Tautari Settlement, to the northern corner of the said Section 30; thence by the south-western and north-western boundaries of Maungatautari 3A No. 6A and the north-western and north-eastern boundaries of Maungatautari 3A No. 7A, to the northern corner of Maungatautari 3A 7B No. 1; thence by the north-eastern boundaries of Maungatautari 3A 7B No. 1 and 3A 7B No. 2, and the south-eastern boundaries of the last-mentioned block and Maungatautari 3A No. 4 to the north-eastern corner of Maungatautari 3A 5B to the Waiteti Stream; thence down the Waiteti Stream to the northern boundary of the Waipa County; thence south-easterly, southerly, and westerly by the boundary of the Waipa County to the south-western corner of Section 3, Block 3, Wharepapa Survey District; thence northerly by the western boundaries of the said Section 3 of Section 2, Block 15, Maungatautari Survey District, and Allotment 1 of Lot 1 of Section 1, Block 15, Maungatautari Survey District, to the north-western corner of the last-mentioned allotment; thence westerly by the southern boundaries of Sections 7A, 26, 25, 23, and 22, Tautari Settlement, and of Maungatautari 3C 4B and 3C 3, and lines across three roads to the south-western corner of 3C 3 Block; thence northerly by the western boundaries of Maungatautari 3C 3, 3C 4B, 3C 4A No. 1, and 3C No. 2 Blocks to the south-eastern corner of part Maungatautari 4G No. 1 (containing 91 acres 3 roods); thence westerly by the southern boundary of the said part Maungatautari 4G 1 Block, a line across a road, and the southern boundary of part Maungatautari 4G 1 (containing 397 acres 3 roods 30 perches) to the south-western corner of the said block; thence northerly by the western boundaries of three portions of Maungatautari 4G 1 Block to the north-western corner of the portion thereof containing 514 acres, the place of commencement: And that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and shall be payable yearly on the 1st day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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THOS. GRANT, County Clerk.

MATAMATA 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, 1926, the Matamata County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,000, authorized to be raised by the Matamata County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of *metalling Plantation Road* and portions of River Road and Saunders' Road, the said Matamata County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of nine-sixteenths of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all rateable property of the Horahora No. 2 Special-rating Area, comprising all that area in the Matamata County included within the following boundaries: Commencing at the north-western corner of Lot 2 of Section 11 of A.B., towards the north by the southern boundary of school site and its production across a road, towards the north-west and north generally by Lot 1 of 12 of A.B. and parts Sections 1 and 8, Block IV, Maungatautari Survey District, a line crossing a road and other part of the said Section 8 to the Waikato River; towards the east by the Waikato River to the Waitete Stream; towards the

south by the said Waitete Stream to north-eastern boundary of Maungatautari part 3A 5J, towards the south-west and south-east by the said Maungatautari part 3A 5J; towards the south-west by the Waipa County to its intersection with the south-eastern boundary of Maungatautari part 3A 5E; towards the north-west, south-west, and south-east, and again towards the south-west and south-east by the said part 3A 5E to the Waipa County boundary; towards the south-west by the Waipa County boundary to its intersection with the western boundary of Maungatautari 3A 5F; towards the west by Maungatautari 3A 5A 7 and 3A 5A 3; towards the north-west by part 3A 5G 1 and part 3A 5G 3; towards the west by the said 3A 5G 3; towards the north and west by Maungatautari 2C 2; towards the north-east by other part of the said 3A 5G 1 and Maungatautari 3A 3; towards the north-west and south-west by Maungatautari 3A 3; again towards the north-west and south-west by Section 8, Horahora East, and towards the west generally by Lot 1 of 11 of Horahora A.B. to the point of commencement: And that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 17th day of August in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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C. F. E. BARTON, County Clerk.

FEATHERSTON BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Featherston Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Featherston Borough Street Improvement Loan of £2,000, 1927, authorized to be raised by the Featherston Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of street and foot-path improvements and erecting a building to house plant and material, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of seven-eighths (7/8ths) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Borough of Featherston, and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and a half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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J. W. CARD, Mayor.

H. ROLLS, Town Clerk.

DARGAVILLE BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Dargaville Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of twelve thousand pounds (£12,000), authorized to be raised by the Dargaville Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of acquiring an additional area of land, approximately 2,700 acres, adjacent to the present water-catchment area, near Kaihu, for the purpose of converting the said land into a water-catchment area, fencing the same, and doing all things necessary to ensure an increased and uncontaminated water-supply for the Borough of Dargaville, contingencies, first year's interest, and sinking fund, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of twenty-seven-thirty-seconds (27/32nds) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Borough of Dargaville, and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

RESOLUTION INCREASING SPECIAL RATE.

In pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Dargaville Borough Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of twelve thousand pounds (£12,000) authorized to be raised by the

Dargaville Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of acquiring an additional area of land, approximately 2,700 acres, adjacent to the present water-catchment area, near Kaihu, for the purpose of converting the said land into a water-catchment area, fencing the same, and doing all things necessary to ensure an increased and uncontaminated water-supply for the Borough of Dargaville, contingencies, first year's interest, and sinking fund, the said Council, pursuant to section 23 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, hereby increases to one penny (1d.) in the pound sterling the special rate of twenty-seven thirty-seconds (27/32nds) of a penny in the pound sterling made and levied by resolution passed by the said Council on the 16th day of February, 1927, on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the whole of the Borough of Dargaville, such rate of twenty-seven-thirty-seconds (27/32nds) of a penny in the pound sterling being insufficient to provide for payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on such loan, and that such special rate, as increased, shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half (36½) years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

FRANCIS A. JONES, Mayor.
WILLIAM MARTIN, Town Clerk.

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ELTHAM DRAINAGE BOARD.

SPECIAL ORDER AUTHORIZING THE RAISING OF LOAN NO. 14.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by section 17 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and with the consent of the ratepayers of the special-rating area in the Eltham Drainage District hereinafter described, testified by a petition signed by not less than three-fourths of the ratepayers in the special-rating area, the capital value of whose properties as appearing in the valuation roll of the said drainage district is collectively greater than the capital values of the properties of the ratepayers who did not so consent, the Eltham Drainage Board hereby resolves by way of special order as follows:—

For the purpose of land drainage construction-work within the said special-rating area of the Eltham Land Drainage District, the Eltham Drainage Board hereby authorizes the raising of a loan of £3,500, at a rate of interest not exceeding six per centum per annum, plus a sinking fund of £1 per centum per annum, for a period of not exceeding 36½ years, and declares that the cost of raising the said loan and the first year's interest and sinking fund on the said loan shall be paid out of the moneys so raised.

Special Rating Area.

The whole of the rateable property within Special-rating Area No. 14 of the Eltham Land Drainage District, and comprising Sections 75 and 76, Block VI, Subs. 8, 9, and 10, Allotment 1 of Sub. 11, and western part of Sub. 11, Subs. 12 and 13, Pukengahu 1, Block VII; Sections 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 43, 44, part 53 (94½ acres), Sections 55 and 57, Block XI, Ngaire Survey District, respectively.

I hereby certify that the foregoing special order was adopted at a special meeting of the Eltham Drainage Board held on the 8th day of December, 1926, and confirmed at a duly convened meeting of the Board held on the 11th day of January, 1927.

WALTER C. CLEMENT, Chairman.
W. J. TRISTRAM, Clerk.

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WAIMARINO COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, the Waimarino County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £100, being 10 per cent. additional on a loan of £1,000 authorized to be raised by the Waimarino County Council under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913, the said Waimarino County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one thirty-second of a penny (1/32nd) in the pound sterling upon the rateable (unimproved) value of all rateable property of the Pipiriki Road No. 1 Special-rating District, as described on page 697 of the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 13th day of March, 1924, and that such special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half (36½) years, or

until the loan is fully paid off, and shall be payable yearly on the 1st day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan. The interest on such loan being at a rate of £6 per centum per annum.

The above special rate is in addition to the special rate levied on the Pipiriki Road No. 1 Special-rating District as gazetted on page 697 of the *New Zealand Gazette* as aforesaid.

It is not proposed to pay the first year's interest and cost of raising the loan out of the loan moneys.

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A. MABBOTT, County Clerk.

INGLEWOOD COUNTY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION INCREASING SPECIAL RATE.

York Road Loan, £800.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers vested in it in that behalf by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Inglewood County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and other charges on the York Road Loan of £800, authorized to be raised by the Inglewood County Council for the purpose of forming and metalling York Road, the said Council, pursuant to section 23 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, hereby increases to sixpence (6d.) in the pound (£1) the special rate of 5½d. in the pound sterling made and levied by resolution passed by the said Council on the 2nd day of October, 1923 (and gazetted on page 2603 of the *New Zealand Gazette*, 1923), on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the York Road Special-rating Area, such rate of 5½d. in the pound sterling being insufficient to provide for payment of interest and other charges on such loan, and that such special rate as increased 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 36½ years, or until the said loan is fully paid off.

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R. STUART, Chairman.

WAIREWA 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, 1926, and of all other powers (if any) it thereunto enabling, the Wairewa County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Wairewa County Kinloch Riding Loan of £1,500, 1927, authorized to be raised by the Wairewa County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of metalling all roads in the Kinloch Riding in the County of Wairewa, the said Wairewa County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-eighth (1/8th) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the Kinloch Riding in the County of Wairewa, 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 March 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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T. THOMPSON, Chairman.
WM. R. LEEDER, Clerk.

In the matter of the Christchurch District Drainage Amendment Act, 1922, and in the matter of the special area described in a resolution of the Christchurch Drainage Board dated the 17th day of April, 1923, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 37, dated the 26th day of April, 1923 (known as Sewerage Extension Loan Special-rating Area).

PURSUANT to the powers vested in it by the Christchurch District Drainage Amendment Act, 1922, section 5, subsection (f), the Christchurch Drainage Board hereby resolves that the boundaries of the said special area, as described in the resolution of the Board dated the 17th day of April, 1923, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 37, dated the 26th day of April, 1923 (hereinafter referred to as the special area), shall be altered so as to include in the said special area all those two areas more particularly described in the First and Second Schedules hereto; and hereby further resolves that the said two areas shall form part of and be included in the Subdivision (B) of the said special area, and that the boundaries of the said Subdivision (B) shall be altered

accordingly so as to include therein all those two areas more particularly described in the First and Second Schedules hereto.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

Heathcote Subdistrict.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point on the right bank of the River Heathcote opposite to the eastern end of Tennyson Street, thence southerly along Burnbrae Street and St. Martin's Road to its junction with Hills Road; thence easterly along Hills Road to the watercourse from Hills Road near Victoria Street; thence northerly along the said watercourse to the right bank of the River Heathcote; thence following the said bank of the river north-westerly, northerly, north-westerly, and south-westerly to the commencing-point.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

Woolston Subdistrict.

All that area in the Canterbury Land District commencing at the railway-bridge, Opawa, on the right bank of the Heathcote River; thence northerly along the right bank of the said river to Radley Bridge; thence south-easterly along the right bank of the said river to the Woolston Railway-station; thence westerly along the Lyttelton-Christchurch railway-line to the commencing-point.

H. J. OTLEY, Chairman.

Garrick, Cowlshaw and Co.,
Solicitors, Christchurch.

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ZEALANDIA CHAMBERS, LTD.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given, in pursuance of sections 230 and 252 of the Companies Act, 1908, that a general meeting of members of the above-named company will be held at the registered office of the company, Dunedin, on Friday, the 25th day of March, 1927, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of having an account laid before them showing the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted and the property of the company disposed of, and of hearing any explanation that may be given by the Liquidator, and also determining by extraordinary resolution the manner in which the books, accounts, and documents of the company and of the Liquidator shall be disposed of.

Dated at Dunedin, this 23rd day of February, 1927.

GEORGE FENWICK,

Liquidator.

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In the Supreme Court of New Zealand,
Northern District.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of the NEW ZEALAND ENTERTAINERS, LIMITED, in voluntary liquidation.

ALL persons claiming to be creditors of the above-named company are required, on or before the 30th day of April, 1927, to send their names, addresses, and the particulars of their debts or claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors (if any) to ROBERT DEARNLEY NEAL, the Liquidator of the said company, at 9 Union Buildings, Custom Street, Auckland, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Liquidator are to come in and prove their said debts or claims at such time and place as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Dated this 10th day of February, 1927.

A. E. DOBBIE,

Deputy Registrar.

McKenzie and Bartlett, Solicitors for the above-named
Robert Dearnley Neal.

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MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, WILLIAM GEORGE BRIDGMAN, Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery, of Otago University, 1926, now residing in Timaru, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 24th day of March, 1927, to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Christchurch.

WILLIAM GEORGE BRIDGMAN,
Timaru Hospital.

Dated at Timaru, 24th February, 1927.

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McGAVIN AND CO., LTD.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of shareholders in McGavin and Co., Ltd., will be held in the Board Room, New Zealand Express Co.'s Office, Bond Street, Dunedin, on Friday, 11th March, 1927, at 4 p.m.

Business: (1) To receive report and statement of the Liquidators; (2) disposal of the company's books and documents.

J. G. D. DEMPSTER

RODERICK MACKENZIE

Liquidators.

Dunedin, 24th February, 1927.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between WILLIAM FITZGERALD and JAMES HUNTER BLAIR, carrying on business as Butchers at the "Severne Oaks Butchery," North Road, Papanui, in Christchurch, under the style or firm of "Fitzgerald and Blair," will be dissolved by mutual consent as from the 1st day of March, 1927.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1927.

JAMES HUNTER BLAIR.

W. FITZGERALD.

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In the Supreme Court of New Zealand,
Canterbury District.

In the matter of the Gaming Act, 1908, and in the matter of an application to have the premises, 171-173 Madras Street, Christchurch, declared a common gaming-house.

TAKE notice that on Friday the 25th day of February, 1927, the Supreme Court at Christchurch did declare the premises situate at 171-173 Madras Street, Christchurch, to be a common gaming-house: And further take notice that every person who covers, removes, defaces, or destroys this notice is liable to a fine not exceeding £100 or to imprisonment for any time not exceeding three months: And further take notice that under section 18 of the Gaming Act, 1908, if, during the time the said declaration of the Supreme Court is in force, any person is found in or on or entering or leaving these premises, any constable may, without warrant, arrest such person, and such person, on conviction of an offence against the said section 18, is liable to a fine not less than £5 and not more than £100, or to imprisonment for a term not less than seven days and not more than three months.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1927.

ALLAN CAMERON,

Inspector of Police.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of A. S. BEVIN, LIMITED (in voluntarily liquidation).

At a meeting of the members of the above-named company, held on the 22nd day of February, 1927, the following resolution was passed:—

"That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that FRANK LESLIE GUNN, of Whangarei, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

Dated at Whangarei, this 23rd day of February, 1927.

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F. L. GUNN, Liquidator.

THE TUTUTAWA CO-OPERATIVE DAIRY COMPANY
LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of shareholders of the above-named company will be held at the office of the Liquidator, Public Trust Buildings, Broadway, Stratford, on Tuesday, 29th March, 1927, at 1.30 o'clock p.m.

Business: To receive Liquidator's report and statement of accounts.

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T. HARRY PENN, Liquidator.

RITCHIE BROTHERS, LIMITED.

At an extraordinary meeting of the members of the above-named company, held on Friday, the 25th day of February, 1927, the following special resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind up the same, and that accordingly the company be wound up voluntarily under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1908, and its amendments:

And it is hereby further resolved, 'That JOHN HERBERT TURNER, of Wellington, Accountant, be hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.'

JOHN RITCHIE
THOMAS RITCHIE } Shareholders.

25th February, 1927.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned HARRY BERTRAM YEOMAN and THOMAS KNUDSON GARRATT, under the style of "Yeoman and Garratt," in the business of Printers, Bookbinders, and Stationers, was terminated on the 1st day of February, 1927. All debts due and owing by the late firm will be received and paid respectively by the undersigned HARRY BERTRAM YEOMAN, by whom the business will in future be carried on at Number 9, Blair Street, in the City of Wellington, as heretofore.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1927.

HARRY BERTRAM YEOMAN.
THOS. K. GARRATT.

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DAINTIES LIMITED.

IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at a general meeting of shareholders of the above-named company, held on the 15th day of February, 1927, at the registered office of the company at 13 Dundas Street, Christchurch, the following resolution was passed by entry in the minute-book:—

"Resolved, That it has been proved to the satisfaction of the company that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and that it is advisable to wind-up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that JAMES MAWSON STEWART, of Christchurch, Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up."

J. MAWSON STEWART, Liquidator.

Christchurch, 15th February, 1927.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and in the matter of H. H. COOK AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding-up of the above-named company by the Supreme Court was, on the 21st day of February, 1927, presented to the Honourable Mr. Justice Adams, a Judge of the Supreme Court, by William John Miller, of 210 Fitzgerald Street, Christchurch, Agent, a creditor of the said company, and the said petition is directed to be heard before a Judge of the said Court on the 16th day of March, 1927, and any creditor or contributory of the said company desirous to oppose the making of an order for the winding-up of the said company under the above Act should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his counsel for that purpose; and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said company requiring the same, by the undersigned, on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

CHARLES S. THOMAS,
Solicitor for the Petitioner,
Christchurch.

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THE RIALTO CO., LTD.

At a meeting of shareholders of the above company, held on the 11th day of February, 1927, the following resolution was passed:—

"Resolved, That the company be wound up voluntarily, and that JAMES MCINTOSH, Public Accountant, Wellington, be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding-up."

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JAMES MCINTOSH, Liquidator.

BOROUGH OF MOUNT EDEN.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, the Borough of Mount Eden hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and sinking fund on a loan of £8,000, authorized to be raised by the Mount Eden Borough Council under the Local Authorities Empowering (Relief of Unemployment) Act, 1926, for public works undertaken for the relief of unemployment, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of three-farthings in the pound on the rateable value of all rateable property in the Borough of Mount Eden, and that such

special rate shall be an annually recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable annually on the 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of 36½ years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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S. GRAY, Town Clerk.

LIST of UNCLAIMED MONEYS for the YEAR 1920 held by ALFRED BUCKLAND AND SONS, LTD.

Date.	Name.	Amount.
		£ s. d.
3/3/20	Belcher, —	0 6 0
February	Buchanan, —	1 6 1
29/6/20	Blockley, E.	0 7 1
13/4/20	Clark, P.	1 9 7
6/1/20	Cathcart, —	2 11 3
2/7/20	Davidson, G.	0 11 0
13/1/20	Dawson, —	2 0 5
31/3/20	Foster, —	1 4 0
11/5/20	Edson, —	2 6 7
14/7/20	Dryden, —	0 6 6
13/4/20	Bradshaw, —	1 12 2
15/5/20	Douglas, D.	0 3 5
15/6/20	Alick, —	0 2 0
23/7/20	Cotter, —	0 7 0
28/9/20	Frost, —	0 16 3
21/9/20	Clark, J.	1 2 4
16/11/20	Clark, J.	0 4 9
26/1/20	Ferguson, J.	0 4 6
19/10/20	Fleming, J.	0 3 10
21/8/20	Burke, J.	3 0 0
13/8/20	Beecroft, F.	3 4 9
6/10/20	Bodley, W.	0 17 0
23/9/20	Bradley, C.	0 11 0
9/4/20	Howard, W.	0 7 0
16/3/20	Henderson, A. E.	0 5 6
1/4/20	Holland, W.	0 3 0
17/5/20	King, R.	7 13 9
4/4/20	Gallie, C.	0 13 6
4/10/20	Hill, S.	0 4 6
19/10/20	Lepper, —	0 3 10
21/7/20	Gray, J. W.	0 7 6
14/7/20	Hellyer, —	2 1 9
30/11/20	Graham, —	0 0 4
14/9/20	Johnson, B.	1 0 5
18/10/20	Kavanagh, E.	1 14 0
28/9/20	Lowry, —	0 7 11
18/6/20	Hesketh, C.	0 8 2
11/7/20	Hopkins, F.	0 19 0
15/9/20	Hopkins, G.	1 6 6
20/10/20	Hopkins, —	1 0 0
11/5/20	Hopkins, G.	0 15 6
7/12/20	Goodenough, G.	0 2 7
3/8/20	Grimwade, J.	0 2 0
15/9/20	Hall, —	1 10 11
29/7/20	Hooper, —	7 12 0
18/7/20	Hunter (Mrs.)	0 6 6
11/5/20	Green, —	0 19 7
28/4/20	Gill, —	1 3 10
14/9/20	Gray, J.	0 1 9
28/10/20	Hobbs, M.	3 15 7
19/4/20	McGovern, —	0 2 8
28/5/20	Mann, —	1 15 8
30/3/20	Maunie, —	0 19 11
30/3/20	McLeish, —	0 19 8
17/11/20	Martin, H.	0 4 9
7/1/20	Oldfield, S.	0 7 6
13/4/20	Potter, S.	2 4 11
12/5/20	Reeve, R. W.	0 13 0
7/12/20	Rich, W.	0 0 2
27/7/20	Pascoe, —	2 4 10
23/5/20	Rendall, —	8 11 6
6/1/20	Schollym, —	2 11 1
7/1/20	Shaw, —	0 9 3
13/1/20	Taylor (Miss)	0 2 6
3/2/20	Thompson, —	0 14 8
15/3/20	White, —	0 4 0
21/7/20	Watson, W.	0 6 6
4/8/20	Williams, W. F.	0 11 0
13/7/20	Woolsey, —	0 16 5
27/10/20	Sim, —	0 5 7
9/10/20	Smith, —	0 3 6
29/9/20	Thomas, B.	2 17 0
31/8/20	Thompson, —	1 4 2
14/12/20	Shaw, —	0 10 9
8/9/20	Vickers, S. B.	1 1 0
8/9/20	Watt, J.	0 6 6
		£90 12 11

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Wealth of Nations Mine (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 15th July, 1922.
 Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Bridge Street, Reefton; W. Gore Porter.
 Nominal capital: £20,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £20,000.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £14,991 15s.
 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: £5,000.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 20,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 20,000.
 Amount paid per share: 20s. on 14,925, 17s. on 60, 16s. on 15.
 Amount called up per share: 20s. on 12,750, 19s. on 2,250.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: 2 shareholders 2 calls, £6; 1 shareholder 3 calls, £2 5s.
 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: 99.
 Present number of shareholders: 99.
 Number of men employed by company: 33.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: 2,168·4754 oz. fine gold; £9,294 6s. 3d.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: 7,753·4615 oz. fine gold; £32,902 15s. 4d.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £9,306 4s. 3d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £52,761 14s. 4d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank: Nil.
 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): Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company: £9,548 5s. 1d. (includes debenture £8,000).

I, Winton Gore Porter, the Secretary of the Wealth of Nations Mine (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company as at 31st December, 1926; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

W. GORE PORTER.

Declared at Reefton this 18th day of February, 1927, before me—L. A. Morgan, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 230

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: N.Z. Platinum Ltd.
 When formed, and date of registration: 30th July, 1926.
 Whether in active operation or not: Active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Premier Buildings, Durham Street East, Auckland; John Macfarlane Elliffe.
 Nominal capital: £8,250.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £7,864.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £3,414 10s.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for the same (if any): Nil.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £2,250.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 8,250.
 Number of shares allotted: 7,864.
 Amount paid per share: 45 at 5s., 619 at 10s., 4,950 at 12s. 6d., 2,250 at £1.
 Amount called up per share: Contributing 12s. 6d. per share.
 Number and amount of calls in arrears: £94 5s.
 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: 117.
 Present number of shareholders: 111.
 Number of men employed by company: 4.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since the last statement: Nil; principally experimental work carried on.

Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since the last statement: £3,243 7s. 2d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £3,243 7s. 2d.
 Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.
 Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.
 Total amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.
 Amount of cash in bank: £171 2s. 10d.
 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): Nil.
 Amount of debts owing by company: £697 3s. 5d.

I, John Macfarlane Elliffe, of Auckland, the Secretary of N.Z. Platinum Ltd., do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at 31st December, 1926. And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

J. M. ELLIFFE.

Declared at Auckland this 10th day of February, 1927, before me—C. S. O. Woods, a solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand. 245

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: The Kawarau Gold-mining Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 8th April, 1924.
 Whether in active operation or not: Active operation.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: 19 Bond Street, Dunedin; W. P. Hartstonge.
 Nominal capital: £15,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £14,984 3s.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £4,984 13s.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount of cash received for the same (if any): £4,984 13s.; £14,859 4s.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £9,999 10s.
 Number of shares into which capital is divided: 300,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 299,683.
 Amount paid per share: 3s. on 96,183 shares, 2s. 6d. on 2,000, 9s. 5d. on 1,500, 1s. on 10.
 Amount called up per share: —.
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