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ERRATUM.—In the Order in Council dated the 30th March, 1927, consolidating and amending the Motor-lorry Regulations, and published in *New Zealand Gazette* No. 18 of 31st March, 1927, page 744, in definition of Motor-lorry, for “(c) That the vehicle was and has remained in possession of its owner on or since the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five” read “(c) That the vehicle was and has remained in possession of its owner on and since the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.”

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.

TANGOIO South 27r Block, Tangoio Survey District: Approximate area, 1 acre.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 6th day of April, 1927.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

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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.

WAIKOWHITIWHITI KI Block (part), comprising Section 2, Block XIX, Otorohanga Native Township: Approximate area, 28 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 6th day of April, 1927.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister.

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[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.

WAIKOWHITIWHITI FI (part), comprising Section 4, Block XX: Approximate area, 30 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 9th day of April, 1927.

J. G. COATES, Native Minister

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Amending and Varying the Description of the Rotoiti Scenic Reserve.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS by section twenty of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1926, the Governor-General is authorized and empowered to amend and vary in such manner as he thinks fit the description in the Schedule to a Proclamation issued on the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, setting apart portion of the Rotoiti Native Township as a scenic reserve in terms of section thirty-one of the Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1922:

And whereas it is desired to exclude from the land set apart for scenic purposes by the Proclamation hereinbefore referred to the area described in Part I of the Schedule hereto, and to include within the boundaries of the scenic reserve the area described in Part II of the said Schedule:

Now, therefore, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section twenty of the Native Land Amendment and Native Land Claims Adjustment Act, 1926, do hereby amend and vary the description in the Schedule to the Proclamation issued on the fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, hereinbefore referred to, by excluding from the land referred to in the said description the areas described in Part I of the said Schedule hereto and by including therein the area described in Part II of the said Schedule, and I do further declare that the boundaries of the scenic reserve as amended by this Proclamation shall be as set forth in Part III of the said Schedule.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

ALL that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 7 acres 0 roods 4 perches, more or less, being part of scenic reserve, Block IX, Rotoma Survey District: Bounded towards the east generally by part of aforesaid scenic reserve, 355-1, 283, 345-1, 350-4, 359-6, 257-5, 339-8, 322-1, and 334-5 links, respectively; towards the south by the aforesaid scenic reserve, 209, 386-2 links, respectively; towards the west by Rotoiti Township, 1895-9 links.

Also all that area, containing 1 acre 3 roods 16 perches, more or less, being part of aforesaid scenic reserve: Bounded towards the north by Rotoiti Township, 967 links; towards the east and south generally by scenic reserve aforesaid, 117, 670-2, 172-3, and 264 links, respectively; be all the aforesaid linkages more or less. As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 7/555A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red (Survey Office plan 23422).

PART II.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 2 acres 1 rood 12 perches, being part of the Rotoiti Township, situated in Block IX, Rotoma Survey District: Bounded on the north by a scenic reserve, 729-7 links; on the east by a scenic reserve, 567-4 links; and on the south-west by Rotoiti Township, 212-5 links and 721-5 links; be all the aforesaid linkages a little more or less.

As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 7/555B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

PART III.

Rotoiti Scenic Reserve.

All that area in the Auckland Land District, containing 52 acres 3 roods 6 perches, more or less, being part of Rotoiti Township, Block IX, Rotoma Survey District: Bounded towards the north by part of Lot 2 of Rotoiti Nos. 6 and 7c Block (scenic reserve), 2029-7 links; towards the east by aforesaid part Lot 2 of Rotoiti Nos. 6 and 7c and scenic reserve, 2500 links; towards the south generally by a public road, 733-3 and 261-35 links; across aforesaid public road, 100 links; and towards the north generally by part of Rotoiti Township, 244-3 and 715-4 links; again towards the east by scenic reserve (Block IX, Rotoma Survey District) aforesaid, 845 links; towards the south by Lot 2, Tautara Block, and Tautara-Papakainga Block, 1734-6 links; again towards the west, south, and east generally by part of Rotoiti Township aforesaid, 391-3, 769-2, and 190-5 links, respectively; again towards the south by aforesaid Tautara-Papakainga Block, 50 links; towards the west by Rotoiti Township aforesaid, 199-6 links; across a public road, 113-5 links; and again towards the west, north, north-east, north, and west generally by aforesaid Rotoiti Township, 1286-1, 97-9, 380-5, 264, 172-3, 370-2, 117, 36-7, 386-2, 209, 334-5, 322-1, 339-8, 257-5, 359-6, 350-4, 345-1, 283, 355-1, 212-5, and 721-5 links, respectively. Be all the aforesaid linkages more or less: save and excepting a public road and temporary tramway intersecting the above-described area. As the same is delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 7/555, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 6th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking a Proclamation proclaiming Land held under Small Grazing-run Lease as ceasing to be set apart as National-endowment Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section five of the Land Act, 1924, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby revoke the Proclamation dated the seventeenth day of November, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-two, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-third day of November then instant, declaring, under section eleven of the Land Laws Amendment Act, 1920, that the land held under small grazing-run lease described in the Schedule hereto should cease to be national-endowment land.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SMALL Grazing-run No. 15, Allotment 63C, Parish of Matata: Area, 5,910 acres.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 13th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking a Proclamation proclaiming Lands held under Renewable Lease as ceasing to be set apart as National-endowment Lands.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and in exercise of the powers conferred by section five of the Land Act, 1924, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir

Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby revoke the Proclamation dated the eighth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the eighteenth day of March then instant, declaring, under section three hundred and two of the Land Act, 1924, that the lands held under renewable lease described in the Schedule hereto should cease to be national-endowment lands.

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 34, Block XIII, Tuhua Survey District: Area, 10 acres 0 roods 13 perches.
Section 35, Block XIII, Tuhua Survey District: Area, 10 acres 1 rood 13 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 13th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Approved in Council.

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

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Revoking the Setting-apart of Land for Selection by Discharged Soldiers under Special Tenures, in the Wellington Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby revoke the Proclamation made on the twenty-first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and published in the *Gazette* of the twenty-sixth day of June then instant, setting apart settlement lands for selection by discharged soldiers, under the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, in so far as it relates to the land in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Hutt County.—Belmont Survey District.—Waddington Settlement.

SECTION 13s: Area, 7 acres 3 roods 12 perches.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 8th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Settlement Lands in Auckland Land District proclaimed to be Crown Lands.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

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

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

SCHEDULE.

AUCKLAND LAND DISTRICT.

PART Allotment 63, Rangitaiki Parish: Area, 19 acres 0 roods 36 perches.

Part Allotment 64, Rangitaiki Parish: Area, 1 rood 8 perches.

Part of Lot 1 (D.P. 13195), being part of Allotment 65, Rangitaiki Parish: Area, 1 acre 1 rood 28 perches.

All situate in Block V, Awa-o-te-Atua Survey District, in the Auckland 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 12th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Lower Hawea Survey District, Otago Land District.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

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

FIRST SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A ROAD.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a road: 1 acre 1 rood 36 perches.
Portion of Section 5, Block VII, Lower Hawea Survey District; coloured yellow.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of road closed:—

A.	R.	P.	Adjoining or passing through
2	2	3	Sections 7 and 8, coloured green.
2	1	24	Section 10, coloured green.
1	0	10	" 10, "
0	2	2	Sections 5 and 8, coloured green.

Situated in Run 507, Block VII, Lower Hawea Survey District.

All in the Otago Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 8/9/263B, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, under No. 2211, 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 12th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Additional Land taken for the Purposes of a Lighthouse in Block XVI, East Cape 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 additional land described in the Schedule hereto is hereby taken for the purposes of a lighthouse; and I do also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 21 acres 0 roods 35 perches.
Being portion of 1c 6E, Marangairoa Block, situated in Block XVI, East Cape Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1248, brown.)

In the Gisborne Land District as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 63995, 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 7th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 63/60.)

Declaring Land taken for a Government Work, and not required for that Purpose, to be Crown Land.

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, 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 declare the land described in the Schedule hereto to be Crown land subject to the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of stopped Government road declared to be Crown land: 1 rood 38.4 perches. Adjoining or passing through Sections 18 and 21, Blocks V and IX respectively, situated in Aroha Survey District. (S.O. 22140.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 53909, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 7th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 34/480.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Road in Block XIV, Pakawau Survey District, Collingwood 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-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 3 acres 0 roods 29 perches. Being Sub. 1 of Section 1 N.R., Block XIV, Pakawau Survey District.

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68420, 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 12th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 62/11/103/8.)

Land taken for the Purposes of a Street 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, 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 twenty-ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being
0	0	5.52	Lot 1, D.P. 6426, part Section 755; coloured red.
0	0	5.76	Lot 2, D.P. 6426, part Section 755; coloured blue.
0	0	5.55	Part Lot 9, D.P. 900, part Section 755; coloured red.
0	0	5.63	Part Lot 9, D.P. 900, part Section 755; coloured blue.
0	0	11.18	Lot 8, D.P. 900, part Section 755; coloured red.

Situated in the City of Wellington (Town of Wellington R.D.). (S.O. 2096.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68337, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

Given under the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, and issued under the Seal of that Dominion, this 7th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 51/949.)

Land taken for the Purposes of an Access-way between Rintoul Street and Kenwyn 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, section four of the Wellington City Empowering and Amendment Act, 1919, 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 an access-way between Rintoul Street and Kenwyn 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 twenty-seventh day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land taken: 1.24 perches. Being portion of Lot 8, D.P. 1708, of Section 950 (Town of Wellington R.D.).

Situated in the City of Wellington (S.O. 2153).

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68319, 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 7th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 51/1037.)

Land proclaimed as a Street in the City of Nelson.

[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 street the land in the City of Nelson described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

LAND PROCLAIMED AS A STREET.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land proclaimed as a street : 12 perches.

Being part of 6 acres granted to Collins and part Section 331, situated in the City of Nelson (Nelson R.D.). (S.O. 663R.)

In the Nelson Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68596, 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 12th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 51/365.)

The Leasehold Interest in Land taken for the Purposes of a State Forest in Block II, Lyndon 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 the Public Works Amendment Act, 1913, 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 estate of leasehold in the land described in the Schedule hereto, held by Walter George Morrison under Occupation License No. 790 for a term of forty-two years from the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, is hereby taken for the purposes of a State forest; and I also declare that this Proclamation shall take effect on and after the twentieth day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land in respect of which the leasehold interest is taken : 21 acres 0 roods 22 perches.

Being Section 29, Hanmer Plains Reserve, Square 82. Situated in Block II, Lyndon Survey District (Canterbury R.D.).

In the Canterbury Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68642, 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 7th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 54/293.)

Revoking Part of a Proclamation taking Land for a further Portion of the Wellington-Napier Railway (Lower Hutt Valley Duplication), (8m. 55chs. to 9m. 74chs.).

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

A PROCLAMATION.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in me by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1909, 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 revoke so much of the Proclamation dated the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 67 of the thirtieth day of the same month, taking land for a further portion of the Wellington-Napier Railway (Lower Hutt Valley Duplication) as affects the land described in the Schedule hereto, such land being no longer required.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land not required : 15.28 perches.

Being portion of Lots 35 and 36, D.P. 1951, of Section 26 (Hutt R.D.).

Situated in the Borough of Lower Hutt, Block XIV, Belmont Survey District. (S.O. 2119.)

In the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 66906 (sheet 5), deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured neutral.

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 12th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 19/530/2.)

Amending Orders in Council authorizing the Raetihi Town Board to use Water from the Makara, Little Makara, Orautoha, Makotuku, and Mangaone Streams for the Purpose of generating Electricity and to erect Electric lines within Portions of the Manganui, Makotuku, and Karioi Survey Districts.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of March, 1927.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Public Works Amendment Act, 1908, the Public Works Amendment Act, 1911, and of every other power enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion doth hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the twenty-first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-fourth day of the same month, amending the Orders in Council hereinafter referred to, and doth hereby amend the Order in Council dated the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-second day of the same month, and the Order in Council dated the twenty-second day of October, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the twenty-third day of the same month, authorizing the Raetihi Town Board to use water from the Makara, Little Makara, Orautoha, Makotuku, and Mangaone Streams for the purpose of generating electricity and to erect electric lines within portions of the Manganui, Makotuku, and Karioi Survey Districts, by adding to the first sentence of clause three of the Schedule to the former Order in Council the words "and the whole of the water may be taken from an unnamed stream in Section 9, Block II, Makotuku Survey District"; and by revoking clause two of the Schedule to the latter Order in Council and substituting the following as clause 2: "The system of supply shall be as described in paragraph (e) of clause 2 of the regulations. The generating voltages shall be 3,300 or 6,600 volts between the phases. The transmission and primary distribution voltage shall be 6,600 volts between phases. The secondary distribution voltage shall be 400 volts between phases and 230 volts between any phase and neutral."

F. D. THOMSON,

Clerk of the Executive Council.

(P.W. 26/536.)

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

THAT street in the Canterbury Land District, Borough of Sumner, containing by admeasurement 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being part R.S. 204, and connecting Ocean View Terrace (formerly known as Government Road) with Heberden Avenue at its junction with the Sumner-Lyttelton Road. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68267, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green.

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

(P.W. 51/730.)

Authorizing the Purchase by the Southland Electric-power Board of certain Electric Works, the Property of the Gore Borough Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by section seventy-six of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby authorize the purchase by the Southland Electric-power Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board"), duly constituted under the provisions of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1918, of electric works, the property of the Mayor, Councillors, and Burgesses of the Borough of Gore (hereinafter referred to as "the borough"), referred to in a certain agreement bearing date the thirtieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and made between the borough of the one part and the Board of the other part, subject to the condition that such purchase be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the said agreement, so far as the same relates to the purchase of electric works.

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

(P.W. 26/835.)

Boundaries of Borough of Otaki altered.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1927.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of section one hundred and thirty-two of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, a petition was presented to the Governor-General praying that a certain area should be excluded from the Borough of Otaki and included in the County of Horowhenua.

And whereas a Commission appointed under the said section held inquiries and recommended that parts of the said area—viz., the areas described in the Schedule hereto—be excluded from the said borough.

And whereas it is deemed expedient to make the alteration of boundaries of the said borough recommended by the said Commission, and to declare to what riding of the said county such areas shall be added :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that as on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, the areas described in the Schedule hereto shall be excluded from the Borough of Otaki and included in the County of Horowhenua; and, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby further declare that as on and from the aforesaid date the areas included as aforesaid in the County of Horowhenua shall be added to and form part of the Otaki Riding of that county.

SCHEDULE.

AREAS EXCLUDED FROM BOROUGH OF OTAKI.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded on the north by the northern boundary of the Borough of Otaki from the north-eastern corner of Taumanuka 2A No. 2 Block to the north-eastern corner of Lot 4 on plan 3364, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence southerly, westerly, and south-westerly along the eastern boundaries of Lot 4 aforesaid to a public road; thence north-westerly along the northern side of that road to the eastern boundary of the Taumanuka 2A No. 2 Block; thence northerly along that boundary to the north-eastern corner of Taumanuka 2A No. 2 Block, the point of commencement.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at the north-western corner of Lot 5 on plan 3364, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington, and proceeding thence south-easterly along the south-western side of the public road forming the north-eastern boundaries of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11, on plan 3364 aforesaid to the north-eastern corner of the said Lot 11; thence along the north-eastern boundaries of Lot 11 aforesaid to its south-eastern corner; thence westerly generally along the southern boundaries of Lots 11 and 8 on plan 3364 aforesaid to the Maringiwai Stream; thence by that stream to the south-western corner of Lot 5 aforesaid; thence by the western boundary of that lot to its north-western corner, the place of commencement.

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

Boundaries of Borough of Otaki altered.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 22nd day of March, 1927.

Present :

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of section one hundred and thirty-two of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, a petition was presented to the Governor-General praying that certain areas should be excluded from the Borough of Otaki and included in the County of Horowhenua.

And whereas a Commission appointed under the said section held inquiries and recommended certain alterations of the said areas :

And whereas it is deemed expedient to make the alteration of boundaries of the said borough recommended by the said Commission, and to declare to what riding of the said county such areas shall be added :

Now, therefore, in pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that as on and from the first day of April, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, the areas described in the Schedule hereto shall be excluded from the Borough of Otaki and included in the County of Horowhenua; and, with the like advice and consent, doth hereby further declare that as

on and from the aforesaid date the areas included as aforesaid in the County of Horowhenua shall be added to and form part of the Otaki Riding of that county.

SCHEDULE.

AREAS EXCLUDED FROM BOROUGH OF OTAKI.

ALL that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at a point in the middle of the Waitohu Stream in line with the eastern boundary of Lot 3 on plan 3364, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence along the middle of the Waitohu Stream to the eastern side of the Old Coach Road; thence southerly along the eastern side of the Old Coach Road to the westernmost corner of Pukekarakara No. 5; thence across that road and southerly along its western side to the north-eastern corner of Piritaha No. 3 Block; thence along the northern and western boundaries of Piritaha No. 3 to the northern boundary of Piritaha No. 4 and along the northern boundary of Piritaha No. 4 to the eastern boundary of Lot 4 on plan 3364 aforesaid; thence northerly along the eastern boundaries of Lots 4 and 3 aforesaid, and that boundary produced to the middle of the Waitohu Stream, the point of commencement.

Also all that area in the Wellington Land District bounded by a line commencing at the confluence of the Maringiwai Stream and the Maungapiharau Creek; thence up the Maungapiharau Creek to its intersection with the western boundary of Maungapiharau Block; thence along that boundary to the south-western corner of the said block; thence westerly along the southern boundary of the Takapu Block to its south-western corner; thence along the western boundary of the said Takapu Block to and across a public road, and thence along the northern side of that road to its intersection with the Rangioru Creek; thence along the eastern bank of that creek to a point in line with the south-western boundary of Lot 5 on plan 3364, deposited in the office of the District Land Registrar at Wellington; thence to and along the southern boundaries of Lots 5, 6, and 8, on plan 3364 aforesaid to the place of commencement.

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

Regulations under the Naval Defence Act, 1913, amended.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 28th day of March, 1927.

Present:

THE HONOURABLE W. DOWNIE STEWART PRESIDING IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred on me by section twenty-five of the Naval Defence Act, 1913, and of all other powers and authorities enabling me in that behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, do hereby amend and supplement the regulations referred to in the Schedule hereto as shown therein.

SCHEDULE.

REGULATIONS FOR THE GOVERNMENT AND PAYMENT OF THE NEW ZEALAND DIVISION OF THE ROYAL NAVY.

APPENDIX I: Add new regulation:—

Accountant Officers.

Secretary: Senior Accountant Officer appointed for duty in the office of the Officer Commanding the New Zealand Station	Per Diem.	£	s.	d.
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F. D. THOMSON,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Consenting to Land being taken for Street Purposes in the City of Wellington.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all

other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby consent to the land described in the Schedule hereto being taken for street purposes.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land permitted to be taken:—

A.	R.	P.	Being
0	0	5-52	Lot 1, D.P. 6426; coloured red.
0	0	5-76	Lot 2, D.P. 6426; coloured blue.
0	0	5-55	Part Lot 9, D.P. 900; coloured red.
0	0	5-63	Part Lot 9, D.P. 900; coloured blue.
0	0	11-18	Lot 8, D.P. 900; coloured red.

All being part of Section 755, situated in the City of Wellington (Town of Wellington R.D.). (S.O. 2096.)

In the Wellington Land District. As the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68337, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured as above mentioned.

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

(P.W. 51/949.)

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

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

SCHEDULE.

DUNEDIN—CHRISTCHURCH: All that portion of the Dunedin—Christchurch Main Highway commencing at the southern boundary of Block I, Waikouaiti Survey District, and proceeding thence generally in a northerly direction and terminating at a point opposite the southern boundary of Section 30, Block I, Waikouaiti Survey District, passing through the Waikouaiti County, being a distance of 1 mile 40 chains, more or less. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68636, deposited in the office of the Main Highways Board at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

The South-eastern and Southern Sides of Portion of Heberden Avenue and the North-western Side of Portion of Government Road (Ocean View Terrace), in the Borough of Sumner, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-lines.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

"The Sumner Borough Council, being the local authority having control of Heberden Avenue, and Government Road, now known as Ocean View Terrace, hereby resolves that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to that portion of Heberden Avenue extending from the said Government Road to Ocean View Terrace, nor to that portion of the said Government Road extending from Heberden Avenue to the Sumner-Lyttelton Road, such portions of road being shown pink on the attached plan";

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the south-eastern and southern sides of the portion of Heberden Avenue or the north-western side of the portion of Government Road (Ocean View Terrace) (described in the Schedule hereto), within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-lines of the said portions of streets.

SCHEDULE.

THE south-eastern and southern sides of that portion of Heberden Avenue and the north-western side of that portion of Government Road (Ocean View Terrace) situated in the Canterbury Land District, Borough of Sumner, which abut on part R.S. 204, Borough of Sumner. As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68267, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured pink.

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

(P.W. 51/730.)

The South-eastern Side of Portion of St. Aubyn Street and the South-western Side of Portion of Church Street, in the Borough of Devonport, exempted from the Provisions of Section 117 of the Public Works Act, 1908, subject to a Condition as to the Building-lines.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

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

"The Devonport Borough Council, being the local authority having control of the streets in the Borough of Devonport, hereby declares that the provisions of section one hundred and seventeen of the Public Works Act, 1908, shall not apply to St. Aubyn Street and Church Street fronting the following properties: Firstly—Lot 2 on a plan deposited in the Land Transfer Office at Auckland under 19556m, which said piece of land is portion of a subdivision of Lots 2, 3, 4, 24, and part 25 of a subdivision of Allotment 17 of Section 2, Parish of Takapuna (containing 25.17 perches, more or less); secondly—Lot 3 on a plan deposited in the Land Transfer Office at Auckland under No. 19556m, which said piece of land is portion of a subdivision of Lots 2, 3, 4, 24, and part 25 of a subdivision of Allotment 17 of Section 2, Parish of Takapuna (containing 25.43 perches, more or less)";

subject to the condition that no building or part of a building shall at any time be erected on the land fronting the south-eastern side of the portion of St. Aubyn Street or the south-western side of the portion of Church Street (described in the Schedule hereto), within a distance of thirty-three feet from the centre-lines of the said portions of streets.

SCHEDULE.

THE south-eastern side of all that portion of street in the North Auckland Land District, Borough of Devonport, known as St. Aubyn Street, abutting on Lot 3, D.P. 19556, being part of a subdivision of Lots 2, 3, 4, 24, and part 25 of Allotment 17 of Section 2, Parish of Takapuna, and the south-western side of all that portion of street in the said land district and borough known as Church Street, abutting on Lot 2, D.P. 19556, of the said subdivision. As the said portions of streets are more particularly delineated on the

plan marked P.W.D. 67169, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured red.

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

(P.W. 51/417.)

Validating Proceedings in connection with the Matamata Town Board's Sewerage Connections Installation Loan of £1,000.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS the Matamata Town Board lately proceeded to raise a loan of one thousand pounds under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1913 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), for the purpose of rendering temporary financial assistance by way of repayable subsidy towards the cost of connecting up private premises with the present sewerage system:

And whereas the proceedings in connection with the said loan were irregular in that—

- In the notice published pursuant to section nine of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said notice") the proposed security for the repayment of the said loan was inadvertently stated to be a special rate of one twenty-fourth of a penny in the pound on the capital value of all rateable property in the Matamata Town District;
- The said notice did not set forth a statement whether or not it was proposed to pay out of the said loan the cost of raising the said loan, or the interest and sinking fund for the first year;
- The voting-paper used for the purposes of the poll taken on the proposal to raise the said loan (hereinafter referred to as "the said voting-paper") stated that it was proposed that the said loan should be repaid at the expiration of thirty-six and a half years by a sinking fund of one per centum per annum.

And whereas—

- The amount of the said special rate should have been stated in the said notice as one twenty-third of a penny in the pound, and it was correctly stated as that amount in the said voting-paper;
- It was in fact proposed to pay out of the said loan the cost of raising the said loan and the interest and sinking fund for the first year, and a statement to that effect was set forth in the said voting-paper;
- The sinking fund of one per centum per annum is not the only source from which the said loan may be repaid:

And whereas it appears that the ratepayers of the district have not been misled by such irregularities as aforesaid, and it is expedient to validate the same:

And whereas by section one hundred and twenty-six of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, the said Act is repealed, and it is enacted that all matters and proceedings commenced under the said Act, and pending or in progress on the commencement of the reciting Act, may be continued and enforced under the reciting Act:

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 of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby order and declare that the proceedings in connection with the said loan shall be valid to all intents and purposes as though—

- The said special rate had been correctly stated in the said notice as one twenty-third of a penny in the pound;
- The said notice had set forth a statement that it was proposed to pay out of the loan the cost of raising the loan and the interest and sinking fund for the first year;
- The said voting-paper had not inferred that the sinking fund was the only source from which the said loan would be repaid:

And that the validity of the proceedings in connection with the said loan or of the security for the said loan, shall not be called in question by reason only of the irregularities aforesaid.

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

New Zealand University Amendment Act, 1926.—Regulations for the First Election of Members of the Academic Board of the University of New Zealand by Professors of the University.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the New Zealand University Amendment Act, 1926, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the regulations hereinafter set forth for the first election of members of the Academic Board of the University of New Zealand by Professors of the University.

REGULATIONS.

1. For the purpose of the first election of members of the Academic Board of the University of New Zealand by Professors of the University, the Registrar of the University shall be the Returning Officer.

2. The election shall be held on the 10th day of May, 1927, and the poll shall close at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of that day, and all voting-papers shall be included and counted which, not being informal in accordance with the provisions of clause 9 hereof, are received by the Returning Officer in due course of post before 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the 16th day of May, 1927, or are delivered to him before 5 o'clock on the afternoon of the 10th day of May, 1927.

3. The Registrar shall, not later than the 29th day of April, 1927, prepare a roll of the full names and addresses of the Professors of the University, and shall arrange the names in alphabetical order of surnames. Such roll shall be the roll used for the election to be conducted under these regulations.

4. The roll shall be closed at the time when nominations close, and shall remain closed till the election is completed.

5. (1) The Returning Officer shall, not later than the 16th day of April, 1927, post a written notice to each elector informing him—

(a) The day and hour for the closing of nominations.

(b) The number of candidates to be elected.

(c) The day and hour for the closing of the poll.

(2) Every candidate shall be nominated in writing by one or more electors entitled to vote for his election. Each elector may nominate any number of candidates not exceeding eight.

(3) Every nomination-paper shall be in the form or to the effect of the following :—

I, [Name and Address], being a Professor of the University of New Zealand entitled to vote in the election, hereby nominate [Name and Address] as a candidate for election to the Academic Board of the said University at the election to be held on the 10th day of May, 1927.

Dated this day of , 1927.

[Signature of nominator.]

I hereby consent to my nomination.

[Signature of candidate.]

(4) Nominations shall close at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of the 29th day of April, 1927.

(5) A nomination paper shall be informal—

(a) If it is not made and signed by a person entitled to vote in the election :

(b) If it is received by the Returning Officer after the time at which nominations close :

(c) If it does not bear the consent of the candidate in writing, unless such consent is received by the Returning Officer before the nominations are closed.

6. (1) If the number of duly nominated candidates does not exceed eight the Returning Officer shall forthwith declare the candidate or candidates so nominated to be duly elected.

(2) If the number of duly nominated candidates is greater than eight the Returning Officer shall, immediately after the closing of nominations, prepare and post to each elector whose name is on the roll, to his address,

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a printed voting-paper containing in alphabetical order of surnames a list of all the duly nominated candidates.

7. The voting-paper shall be in the form or to the effect of the following :—

Consecutive Number :

VOTING-PAPER TO BE USED AT THE ELECTION TO BE HELD ON THE 10TH MAY, 1927, OF MEMBERS OF THE ACADEMIC BOARD OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW ZEALAND.

Order of Preference.	Name and Address of Candidate.
	Brown, John, Wellington.

Instructions.

Mark with the figures 1, 2, 3, &c., the order of your preference for the candidates.

Do not sign this paper.

The voting-paper must be enclosed in an envelope, bearing on the outside the word "Voting-paper" and addressed "The Returning Officer, University of New Zealand, Dominion Farmers' Institute Buildings, Featherston Street, Wellington," and must be either delivered to the Returning Officer or posted to him. If delivered, it must reach him before 5 o'clock on the afternoon of 10th May, 1927; if posted, it must be posted not later than that day and bear the postmark of that or an earlier day, and it must reach the Returning Officer not later than 5 o'clock on the afternoon of 16th May, 1927.

8. The voting-papers as received by the Returning Officer shall be placed in a ballot-box, which shall be kept locked.

9. (1) A voting-paper shall be informal in any of the following cases :—

- (a) If the elector votes more than once :
- (b) If in any way the paper fails to indicate clearly the order of preference of the candidates :
- (c) If, being posted, it does not reach him by 5 o'clock p.m. on the 16th May, 1927, or if from the postmark on the envelope or otherwise the Returning Officer is satisfied that it was not posted until after the day of the election.

(2) No voting-paper shall be informal merely because the voter omits to mark more than one preference.

10. At 10 o'clock a.m. of the seventh day after the closing of the poll the voting-papers shall be taken from the ballot-box by the Returning Officer and counted in accordance with the rules set out in the Third Schedule of the Legislative Council Act, 1914.

11. Each candidate may, by writing under his hand, appoint one scrutineer, who may be present at the examination of the voting-papers and the counting of the votes by the Returning Officer.

12. The Returning Officer shall, immediately after counting the votes, seal up all voting-papers, and transmit the whole to the Clerk of the Magistrate's Court, at Wellington, who shall keep the same for six months thereafter, and shall not open or permit to be opened such packet, except on the order of some Court of competent jurisdiction, and shall at the end of six months effectually destroy the same.

13. Forthwith after the completion of the election the Returning Officer shall, by notice exhibited on the outside of the office of the University of New Zealand, notify the names of the persons elected and shall also, by writing signed by him, notify the result of the election to the Minister of Education.

14. The Returning Officer and every scrutineer shall be required faithfully and impartially to perform the duties of their offices, and shall not directly or indirectly make known the state of the poll or give or pretend to give any information by which the state of the poll may be known before the final declaration thereof by the Returning Officer, or make known for which candidate any voter has voted, or otherwise communicate to any person any information likely to defeat the secrecy of the ballot.

15. If any dispute or question arises touching the regularity of the election, such dispute or question shall be determined by a Stipendiary Magistrate in manner provided by sections 58 to 67 of the Local Elections and Polls Act, 1925, all the provisions of which shall, with the necessary modifications, apply.

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

Amending Regulations under the Education Act, 1914.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred on him by the Education Act, 1914; and its amendments, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby amend in the manner set forth in the Schedule hereto the several regulations therein specified, and doth hereby declare that, except where otherwise expressly provided herein, this Order in Council shall come into force on the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven.

SCHEDULE.

PART I. AMENDING REGULATIONS AS TO ATTENDANCE REGISTERS ; RETURNS ; AVERAGE ATTENDANCE.

1. In this Part of these regulations, the expression "the said regulations" means the regulations relating to attendance registers, returns, and average attendance (as appearing in an Order in Council dated the 21st day of December, 1914, and published in the *Gazette* of the 7th day of January, 1915).

2. (1) Clause 9 of the said regulations is hereby amended by omitting from the first proviso thereto the words "shall be deemed," and substituting "may, at the discretion of the Board, be deemed."

(2) The amendment to clause 2 of the said regulations appearing in an Order in Council dated the 22nd day of March, 1926, and published in the *Gazette* of the 25th day of March, 1926, is hereby revoked as from the date thereof.

PART II. AMENDING REGULATIONS AS TO TEACHERS' SALARIES, ETC.

3. In this Part of these regulations, the expression "the said regulations" means the regulations relating to teachers' salaries, grading, staffing, and other matters (as appearing in an Order in Council dated the 12th day of January, 1925, and published in the *Gazette* of the 15th day of January, 1925).

4. Clause 6 of the said regulations is hereby revoked, and the following substituted therefor :—

"6. *Married Allowance.*—An assistant holding a permanent appointment, who is married or is a widower or widow, shall receive an addition of £50 per annum to the salary otherwise provided for in these regulations : Provided that no payment under this clause shall be made (a) to a married assistant whose husband or wife is employed in the Education Service or Government Service, or is otherwise employed to such an extent as to satisfy the Minister that an allowance under this clause should not be paid ; or (b) to a widower or woman assistant unless the Minister approves such payment on account of the fact that he or she has a child under sixteen dependent upon and supported by him or her, or on account of other special circumstances ; or (c) to an assistant who is provided with a free residence ; or (d) in any special case if the Minister, taking into consideration the special circumstances, is of opinion that an allowance under this clause should not be paid."

5. Clause 14 of the said regulations is hereby amended :—

(a) By adding to subclause (1) the following proviso :—

"Provided that the commencing salary payable in accordance with clause 4 of these regulations to an assistant of Grade I shall not be greater than £175 per annum in the case of a man nor £160 per annum in the case of a woman, unless the conditions required by the second proviso to clause 15 hereof for payment of an increment are complied with."

(b) By deleting from subclause (3), as made by Order in Council dated the 28th day of October, 1925, the words "nor than the salary received by the teacher in any former position."

6. Clause 18 of the said regulations is hereby revoked, and the following substituted therefor :—

"18. If at any time between the annual grading of public schools on the 1st February in any year and the 1st February immediately following the quarterly average attendance of a school rises above the maximum or

falls below the minimum average attendance of the grade or subgrade in which the school is placed to such an extent as to satisfy the Board or the Minister that the grade or subgrade of the school will be raised or reduced, and a position on the staff of such school thereafter becomes vacant, the grade of salary for such position shall, as from the date of such vacancy, be the grade of salary that would be attached to the position if the school were graded on the increased or reduced average attendance."

7. *Teachers' Salaries*.—Clause 19 of the said regulations is hereby revoked, and the following substituted therefor:—

"19. (1) Subject to the provisions of the next succeeding subclause, every teacher shall be entitled to be paid only in respect of the following periods:—

"(a) The period commencing on the school day on which he enters upon his duties and ending on the school day on which his duties cease, including any holidays that may intervene between those dates:

"(b) Any period of school holidays that may immediately succeed the day on which his duties cease as aforesaid; in the case of the mid-summer holidays such period shall be deemed to end not later than the 31st day of January in any year:

"(c) The period necessarily occupied in transferring from one position to another.

"(2) The last preceding subclause shall be read subject to the following special provisions, namely:—

"(a) A teacher who enters upon his duties during the first week in February in any year may be paid from the 1st day of February, inclusive, in that year.

"(b) A teacher who, during any year ending on the 31st day of January, has been on leave without pay for a period or periods exceeding in the aggregate five school days, shall be entitled to be paid only for such part of the school holidays during that year as is equal to one-fourth of his period of service as hereinafter defined.

"(3) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (b) of the last preceding subclause, the Minister may in any case authorize the payment of salary in respect of the whole period of holidays or in respect of a greater portion of those holidays than is therein provided for.

"(4) For the purposes of paragraph (b) of subclause (2) hereof, a teacher's period of service shall comprise the actual period spent in teaching, together with any period during which the teacher has been on leave with full pay or half pay, but does not include any period of school holidays or any other period."

8. Clause 20 of the said regulations is hereby amended by adding the following subclause:—

"(4) When a teacher holding a temporary position is permanently appointed to the same position he shall receive, from the date of such permanent appointment, a salary computed in accordance with clause 4 hereof (but not less in any case than his salary as a temporary teacher), together with the addition to his salary provided for by clause 5 hereof."

9. Clause 36 of the said regulations is hereby amended by inserting after the word "authorize" the words "or direct."

PART III. AMENDING REGULATIONS AS TO LEAVE OF ABSENCE OF TEACHERS.

10. In this Part of these regulations, the expression "the said regulations" means the regulations relating to leave of absence of teachers (as appearing in an Order in Council dated the 12th day of December, 1924, and published in the *Gazette* of the 18th day of December, 1924).

11. Clause 4 of the said regulations is hereby amended—

(a) By omitting from subclause (1) thereof the first three lines of the table of leave of absence set out therein and substituting the following:—

Under 3 months	.. .. .	5 school days.
Over 3 months and under 6 months	.. .. .	10 "
Over 6 months and under 9 months	.. .. .	20 "

(b) By revoking the proviso to subclause (4) thereof.

(c) By adding the following subclause:—

"(8) The period during which any teacher is on leave of absence and any adjustment of salary consequent thereon shall be computed in such manner as the Minister shall determine."

12. Clause 6 of the said regulations is hereby amended by omitting the proviso thereto, and substituting the following:—

“ Provided that salary at full or half rate may, under special circumstances from time to time defined by the Minister, be granted by the Board for a period not exceeding five school days. In each such case the circumstances shall be forthwith reported by the Board to the Department.”

PART IV. AMENDING REGULATIONS AS TO JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS.

13. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in clause 9 of the regulations relating to junior high schools (as appearing in an Order in Council dated the 4th day of September, 1922, and published in the *Gazette* of the 7th day of September, 1922), the rates of salaries as prescribed by that clause may, in the case of any junior high school, be modified by the Minister in such manner as, having regard to any special circumstances, he considers desirable, but so that the total amount of salaries payable in respect of that school shall not exceed the amount that would be payable pursuant to the said clause.

PART V.—AMENDING REGULATIONS AS TO TRAINING COLLEGES.

14. (1) Clause 7 of the regulations relating to training colleges (as appearing in an Order in Council dated the 13th day of December, 1926, and published in the *Gazette* of the 16th day of December, 1926), is hereby amended as from the 1st day of January, 1927,—

(a) By revoking paragraph (i) of subclause (2) thereof and substituting—
“ (i) Head teacher: Salary £540 per annum, rising to £590 per annum by annual increments of £25, together with a free residence or a house allowance of £60 per annum ”:

(b) By revoking paragraph (a) of subclause (10) thereof, and substituting—

“ (a) The Principal and Vice-Principal of a training college shall, if required so to do by the Minister at the request of the Council of a University College, act without special remuneration as lecturer in assistance of the Professor of Education in the University College, and in any such case the Principal or Vice-Principal shall be entitled to claim a reasonable reduction of the time during which he is required to be in attendance at the training college. Except as herein provided, the Principal or Vice-Principal shall not be employed on the staff of any University College.”

(2) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this clause, any person holding office on the 1st day of January, 1927, as the Principal or Vice-Principal of a training college, or as the Head Teacher of a Normal School may, with the approval of the Minister, continue to hold any other position, and to receive the salary and allowances to which he would have been entitled if the amendments effected by this clause had not been made.

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

*Land proclaimed as a Road, and Road closed, in Block VII,
Tuahu Survey District, Wairoa 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 Tuahu 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 :
3 roods 12 perches.
Being portion of Lot 1, D.P. 2919, Waipaoa 5A Block ;
coloured pink.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

ROAD CLOSED.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of road closed : 2 roods
7 perches.
Adjoining or passing through Lots 1 and 4, D.P. 2919,
Waipaoa 5A Block ; coloured green.

All situated in Block VII, Tuahu Survey District (Gisborne R.D.). (S.O. 1283, brown.)

All in the Gisborne Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68565, 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 12th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

(P.W. 36/461/1.)

Revoking Portion of an Order in Council declaring Public Highways to be Main Highways in the No. 12 Highway District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities vested in him by subsection three of section three of the Main Highways Act, 1922, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth from the date of gazetting of this Order in Council hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 40, of the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, declaring public highways in the No. 12 Highway District to be main highways in so far as affects that portion of the Westport-Nelson Highway as described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WESTPORT-NELSON: All that portion of highway, known as the Westport-Nelson Main Highway, commencing at the southern boundary of the Borough of Westport, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly and south-easterly direction, and terminating at the Te Kuha Ferry on the northern side of the Buller River, being a distance of 5 miles 20 chains, more or less. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68404, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green and marked X-Y.

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

Revoking Portion of an Order in Council declaring Public Highways in the No. 12 Highway District to be Government Roads.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in him by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers in anywise enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth from the date of gazetting of this Order in Council hereby revoke the Order in Council dated the ninth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 40, of the twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four, declaring public highways in the No. 12 Highway District to be Government roads in so far as affects that portion of the Westport-Nelson Main Highway as described in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

WESTPORT-NELSON: All that portion of highway, known as the Westport-Nelson Highway, commencing at the southern boundary of the Borough of Westport, and proceeding thence generally in a southerly and south-easterly direction, and terminating at the Te Kuha Ferry on the northern side of the Buller River, being a distance of 5 miles 20 chains, more or less. As the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68404, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured green and marked X-Y.

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

Additional Regulations under the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1920.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government Buildings at Wellington, this 11th day of April, 1927.

Present:

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

IN exercise of the powers in this behalf conferred upon him by the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1920 (hereinafter referred to as "the said Act"), and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in this behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby declare that for the purpose of any poll of ratepayers of the Christchurch Tramway District (hereinafter referred to as "the said district") required to be taken pursuant to section two of the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1926, consequent upon a notice published by the Christchurch Tramway Board (hereinafter referred to as "the Board") of its intention to make application to the Governor-General for consent to discontinue running a service by tram-cars on and to remove any tramway or part of tramway (hereinafter referred to as "the said poll"), the regulations under the said Act mentioned in the Fourth Schedule hereto shall have no application, and doth hereby make the following regulations under the said Act for the purposes of the said poll.

REGULATIONS.

1. THE Secretary of the Board shall make out a list (hereinafter referred to as "the ratepayers' list") of persons entitled to vote at the said poll.

2. The several electors' rolls for the time being in force for the City of Christchurch and the Boroughs of Riccarton, New Brighton, and Sumner may be taken as parts of the ratepayers' list without it being necessary for the Secretary of the Board to prepare any new lists of the ratepayers of such parts of the said district as are within the boundaries of such city and boroughs respectively.

3. The Secretary of the Board shall make out the ratepayers' list for such parts of the said district as are outside the boundaries of the City of Christchurch and the Boroughs of Riccarton, New Brighton, and Sumner from the existing valuation rolls of such counties or parts of counties as are within the said district.

4. Such list or any part thereof may be prepared in writing or print, and in card form, bookwise or otherwise, or partly in one of such manners and partly in another or others, and shall contain the Christian name and surname of the ratepayer and his or her occupation and situation of property. In such list or part thereof the names shall be entered in alphabetical order of surnames.

5. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to make the ratepayers' list as complete as possible, and for that purpose he shall place thereon, in addition to the names hereinbefore provided for, the name of—

(a) Every person of whose qualification or qualifications as a ratepayer he is satisfied:

(b) Every person who makes and delivers or transmits to him at his office a claim for enrolment as hereinafter prescribed, and who, in the opinion of the Secretary, possesses the necessary qualifications.

6. The several rolls and lists and parts of lists hereinbefore referred to shall together be the ratepayers' list of the said district for the purposes of the said poll.

7. The fact that the said ratepayers' list is being compiled shall be notified by advertisement published in at least three daily newspapers circulating in the said district prior to the date fixed for deposit of the said list as next hereinafter provided.

8. The ratepayers' list shall be deposited for public inspection at the office of the Board not later than five o'clock in the afternoon of the fourteenth day preceding the day of the said poll, and shall remain so deposited for nine clear days. Notice of that deposit shall be published on not less than three days during the said period of nine days in at least three daily newspapers circulating in the district. Subject to any amendments to be made under clauses 11 and 12 hereof, the ratepayers' list shall be deemed to be closed at the time when the said list is lodged for deposit.

9. Any ratepayers who object to any matter or thing contained in the ratepayers' list, and who desires that such objection shall be heard or considered, shall forward notice thereof in writing, in the form or to the effect set forth in the

First Schedule hereto, to the Secretary so that the same shall be delivered at his office within the said period of nine days during which the ratepayers' list is deposited for public inspection as aforesaid. Such notice shall be in duplicate, and shall state fully the grounds of objection, and also the full name and address of any objector. Every such notice shall be open to public inspection at the office of the Board during the said period of nine days.

10. The Secretary shall make and sign a list of all such objections (hereinafter referred to as "the objectors' list") in the form set forth in the Second Schedule hereto.

11. The Board may at any time before the ratepayers' list has been submitted to a Magistrate as hereinafter provided amend the said list by correcting any error set forth in the objectors' list and proved to the satisfaction of the Board to exist therein; and the Chairman shall initial every alteration so made in the ratepayers' list.

12. Forthwith upon the expiration of the said period of nine days the objectors' list or a certified copy thereof, together with the ratepayers' roll, shall be submitted to a Stipendiary Magistrate exercising for the time being the jurisdiction of the Magistrates' Court within the said district, who shall, on the fourth day preceding the day of the said poll, proceed to hear and determine such of the said objections as have not already been satisfied by corrections made by the Board under the last preceding clause hereof. Such Magistrate shall have jurisdiction finally to determine such objections and all matters directly connected therewith, and also to make all such alterations in the ratepayers' list as he may think proper, and shall initial all alterations, additions, or erasures so made by him, and shall sign the said list. The ratepayers' list so corrected and signed shall thereupon become the ratepayers' roll for the purpose of the said poll, and shall be deemed to be closed and shall be delivered by the Magistrate to the Board.

13. Notice shall be given by advertisement published in at least three daily newspapers circulating in the district on not less than three days during the six days immediately preceding the day on which the Magistrate is to hear and determine objections as aforesaid, of the date, time, and place at which the Magistrate will hear and determine such objections.

14. Where no objections have been made to the ratepayers' list, before the expiration of the said period of nine days which have not been satisfied by corrections made by the Board under clause 11 hereof, the Chairman and two members of the Board shall thereupon sign the same, and when so signed, it shall become the ratepayers' roll for the purposes of the said poll, and shall be deemed to be closed.

15. A printed copy of any electoral roll used in the preparation of the ratepayers' list as hereinbefore provided may be used for the purposes of the said poll as a part of the ratepayers' roll.

16. As soon as practicable after the ratepayers' roll is finally closed copies shall be printed by the Board of such part or parts thereof as are not represented by any electoral roll used as hereinbefore provided, and the Secretary shall supply any ratepayer with a copy of such printed part or parts on payment of one shilling.

17. Notwithstanding anything herein contained—

(a) Only such persons as appear on any electors' roll of the said city and boroughs to be ratepayers shall be entitled to exercise any of the rights of ratepayers of the said district and shall be deemed to be on the ratepayers' list and ratepayers' roll of the said district by virtue of the entry of their names on such electors' roll; but this provision shall not affect the rights of any such person if his name is otherwise duly inserted in the ratepayers' roll of the said district.

(b) Every ratepayer shall have only one vote at the said poll whether his name appears once or oftener on the several rolls, lists, and parts thereof hereinbefore referred to.

18. Every claim for enrolment shall be in the form set forth in the Third Schedule hereto or to the like effect and the claimant's signature shall be attested by a Justice of the Peace or a Postmaster or a minister of religion or an elector of the Christchurch Tramway District or the Secretary of the Board or the Clerk of any local authority.

19. It shall be the duty of the Board to keep at its office a supply of blank printed forms of claims for enrolment as aforesaid for the free use of claimants for the purposes aforesaid.

20. The Secretary of the Board is liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 in every case where he refuses, without good cause, or wilfully neglects or unreasonably delays to place on the ratepayers' list the name of any person who makes written claim for enrolment as provided for by these regulations, or refuses, wilfully neglects, or unreasonably delays faithfully and

promptly to perform any other duty imposed on him by these regulations.

21. If the Board fails or unreasonably delays to keep at the Secretary's office a supply of blank printed claim forms for the free use of claimants as provided by clause 19 of these regulations, or faithfully and promptly to perform any other duty imposed on it by these regulations, every person, whether the Secretary or any member of the Board who is party to or responsible for such failure or delay is severally liable to a penalty not exceeding £5.

22. If the day fixed for holding the said poll shall be the 27th day of April, 1927, then, notwithstanding any rule as to computation of time, the foregoing regulations shall be deemed to enact,—

(a) That the ratepayers' list shall be lodged for deposit at 5 p.m. on the 13th day of April, 1927.

(b) That the period of nine clear days referred to in clause 8 hereof shall be from the 14th day of April to the 22nd day of the same month, both days included.

(c) That the day on which a Magistrate shall hear and determine objections shall be the 23rd day of April.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

FORM OF OBJECTION TO RATEPAYERS' LIST.

Under the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1920, and the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1926.

To the Secretary of the Christchurch Tramway Board.

I, [Full name, occupation, and place of residence], hereby object to the ratepayers' list of the Christchurch Tramway District, on the grounds [State the person to whom the objection relates, and also such specific grounds of the objection as are applicable].

Given under my hand this day of , 1927.

Received by me this day of , 1927.
 Secretary.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

LIST OF OBJECTIONS TO THE ELECTORS' LIST.

Under the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1920, and the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1926.

Name of Person objecting.	Name of Person to whom Objection relates and Nature of Objection.		Grounds of Objection.
	Entered on List though not entitled so to be.	Not entered on List though entitled so to be.	

..... Secretary.

THIRD SCHEDULE.

FORM OF CLAIM FOR ENROLMENT.

Under the Christchurch Tramway District Act, 1920, and the Christchurch Tramway District Amendment Act, 1926.

Claim for enrolment on the ratepayers' roll.

To the Secretary, Christchurch Tramway Board.

I, the undersigned, hereby claim to be entered on the ratepayers' roll of the Christchurch Tramway District, on the grounds hereunder set forth:—

(1) The qualification is possessed by me in my own right.

(For Office use only).

(2) Claimant's Christian name or names :

Claimant's surname :

Occupation :

Qualification :

Situation of property :

(3) I am a ratepayer whose name appears in the "Occupiers" column in a rate-book in respect of the property situated as above described.

(4) I hereby solemnly and sincerely declare that the foregoing statements are true, and that I verily believe myself to be entitled to be enrolled in terms of my claim.

Dated this day of , 1927.

Signature of claimant.....

Signature of witness.....

Justice of the Peace (or Postmaster, or minister of religion, or Clerk of local authority, or elector of the Christchurch Tramway District).

FOURTH SCHEDULE.

Regulations dated 31st August, 1921, and gazetted 1st September, 1921 :
 Regulations dated 25th October, 1921, and gazetted 27th October, 1921 :
 Regulations dated 18th August, 1924, and gazetted 21st August 1924.
 Regulations dated 22nd March, 1927.

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

Directing the Sale of Land in Block X, Orahiri Survey District, under the Public Works Act, 1908.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.
 ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by the Public Works Act, 1908, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby direct the sale of the land described in the Schedule hereto, such land being no longer required for the public work for which it was acquired.

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE area of the piece of land directed to be sold :
 1 acre 0 roods 8·7 perches.

Being part Section 18, part Hauturu East 1A 5C. Situated in Block X, Orahiri Survey District (Auckland R.D.). (S.O. 24236.)

In the Auckland Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 67310, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon edged red.

F. D. THOMSON,
 Clerk of the Executive Council.
 (P.W. 31/458.)

Cancelling the Reservation over Part of an Electric Telegraph Reserve, Auckland Land District.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon me by section eleven of the Reserves and other Lands Disposal Act, 1926, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby cancel the reservation over the land described in the Schedule hereto, the said land being portion of the reserve for the purposes of electric telegraph, as described by the said section eleven, and do declare the land over which the reservation is cancelled as aforesaid to be Crown land, available for disposal under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate Area.	Adjoining or passing through Allotments
A. R. P.	
0 2 31·9 ..	.. .. 46.
0 2 22·9 ..	.. .. 45.
0 2 16·6 ..	.. .. 44.
0 2 3·4 ..	.. .. Lot 1, D. P. 8993.
0 0 2 ..	.. .. Lot 1, D. P. 15727.
0 1 27·1 ..	.. .. Part Lot 2, D.P. 12430.
0 0 35·1 ..	.. .. Part Lot 2, D.P. 12430.
0 0 14·6 ..	.. .. Lot 4, D.P. 12431.
0 0 16 ..	.. .. Lot 1, D.P. 12431.
0 1 0·8 ..	.. .. Part 40.
0 1 30·5 ..	.. .. Lot 2 of 40, D.P. 15270.
0 2 36 ..	.. .. Lot 2 of 39, D.P. 15270.
0 0 12·5 ..	.. .. Lot 2 of 38, D.P. 15270.

All situated in Taupiri Parish, in Block VII, Rangiriri Survey District, Auckland Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked L. and S. 6/3/220, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon coloured green.
 Auckland Plan No. S.O. 24316.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 12th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Notifying the proposed Exchange of Crown Land in the North Auckland Land District for other Land.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

WHEREAS by section one hundred and sixty of the Land Act, 1924, it is enacted that it shall be lawful for the Governor-General, whenever he deems it expedient in the public interest, to grant in fee-simple any area of Crown land which is subject to the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, in exchange for the fee-simple of any other land, and on any such exchange to pay or receive any sum by way of equality of exchange :

And whereas, in the opinion of the Governor-General, it is expedient to exchange the Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto for the land described in the Second Schedule hereto, and the owner of the land described in the Second Schedule has agreed to such exchange :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in exercise of the aforesaid powers and authorities, doth hereby declare it is his intention to grant in fee-simple the area of Crown land described in the First Schedule hereto in exchange for the fee-simple of the land described in the Second Schedule.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND AUTHORIZED TO BE EXCHANGED.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 3 acres 1 rood 20 perches, more or less, being Lot 36 of Suburban Section 2, Settlement of Patumahoe, Parish of Puni, Franklin County; as the same is more particularly delineated on plan marked L. and S. 1/318, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

SECOND SCHEDULE.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND TO BE OBTAINED IN EXCHANGE THEREFOR.

ALL that area in the North Auckland Land District, containing by admeasurement 1 acre 1 rood, more or less, being parts Allotments 7 and 8, Section 1, Parish of Puni; as the same is more particularly delineated on plan marked L. and S. 1/318A, deposited in the Head Office, Department of Lands and Survey, at Wellington, and thereon edged red.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 12th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Notifying Lands in Taranaki 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 Monday, the twenty-third day of May, 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 for cash or on deferred payments; and I hereby fix the prices at which the said lands shall be sold as those mentioned in the said Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.

FIRST-CLASS LAND.

Waimate West County.—Kaupokonui Survey District.

SUBSECTION 1 of Section 34, Block XIII: Area, 150 acres 1 rood 20 perches. Upset price, £5,700.

Situated on the Taikatu Road, about half a mile from its junction with the Skeet Road, and within easy distance of the Auroa Post-office, school, and dairy factory. The property is divided into sixteen paddocks. About 24 acres is un-stumped, and is in old pasture, and about 6 acres is in shelter bush. Balance of area is in good pasture, generally free from noxious weeds. The boundary and subdivisional fences are for the most part in good order. The streams provide a good supply of water. The dwelling is fairly old, and is connected with a water-supply. The cow-shed is in good order, and is concreted.

Section 49, Block XIV: Area, 164 acres. Upset price, £6,550.

Situated on the Rama Road, about half a mile from its junction with the Skeet Road, and within easy distance of the Auroa Post-office, school, and dairy factory. Subdivided into fourteen paddocks. With the exception of about 5 acres, all the area has been stumped and ploughed, and is in fair

pasture. The dwelling-house is rather old, but has been well painted. Cow-shed is in good order, and has been concreted. The farm as a whole is in good shape, fences being well kept, and all noxious weeds have been recently cut. All creek-crossings are in good order.

Waimate West County.—Waimate Survey District.

Section 16, Block II: Area, 165 acres. Upset price, £6,600. Situated on the Rama Road, about one and a half miles from its junction with the Skeet Road. Area is subdivided into fifteen paddocks. From reference to the plan of the section it will be ascertained that there is a considerable amount of boxthorn fencing thereon, which is in good order. One of the paddocks contains about six acres of small gorse; however, the pastures on the remaining paddocks are in fairly good order. Good water can be obtained from the creeks running through the section. Cow-shed is concreted, and in good order, whilst the dwelling is somewhat old.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION.

These sections originally comprised portion of the Joll Estate, and are situated in the heart of some of the best dairying land in Taranaki. They comprise good-quality land, which is practically all ploughable. A small area on Lot 1 of Section 34, Block XIII, and on Section 49, Block XIV, Kaipokonui Survey District, still requires stumping; otherwise the areas have all been stumped, ploughed, and grassed. The pastures are for the most part in good order, but are beginning to run out in some paddocks. However, as the land responds well to top-dressing, these pastures can be brought back. The dairying industry has been well established in this locality, and those desirous of acquiring a first-class dairy farm on exceptionally good terms are hereby afforded the opportunity of doing so.

On each section being offered a certain amount of hay has been stacked, so as to provide winter feed for the stock. Also, on Lot 1 of Section 34, Block XIII, Kaipokonui Survey District, and Section 16, Block II, Waimate Survey District, certain areas are in swedes for winter-feeding.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 8th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Opening Settlement Lands in Taranaki 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 lands described in the Schedule hereto shall be open for selection on renewable lease on Monday, the twenty-third day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, at the rentals mentioned in the said Schedule; and I do also declare that the said lands shall be leased under and subject to the provisions of the said Acts.

SCHEDULE.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Taranaki County.—Paritutu Survey District.—Huatoiki Settlement.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rent.
	A. R. P.	£	£ s. d.
Part 1s & Part 3s	3 3 24	140	3 10 0
11s	8 2 10	490	12 5 0
13s	5 1 35	490	12 5 0
14s	4 1 31	420	10 10 0
15s	5 1 6	385	9 12 6
17s	10 1 7	370	9 5 0
18s	5 1 38	450	11 5 0
19s	4 0 24	340	8 10 0
20s	4 2 33	360	9 0 0
28s	12 3 28	385	9 12 6
35s	7 0 7	200	5 0 0

These sections are situated just outside the boundary of the New Plymouth Borough, and are within a short distance of the bus terminus. They are distant about two miles and

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a half from the New Plymouth Post-office. In places the area has a considerable amount of blackberry, gorse, and fern thereon. The land, which is of a volcanic nature, is of first-class quality.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 6th day of April, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Inspector 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

George Frederick Jaquiere

to be an Inspector under the said Act in respect to all scenic reserves in and adjacent to Stewart Island, Southland Land District.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 12th day of April, 1927.

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

Warrant vesting the Control of the Inangahua River Suspension Bridge in the Inangahua County Council.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in me by the Public Works Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities in anywise enabling me in this behalf, I, General Sir Charles Fergusson, Baronet, Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby direct that the bridge over the Inangahua River (as more particularly described in the Schedule hereto) shall, on and after the date of the gazetting hereof, be under the exclusive care, control, and management of the Inangahua County Council.

SCHEDULE.

THAT bridge in the Nelson Land District over the Inangahua River known as the Inangahua River Suspension Bridge, situated opposite the eastern boundary of Section 176, Block II, Reefton Survey District. As the site of the said bridge is more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 68707, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon marked with a red cross.

As witness the hand of His Excellency the Governor-General, this 7th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works. (P.W. 44/107.)

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

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the under-mentioned person has been appointed a Ranger under and for the purposes of that Act for the East Coast Acclimatization District:—

Patrick Martine Cameron, of Gisborne.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD, Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

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

William James Stone, of Rangiriri,

to be an officer for the purposes of Part II of the said Act for the Auckland Acclimatization District.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD, Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

IT is hereby notified that, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority conferred by section 35 of the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the under-mentioned persons have been appointed rangers under and for the purposes of that Act for the Auckland Acclimatization District:—

William Thirlwall Routledge, of Auckland;
Vyvian Rex Lynn Heywood, of Milford, Auckland;
William Proctor, of Putaruru; and
George Henning, of Remuera, Auckland.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

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

William Thirlwall Routledge, of Auckland,
Vyvian Rex Lynn Heywood, of Milford, Auckland,
William Proctor, of Putaruru, and
George Henning, of Auckland

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

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Member of Canterbury Land Board appointed.

Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 31st March, 1927.

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

Ernest Macdonald, Esquire,

to be a member of the Canterbury Land Board as from the 31st March, 1927.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Registrar under the Veterinary Surgeons Act, 1926, appointed.—Notice No. Ag. 2650.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in pursuance of section 3 (2) (a) of the Veterinary Surgeons Act, 1926,

Charles John Reakes, Esquire, C.B.E., D.V.Sc., M.R.C.V.S., to be Registrar under the said Act.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

Member of Veterinary Surgeons Board appointed.—Notice No. Ag. 2651.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in pursuance of section 3 (2) (b), of the Veterinary Surgeons Act, 1926,

Alexander Malcolm Brodie, Esquire, M.R.C.V.S.,

to be a member of the Veterinary Surgeons Board constituted under the said Act.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

Members of Veterinary Surgeons Board appointed.—Notice No. Ag. 2652.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint, in pursuance of section 3 (2) (c), of the Veterinary Surgeons Act, 1926,

William Christopher Barry, Esquire, M.R.C.V.S.
Herbert Seton Stewart Kyle, Esquire, G.M.V.C.

to be members of the Veterinary Surgeons Board constituted under the said Act.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

Clerks of Licensing Committees appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

William Shattock Jones

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wanganui, *vice* H. Morgan, transferred; and

William Harte

to be Clerk of the Licensing Committee for the District of Wairarapa, *vice* W. S. Jones, transferred.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Marshal of the Supreme Court appointed.

Department of Justice,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to appoint

William Shattock Jones

to be a Marshal of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Wanganui in respect of its jurisdiction as a Colonial Court of Admiralty under the Colonial Courts of Admiralty Act, 1908.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Justice.

Deputy Registrars of Marriages, &c., appointed.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th April, 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.* :—

Name	District
Donald Campbell Wright	Lumsden.
Thomas Patrick Feehly	Arrow.
Thomas Gates	Chatham Islands.
Alfred George Shirley	Waipu.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Appointments in the Public Service.

Office of the Public Service Commissioner,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

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

John Duncan Kerr, Esquire,

to be Clerk of the Magistrates' Court, Opotiki, for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, as from the 1st day of April, 1927.

William Harte, Esquire,

to be Registrar of the Supreme Court of New Zealand and Sheriff for the District of Wairarapa for the purposes of the Judicature Act, 1908, local Patent Officer for the purposes of section 15 of the Patents, Designs, and Trade-marks Act, 1921-22, and Clerk of the Magistrate's Court for the purposes of the Magistrates' Courts Act, 1908, at Masterton, as from the 5th day of April, 1927.

David Alexander Baillie, Esquire,

to be Registrar of Marriages and Registrar of Births and Deaths for the district of Maitara, as from the 2nd April, 1927.

William Harte, Esquire,

to be Registrar of Marriages and of Births and Deaths for the district of Masterton, and Registrar of Births and Deaths of Maoris at Masterton, as from the 5th April, 1927.

Charles Bruce Rawlins, Esquire, and

George William Edward Coppel, Esquire,

to be Inspectors of Weights and Measures for the purposes of the Weights and Measures Act, 1925, as from the 7th day of April, 1927.

A. C. TURNBULL, Secretary.

New Zealand Inscribed Stock Act, 1917.—Closing of Registers.

The Treasury,
Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Register of New Zealand 4½-per-cent. Inscribed Stock, maturing 15th November, 1938, and the Register of New Zealand 5-per-cent. Inscribed Stock, maturing 15th November, 1927, will be closed from the 1st to the 15th May, 1927 (inclusive), for the purpose of the issue of half-yearly interest.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

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

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 7th April, 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.

STAFF.

Captain W. Murphy, N.Z. Staff Corps, relinquishes the appointment of Area Officer, Area 10A (Christchurch), as from 3rd March, 1927, and is appointed Adjutant, 1st Battalion, Canterbury Regiment (Christchurch), *vice* Captain A. S. Hooper, The Wiltshire Regiment. Dated 4th March, 1927.

Captain A. S. Hooper, The Wiltshire Regiment, relinquishes the appointment of Adjutant, 1st Battalion, Canterbury Regiment (Christchurch), as from 3rd March, 1927, and is appointed Area Officer, Area 10C (Timaru), *vice* Major H. D. McHugh, M.C., N.Z. Staff Corps. Dated 4th March, 1927.

Lieutenant A. H. L. Sugden, N.Z. Staff Corps, is appointed Area Officer, Area 10A (Christchurch), *vice* Captain W. Murphy, M.C., N.Z. Staff Corps. Dated 4th March, 1927.

N.Z. STAFF CORPS.

Honorary Lieutenant (W.O. I) E. G. Moncrief, M.C. (N.Z. Permanent Staff), to be Lieutenant with effect from 1st January, 1927, and is appointed Area Officer, Area 4B, Pukekohe. Dated 12th March, 1927.

Honorary Lieutenant (W.O. I) A. P. McCormack (N.Z. Permanent Staff) to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st January, 1927.

6TH N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (MANAWATU).

Lieutenant A. G. Simpson is transferred to the Reserve of Officers, Class I (b) R.D. 6. Dated 19th March, 1927.

7TH N.Z. MOUNTED RIFLES (WELLINGTON EAST COAST.)

The undermentioned 2nd Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 30th March, 1927.

J. F. Cook.
T. F. Wallace.

THE REGIMENT OF N.Z. ARTILLERY.

Lieutenant G. S. Troup is transferred from the 5th Field Battery to the 10th Field Battery, with seniority as from the 28th March, 1922.

2nd Lieutenant M. E. E. Benjamin, 1st Field Battery, to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1927.

THE HAURAKI REGIMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. F. Gambrill relinquishes command of the 1st Battalion, and is transferred to the Hawke's Bay Regiment. Dated 28th September, 1926.

THE NORTH AUCKLAND REGIMENT.

Captain A. D. Jack, M.C., 1st Battalion, to be Major. Dated 1st February, 1927.

THE WAIKATO REGIMENT.

George Charles Revell to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*), and is seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion. Dated 18th March, 1927.

THE WELLINGTON REGIMENT.

Lieutenant M. S. Galloway, M.C., is posted to the Retired List under the provisions of G.O. 184/21, with the rank of captain, and with permission to wear the prescribed uniform. Dated 28th March, 1927.

2nd Lieutenant E. W. Miles ceases to be seconded to the 3rd C Battalion, and is seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion with his original seniority. Dated 23rd March, 1927.

2nd Lieutenant E. W. Miles, 2nd C Battalion to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1927.

2nd Lieutenant C. C. T. Harris, from the Hawke's Bay Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion, with seniority as from the 12th November, 1924. Dated 19th March, 1927.

2nd Lieutenant M. D. Grant, from the Canterbury Regiment, to be 2nd Lieutenant, 1st Battalion, with seniority as from the 5th May, 1925. Dated 28th March, 1927.

2nd Lieutenant H. J. Freeman ceases to be seconded to the 2nd C Battalion, and is posted to the 1st Battalion, with his original seniority. Dated 19th March, 1927.

Frederick Stanley Ramson to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*) and is seconded for duty with the 1st C Battalion. Dated 22nd March, 1927.

THE HAWKE'S BAY REGIMENT.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. F. Gambrill, from the Hauraki Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, and is seconded for duty with the 4th C Battalion, with seniority as from the 13th September, 1924. Dated 28th September, 1926.

2nd Lieutenant C. C. T. Harris, 3rd C Battalion, is transferred to the Wellington Regiment. Dated 19th March, 1927.

THE TARANAKI REGIMENT.

Lieutenant F. N. Whitcombe, 1st Battalion, to be Captain and quartermaster. Dated 24th March, 1927.

2nd Lieutenant W. R. Ainsworth, 1st Battalion, is seconded for duty with the 1st C Battalion, with his original seniority. Dated 24th March, 1927.

THE CANTERBURY REGIMENT.

2nd Lieutenant M. D. Grant, 4th C Battalion, is transferred to the Wellington Regiment. Dated 28th March, 1927.

THE OTAGO REGIMENT.

John Laurence Anderson to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is seconded for duty with the 1st C Battalion. Dated 15th March, 1927.

William Light to be 2nd Lieutenant, and is seconded for duty with the 2nd C Battalion. Dated 24th March, 1927.

THE SOUTHLAND REGIMENT.

Alan Robert Dunlop to be 2nd Lieutenant (*on probation*), and is seconded for duty to the 1st C Battalion. Dated 24th March, 1927.

THE N.Z. CHAPLAINS DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend W. P. Rankin, Chaplain, 4th Class, is transferred from the Reserve List, Class I, to the Reserve List, Class II (R.D. 1). Dated 24th March, 1927.

RESERVE OF OFFICERS.

Lieutenant D. A. Finlayson 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 25th March, 1927.

MEMORANDUM.

It is notified for general information that all previous *Gazette* notices relating to Lieutenant-Colonel (*temp.* Colonel on the Staff) W. L. H. Burgess should read W. L. H. Sinclair-Burgess.

F. J. ROLLESTON, Minister of Defence.

Defence Rifle Club accepted.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 29th March, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to accept the services of the undermentioned Defence Rifle Club, under section 43, Defence Act, 1909:—

Roxburgh Defence Rifle Club, with Headquarters at Roxburgh, Otago. Date of acceptance, 25th February, 1927.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Defence.

Awards of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has been pleased to approve of the award of the Colonial Auxiliary Forces Long-service Medal to the undermentioned officers:—

Major D. C. Armstrong, M.C., The Wellington Regiment.
Major J. G. Jeffery, M.C., Regiment of N.Z. Artillery.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Defence.

Dismissals from the Forces.

Department of Defence,
Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

HIS Excellency the Governor-General has approved of the dismissal of the undermentioned soldiers of the Territorial Force from the New Zealand Defence Forces, under

Section 6 (b), Defence Act, 1909, they having been convicted by the Civil power:—

Sapper N. D. McGonagle, Northern Depot, Corps of New Zealand Engineers. Dated 26th March, 1927.
Private A. Middleton, 1st Battalion, The Hauraki Regiment. Dated 28th March, 1927.

F. J. ROLLESTON,
Minister of Defence.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

WAIMAIRI COUNTY COUNCIL.

Fendalton Park Loan Proposal.—Result of Poll.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, notice is hereby given that the result of a poll of ratepayers in the proposed Fendalton Park Special-loan Area in the Waimairi County, taken on 17th February, 1927, was as follows:—

The total number of valid votes cast for the proposal was 134; against the proposal, 171.

As the number of votes cast in favour of the proposal was less than three-fifths of the total number of votes cast, I therefore declare the proposal to be rejected.

HENRY PATERSON, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF TAURANGA.

Library, Public Reading-room, and two Shops Loan, £5,000.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the Borough of Tauranga, taken on the 30th March, 1927, on the proposal of the Tauranga Borough Council to borrow the sum of £5,000 for the purpose of erecting a building comprising library, public reading-room, and two shops on Lots 2 and 3 of subdivision of Lot 235, Section 1, Town of Tauranga, the number of votes cast was as follows:—

For the proposal, 198; against the proposal, 190; informal, 5.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.
Dated 31st March, 1927.

B. DIVE, Mayor.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the New Lynn Town Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

NEW LYNN TOWN DISTRICT.

Proposed Loan of £75,000.

PURSUANT to the provisions of section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the New Lynn Town District, taken on the 14th day of March, 1927, on the proposal of the New Lynn Town Board to borrow the sum of £75,000 for the purpose of providing a sewage-drainage and disposal system for the district—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 378; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 274; informal, 24.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Proposed Loan of £148,300.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the New Lynn Town District, taken on the 14th day

of March, 1927, on the proposal of the New Lynn Town Board to borrow the sum of £148,300 for the purpose of undertaking comprehensive streets-improvements works—

The number of votes for the proposal was 294; the number of votes against the proposal was 348; informal, 34.
I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

Proposed Loan of £12,000.

Pursuant to the provisions of section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the New Lynn Town District, taken on the 14th day of March, 1927, on the proposal of the New Lynn Town Board to borrow the sum of £12,000 for the purpose of purchasing land and laying out a civic centre—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 239; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 399; informal, 38.

I therefore declare that the proposal was rejected.

W. G. LOVIE, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Hunterville Town Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

HUNTERVILLE TOWN BOARD.

PURSUANT to the Town Boards Act, 1908, and its amendments, and the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that a poll of ratepayers of the Hunterville Town District was taken on the 15th day of December, 1926, on the proposal to borrow the sum of £500 to construct a culvert in High Street—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 25; and the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 11.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated the 17th day of December, 1926.

W. H. BOWICK, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 7th April, 1927.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

FRANKLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

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

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Waiau Pa—Mackenzies Road Special-rating Area of Franklin County was taken on the 14th day of February, 1927, on the proposal of the Franklin County Council to borrow the sum of £1,250 for the purpose of forming and metalling the Waiau Pa to Papakura Road from the Presbyterian Church corner to Mackenzies Landing—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 43; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 8.

I therefore declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated at Pukekohe, this 16th day of February, 1927.

H. WILCOX, County Chairman.

Results of Polls for Proposed Loans.

Wellington, 7th April, 1927.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

MANUKAU COUNTY COUNCIL.

East Tamaki Public Hall Improvement Loan of £1,100.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the East Tamaki Public Hall Improvement Loan of £1,100 Special-rating Area, taken on the 17th day of March, 1927, on the proposal of the Manukau County Council to borrow the sum of

£1,100 for the purpose of altering, improving, and furnishing the East Tamaki Public Hall, in the Papatoetoe Riding of the County—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 74; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 66; informal vote, 1.

I therefore declare that the proposal was lost.

Alfriston-Papakura Road Special Area Loan of £850.

Pursuant to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of the ratepayers of the Alfriston-Papakura Road Loan of £850 Special-rating Area, taken on the 17th day of March, 1927, on the proposal of the Manukau County Council to borrow the sum of £850 for the purpose of forming, culverting, and metalling portion of the Alfriston-Papakura Road in the Papakura Riding of the county—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 47; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 48; informal votes, 3.

I therefore declare that the proposal was lost.

FRANK M. WATERS, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 7th April, 1927.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

SOUTH CANTERBURY ELECTRIC-POWER BOARD.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, and section 51 of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, I hereby give notice that at a poll, taken on the 29th day of March, 1927, of the ratepayers of the Mackenzie County Special Area, comprising all that portion of the County of Mackenzie contained within the South Canterbury Electric-power District, on the proposal of the South Canterbury Electric-power Board to raise a special loan of £36,000 for the construction of electric works and such other matters as are provided for by the Electric-powers Board Act, 1925, and for the exercise of the powers conferred on the said Board by sections 118, 119, and 120 of the Electric-power Boards Act, 1925, for the benefit of the said Mackenzie Special Area.

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 244; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 34; the number of informal votes was 1.

The number of valid votes recorded in favour of the proposal being more than three-fifths of the total number of valid votes recorded at the poll, I declare that the proposal was carried.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1927.

JOHN KENNEDY, Chairman.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 7th April, 1927.

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

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

BOROUGH OF NEW PLYMOUTH.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that a poll of the ratepayers of the Borough of New Plymouth was taken on the 24th day of March, 1927, upon a proposal to raise a special loan of one hundred and eighty-six thousand pounds (£186,000) for the following purposes:—

The particular purposes for which the loan is required are—

- (a) £38,000 for providing extensions to the borough water-works, as defined by section 238 of the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, including in such extensions the purchasing, taking, or otherwise acquiring or providing necessary land, building, mains, machinery, plant, appliances, and material therefor, additions to the said works, the distribution and supply of water, the payment of compensation to persons injuriously affected, and any matter or thing incidental or in relation to the said purpose.

£147,700 for providing extensions to the Council's electric-lighting and power works, either within or without the Borough of New Plymouth, including in such extensions the acquiring or taking or providing in connection therewith land, easements and appurtenances, and buildings, plant, machinery, mains, materials, and other things, the distribution and supply of electricity, additions to the said works, the payment of compensation to any person injuriously affected, and any matter or thing incidental to or in relation to such purpose.

- (b) The sum to be borrowed for all such purposes is £186,000 at a rate of interest not exceeding £5 10s. per centum per annum, with a sinking fund of one and one-half (1½) per centum per annum additional.

- (c) The proposed security for the said sum of £186,000 and the interest and sinking fund thereon is an annually recurring special rate of twopence halfpenny (2½d.) in the pound on the rateable value (on the basis of unimproved value) of all rateable property in the said Borough of New Plymouth, and it is proposed to repay the said loan on the 1st day of April, 1947.

- (d) It is proposed to pay out of the said loan the cost of raising the said loan and the interest and sinking fund thereon for the first year.

The number of valid votes recorded for the proposal was 1,120; the number of valid votes recorded against the proposal was 833; the total number of valid votes recorded was 1,953.

I therefore declare the said proposal carried.

FRANK E. WILSON, Mayor.

Result of Poll for Proposed Loan.

Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

THE following notice, received from the Chairman of the Manawatu Drainage Board, is published in accordance with the provisions of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926.

WM. DOWNIE STEWART,
Minister of Finance.

MANAWATU DRAINAGE BOARD.

PURSUANT to section 13 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, I hereby give notice that at a poll of ratepayers of the Manawatu Drainage District, taken on the 7th day of April, 1927, on the proposal of the Manawatu Drainage Board to borrow the sum of £10,000 for the purpose of widening, deepening, diverting, straightening, putting in flood-gates, and doing all such other works and acts as may be necessary for the purpose of improving Mangaone Stream, the Joint Outlet, Whiskey Creek, Burke's Drain, Boundary Drain, and Main Drain—

The number of votes recorded for the proposal was 334; the number of votes recorded against the proposal was 245; informal, 2.

I therefore declare the proposal was lost.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1927.

P. J. SMALL, Chairman.

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

Department of Internal Affairs,

Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the by-law made by the Hastings Borough Council on the 24th day of March, 1927.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

CERTIFICATE OF CONFIRMATION.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within-written by-law of the Hastings Borough Council, and declare that the same came into force on the 1st day of April 1927.

Dated this 12th day of April, 1927.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Open Season for Imported Game and Native Game, Whakatane County, Rotorua Acclimatization District.

IN exercise of the powers vested in me by the Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, I, Richard Francis Bollard, Minister of Internal Affairs of the Dominion of New Zealand, do hereby declare that, notwithstanding anything contained in the notification dated the fourteenth day of

March, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and gazetted on the same day, made under the said Animals Protection and Game Act, 1921-22, the period from the second day of May to the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven (both days inclusive), shall be an open season in the Whakatane County in the Rotorua Acclimatization District for the taking or killing of the following native game—viz., grey duck, spoonbill duck, eastern golden plover, turnstone, and black swan—subject to the conditions contained in the aforesaid notification; and doth hereby further declare that the property of Mr. Alexander McLean, of Awakeri, shall be added to the areas mentioned in the Second Schedule to the said notification, wherein game may not be taken or killed.

As witness my hand at Wellington, this 12th day of April, 1927.

RICHARD F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

By-law of the Waimairi County Council confirmed under the By-laws Act, 1910.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

THE following certificate has been executed on the sealed copy of the by-law made by the Waimairi County Council on the 17th day of December, 1926.

RICHARD F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

In pursuance of the By-laws Act, 1910, I hereby confirm the within written by-law, and declare that the same shall come into force of the first day of May, 1927.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1927.

RICHARD F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

By-laws made by the Pukekohe Fire Board.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

THE following by-laws, made by the Pukekohe Fire Board, are published in accordance with the Fire Brigades Act, 1926.

RICHARD F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

PUKEKOHE FIRE BOARD BY-LAWS.

By virtue of the power and authorities vested in it in that behalf by section 43 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, the Pukekohe Fire Board hereby makes the following by-laws:—

INTERPRETATION.

In these by-laws, except where inconsistent with the context, or when otherwise expressly provided,—

- “Board” means the Pukekohe Fire Board elected and appointed under the provisions of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908;
- “Brigade” means the Pukekohe Fire Brigade established under the provisions of these by-laws;
- “District” means the Pukekohe Fire District as defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 84 of the 10th day of December, 1925;
- “Secretary” means the Secretary appointed by the Pukekohe Fire Board;
- “Superintendent” and “Deputy Superintendent” means respectively the Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent of the Pukekohe Fire Brigade;
- “Street” means any public or private street, and includes public places;
- “The Act” means the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, and amendments thereof;
- “Petroleum” means petroleum as defined by the Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act, 1920;
- “Inspector” means the Inspector as appointed by the local authority;
- “Inflammable material” as described in the Explosives and Dangerous Goods Act, 1920, and any subsequent amendments thereto.

ESTABLISHMENT.

1. The brigade shall consist of a Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent with such officers and firemen as the Board may from time to time determine, with such number of auxiliaries as the Board may from time to time determine.

ENROLMENT.

2. Candidates for enrolment as members of the brigade must be physically strong men, free from any defect in limb, hearing,

or sight. They must be not less than eighteen years of age nor more than forty-four years of age, unless they have previously and recently been engaged as active and efficient firemen or are otherwise thoroughly competent. They may be required to produce testimonials as to character and ability. They may be required to undergo a medical examination by such duly qualified medical practitioner as the Board may appoint. Members of the brigade acting in that capacity on the coming into force of this by-law shall be exempt from these requirements.

APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT.

3. Application for enrolment must be made on the form set out and printed by the Board, and applicants shall only be enrolled as members of the Brigade on their application being approved by the Board.

PROBATION.

4. Candidates, when approved, will be accepted as members of the brigade on probation only, the term of which shall be three months. If at the end of that term the probationer shall have given satisfaction to the Superintendent, the Board may confirm his enrolment as a member of the brigade: Provided always that unless the Board shall think it expedient so to do the Board shall not confirm such enrolment until the probationer has received the affirmative vote of not less than three-fifths of the members present at a meeting of the brigade, called by the Superintendent for that purpose.

5. Members of the Brigade are, subject to the provisions of clause 4 hereof, enrolled for service subject to one month's notice on either side, except as hereinafter provided.

APPOINTMENT AND PROMOTION OF OFFICERS.

6. The appointment of Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent shall be made by the Board as provided by section 30 of the Fire Brigades Act, 1908, due consideration being given in each case to the claims of men already in the service of the Board. Such appointments may be terminated by one month's notice on either side.

7. The age at which members of the brigade must retire from the brigade shall be as follows:—

Superintendent and Deputy Superintendent, sixty-five years; firemen, fifty-five years; but the Board may, if it thinks fit in any special case, extend these limits.

CARE OF UNIFORM AND EQUIPMENT.

8. Uniform and equipment of a pattern and design approved by the Board shall be issued to members of the brigade on enrolment, but shall remain the property of the Board.

9. On discharge from the Board's service either by resignation or dismissal, each member must return to the Secretary in good order and condition (fair wear and tear excepted) every article of clothing or equipment the property of the Board which may be on issue to him. In the event of his failing to return any article of clothing or equipment or returning same in a damaged condition, the cost of such article, or the cost of repairing the damage, shall be charged to such member and deducted from any pay or money that shall be due to such member, or recovered by process of law.

FIRE HOSE.

10. That it be the duty of the Superintendent to keep a record of the various makes of hose and the service rendered thereby, also the hose to be stamped with distinctive maker's mark and year brought into service.

PLANT NOT TO BE REMOVED WITHOUT PERMISSION.

11. Except for the purpose of answering alarm of fire or false alarm, or for *bona fide* brigade practices ordered by the Superintendent, no plant or appliance of any kind shall be removed from the brigade premises, unless such person removing same shall have first received permission of the Superintendent to do so. Any person removing any plant or appliance without such permission as aforesaid shall be guilty of an offence.

THE SUPERINTENDENT.

12. The duties and powers of the Superintendent, in addition to those conferred upon him by the Act, shall be as follows:—

- (1) He shall be responsible to the Board for the efficiency of the members of the brigade and all gear used in its service.
- (2) He shall have power to suspend any member for breach of discipline or misconduct of any description at any time, but must immediately report such suspension to the Board. The member so suspended may appeal to the Board, which may hold an inquiry into the alleged breach of discipline or misconduct. At such inquiry the suspended member may be present and have the right to speak in his defence and, if he so desires, to bring witnesses in support of such defence.

- (3) He shall keep an order-book in which from time to time all orders affecting the working of the brigade shall be entered. Such order-book, or a copy of the orders therein, shall be available for inspection by members of the brigade at all times.
- (4) He shall allot such duties to the members of the brigade as he may deem necessary for ensuring the efficiency thereof, and may draw any member from any special duty and allot him fresh duties at his (the Superintendent's) discretion.
- (5) He shall keep a service record-book containing the names, occupations, places of birth, dates of birth, dates of joining and discharge from the brigade, with awards and punishments by the Board, in a proper manner.
- (6) He shall perform any other duty in connection with his position which the Board may from time to time assign to him.

FIREMAN TO TAKE CHARGE IN OFFICERS' ABSENCE.

13. In the event of the absence of all the Board's officers at any fire or false alarm of fire, the senior fireman there present shall take charge of the brigade.

DISCIPLINE AND GENERAL BEHAVIOUR.

14. A member of the brigade guilty of any of the following offences whilst on duty in the Board's service shall be liable to suspension from duty by the Superintendent :—

- (a) Being in an intoxicated condition :
- (b) Disobeying any lawful order of his superior officer :
- (c) Using abusive or insubordinate language to his superior officer :
- (d) Striking his superior officer :
- (e) Using obscene language.

15. A member of the brigade committing either of the following offences shall be suspended and immediately reported to the Board by the Superintendent :—

- (a) Wilfully damaging any portion of the brigade's premises or other property of the Board :
- (b) Absenting himself without sufficient excuse from any drill or practice ordered by the Superintendent, or from any false or real alarm of fire :
- (c) A fine of 5s. is inflicted for absence from fires, and a fine of 2s. 6d. for absence at inspection parades unless the member is ill, incapacitated, out of town, or can satisfy the Superintendent of the cause of his absence :
- (d) A fine of 2s. 6d. is inflicted on any member who fails to return to the Fire Station after working at a fire or fires, to clean up the gear and wash the hose and attend to his duties, unless leave is granted by the officer present :
- (e) A fine of 2s. 6d. is inflicted on any member who neglects orderly duties. These duties are : Keeping the plant, gear, &c., clean and in order ; putting away hose left out to dry ; and performing any services the Superintendent may require. Substitutes may be made, but the member first appointed will be held responsible for the work. The men in charge of out-stations are exempt from the above, but are responsible for the care of the gear in their charge.

The Board shall have power to waive any fines so incurred if recommended by the Superintendent :

- (f) Gambling is strictly forbidden on any part of brigade premises :
- (g) Any member or members of a brigade who shall wilfully damage the property of the Fire Board must make the same good at his or their own cost :
- (h) No member of the brigade shall enter, or in any way use the board-room except on business :
- (i) Persons calling to see members of brigades may be taken inside the station, but on no account shall any fireman invite a number of persons to visit a fire-station.
- (j) No noisy recreation shall be indulged in on brigade premises on Sundays.

16. No member of the brigade shall under any circumstances write any letter or furnish any information to the Press on matters in connection with the Board or brigade, save that in the event of no superior officer being present, the senior fireman on duty may give particulars regarding any fire which has been attended by the brigade.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

17. Leave of absence for any period not exceeding fourteen days may, on the application of a member of the brigade, be granted by the Superintendent, who shall record the same in his occurrence-book.

Any member of the brigade desiring leave of absence for a longer period than fourteen days shall apply in writing addressed to the Superintendent, who shall forward each

application to the Secretary of the Board, with such recommendation as he may think fair, and leave of absence for such longer period shall be granted by the Board.

BRIGADE MAY MAKE RULES.

18. Subject to the approval of the Board, and provided they in no way conflict with these by-laws, the brigade may make rules and regulations for its own government.

GRATUITIES FOR VOLUNTEER AND OTHER SERVICES.

19. For the performance of any volunteer or special services rendered by any person, whether a member of the brigade or not, in respect of any fire, there may be paid out of the funds of the Board such sum as the Board may direct.

ELECTRIC FIRE-ALARM CIRCUITS.

20. The Board may establish or contract with any person or corporation for the establishment of an electric fire-alarm circuit, and may from time to time extend such circuit and provide for the connection therewith of street alarms and public and private buildings or premises. All connections of alarms installed in public or private buildings or premises or any alterations to same shall be carried out to the approval of the Board at the cost of the owner of the property to be connected, and the cost of maintenance and of the periodical examination and testing of such connection shall be borne by the owners of the property connected, and all connections shall be efficiently maintained to the satisfaction of the Board or the officer appointed by the Board for that purpose. With the consent of the owner such cost may be commuted to the payment of such annual sum as may be agreed on between the Board and such owner.

DONATIONS IN RECOGNITION OF BRIGADE'S SERVICES.

21. Donations by the public in recognition of the brigade's services shall be the property of the brigade, and shall be used in providing for the comfort and recreation of the members thereof, or otherwise for the benefit of the members of the brigade.

MAINTENANCE OF DISCIPLINE AND GOOD CONDUCT ON THE PART OF THE OFFICERS AND MEN OF THE BRIGADE.

22. No person shall supply any intoxicating liquor to any officer or member of the brigade while such member or officer shall be on duty, unless he shall first have received permission from the officer in charge of the brigade at the time so to do.

23. No person other than a member of the brigade, its Secretary, or members of the brigade, shall enter the fire-station controlled by the Board, unless such person shall first have received permission to do so from the officer in charge of the station or a member of the brigade, and no person shall, after having been requested by the officer in charge of the station to leave any such station, remain in any such station or on or about the station premises.

24. No person other than an officer of the brigade or a member thereof, or the wife or child of such officer or member, shall sleep in or on any station or in any of the Board's premises without having first received written permission of the Superintendent to do so.

IN RESPECT OF FIRES OUTSIDE THE PUKEKOHE FIRE DISTRICT.

25. If any brigade or portion of a brigade established and maintained by the Board within the Pukekohe Fire District attends or performs service at a fire on any premises outside the Fire District of Pukekohe at the request of the owner or occupier of such premises, then such owner or occupier shall pay to the Board for such attendance and service at the under-mentioned rates :—

	£	s.	d.
For the first hour or portion thereof ..	5	0	0
For each succeeding hour ..	2	10	0
For each fire appliance ..	2	10	0

PENALTY CLAUSE.

26. Every person guilty of an offence against, or committing any breach of, or failing to perform any duty imposed upon any such person by any of the provisions of these by-laws shall be liable for such offence, breach, or failure, to such fine not exceeding £20, as the Court inflicting the same shall in its discretion think fit.

The foregoing by-laws were made by the Pukekohe Fire Board, at a duly constituted meeting of the said Board held on the 13th day of December, 1926, and 7th March, 1927.

JOHN ROUTLY, Chairman.
J. F. DEANE, Secretary.

The foregoing by-laws of the Pukekohe Fire Board are approved this 8th day of April, 1927.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Fire Boards under the Fire Brigades Act, 1926.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

THE undermentioned persons have been appointed or elected to be members of the following Fire Boards under the Fire Brigades Act, 1926.

RICHD. F. BOLLARD,
Minister of Internal Affairs.

Auckland Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Milne.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
John James Kingston.
Thomas Edward Miller.
Walter Pavitt.
Elected by the Auckland City Council—
A. J. Entrican.
J. B. Paterson.
M. J. Coyle.

Balclutha Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Robert Duncan Macdonald.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
John Stuart Hislop.
Maurice Harry Thomas Priest.
Elected by the Balclutha Borough Council—
J. R. Copland.
J. T. Walter.

Christchurch Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Henry Richard Rusbridge.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
James Reynolds Cameron.
George Duncan McIlraith.
Kenneth William Robinson.
Elected by the Christchurch City Council—
Oscar W. B. Anderson.
Ernest H. Andrews.
Alfred Williams.

Dannevirke Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
James McMillan.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
J. W. F. Norrie.
W. G. Hay.
Elected by the Dannevirke Borough Council—
A. J. C. Runciman.
C. J. Hansard.

Dargaville Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
A. J. Finch.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Geoffrey Nevill.
Robert Hugh Newbold.
Elected by the Dargaville Borough Council—
F. A. Jones.
F. J. Hosking.

Dunedin Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Louis Salmond.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Frederick Thomas Anderson.
Alfred Burn.
John Stuart Hislop.
Elected by the Dunedin City Council—
William Burgoyne Taverner.
John Wilson.
Walter Alexander Scott.

Eltham Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Edwin Hall Thomas.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Maurice Wynne Allom.
Sidney Owen Jones.
Elected by the Eltham Borough Council—
Ira James Bridger.
Albert Kemp.

Feilding Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Edward Henry Fisher.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
A. Simpson.
W. A. Parton.
Elected by the Feilding Borough Council—
Arthur Hillier Sutton.
Victor Emanuel Smith.

Foxton Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John K. Hornblow.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
A. H. Clerke.
F. G. Cray
Elected by the Foxton Borough Council—
Mark Edwin Perreau.
Frederick Woods.

Gisborne Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Frank Gardiner Holt Henderson.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Brian Staphylton Bree.
Alan George Seddon.
Elected by the Gisborne Borough Council—
David William Coleman.
Thomas Todd.

Greymouth Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Jesse Steer.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Claude Lionel Green.
Harold George Wiley.
Elected by the Greymouth Borough Council—
Gerald Perotti.
James McGinley.

Hamilton Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
George Parr.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Horace Haines McCullough.
Walter Pavitt.
Elected by the Hamilton Borough Council—
John McKinnon.
James Gilbert.

Hastings Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Samuel Thomas Tong.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. G. Hay.
G. M. Taylor.
Elected by the Hastings Borough Council—
G. A. Maddison.
Peter Marius Cohr.

Hawera Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Harry Leopold Spratt.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
George Duncan.
Henry James Grayson.
Elected by the Hawera Borough Council—
George John Bayley.
Leonard Alfred Bone.

Hokitika Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Jerome Breeze.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Claude Lionel Green.
Harold George Wiley.
Elected by the Hokitika Borough Council—
Henry Leslie Michel, M.L.C.
Albert Richard Elcock.

Invercargill Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
William Neilson Stirling.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Edward Belton Pilcher.
Robert Nicholas Todd.
Elected by the Invercargill Borough Council—
Andrew Bain.
Charles John Broad.

Kaiapoi Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
L. B. Evans.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Frederick Charles Haycraft
Harold Cummins Rogers.
Elected by the Kaiapoi Borough Council—
Hector McIntosh.
Robert J. Dunn.

Kaitangata Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Frederick Carson.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
John Stuart Hislop.
Maurice Harry Thomas Priest.
Elected by the Kaitangata Borough Council—
J. W. Fenton.
Robert Aitchison.

Lawrence Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
George Robertson Talboys.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Henry Arthur Baring Brabant.
James Alexander Davis.
Elected by the Lawrence Borough Council—
Alexander Arthur.
Harry Noel Winmill.

Levin Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
W. Jenson.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
A. H. Clerke.
F. G. Cray.
Elected by the Levin Borough Council—
John Charles Milnes.
Frank Ernest Parker.

Masterton Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
W. Candy.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. A. Parton.
J. Wesney.
Elected by the Masterton Borough Council—
J. B. Rue.
T. Jenkins.

Milton Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Carlton James Clery.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
John Stuart Hislop.
Maurice Harry Thomas Priest.
Elected by the Milton Borough Council—
L. W. Potter.
D. McDonald.

Mount Roskill Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Herbert James Leahy.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
George Harry Brialey.
William Charles Kemble.
Elected by the Mount Roskill Road Board—
Samuel Scarborough.
Lewis Algar Tozer.

Napier Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Parson Williamson.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
J. W. F. Norrie.
G. M. Taylor.
Elected by the Napier Borough Council—
John Blight Andrew.
Arthur McCarthy.

New Plymouth Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Walter Crowley Weston.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Edward John Carr.
Charles Herbert Wyatt.
Elected by the New Plymouth Borough Council—
Frank Edwin Wilson.
James Lobb.

Oamaru Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Andrew Fraser.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Alfred Burn.
Thomas Ruddiman.
Elected by the Oamaru Borough Council—
Frank Crawshaw.
John Megget Forrester.

Ohakune Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Hugh Mostyn Trevor.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
N. C. Barstow.
G. R. Cramond.
Elected by the Ohakune Borough Council—
George James Goldfinch.
Robert John Lyttle.

Onehunga Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
William W. Warnock.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Charles Edward Hankins.
William Charles Kemble.
Elected by the Onehunga Borough Council—
T. R. G. Gilbert.
R. G. Speight.

Otaki Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Poole Brandon.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
A. H. Clerke.
F. G. Cray.
Elected by the Otaki Borough Council—
H. J. Taylor.
E. Irvine.

Pahiatua Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
George Henderson Hodd.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. A. Parton.
J. Wesney.
Elected by the Pahiatua Borough Council—
Jonas David Candy Crewe.
Arthur Watts White.

Palmerston North Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Bett.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
A. Simpson.
W. A. Parton.
Elected by the Palmerston North Borough Council—
Archibald John Graham.
William Lockhart Fitzherbert.

Petone Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Kerr.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
G. C. Edwards.
A. Simpson.
Elected by the Petone Borough Council—
J. W. McEwan.
George Cook.

Port Chalmers Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
Richard Young.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Somerset Bartlett Macdonald.
Maurice Harry Thomas Priest.
Elected by the Port Chalmers Borough Council—
Norman H. Campbell.
John D. Morgan.

Pukekohe Fire Board.

Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Roulston.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Henry Montague Didsbury.
William Graham Bell.
Elected by the Pukekohe Borough Council—
John Routly.
George Testro Parvin.

Rotorua Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Frederick Goodson.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Horace Haines McCullough.
Walter Pavitt.
Elected by the Rotorua Borough Council—
T. McDowell.
L. Woolliams.

Taumarunui Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Charles J. Ryan.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Frank Evans.
Geoffrey Nevill.
Elected by the Taumarunui Borough Council—
G. E. Manson.
J. E. Ward.

Tauranga Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Charles Whiting.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Harold Clay.
Charles Edward Hankins.
Elected by the Tauranga Borough Council—
B. Dive.
T. Bunting.

Te Aroha Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
R. L. Somers.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Wilfrid Skegg.
Harold Vernon Tregear.
Elected by the Te Aroha Borough Council—
Robert Coulter.
Clarence Adolphus Arthur.

Te Awamutu Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Duncan McArthur.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
William Graham Bell.
Geoffrey Nevill.
Elected by the Te Awamutu Borough Council—
Cecil Glass Downes.
Frederick Hugh Vile.

Timaru Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Hole.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Reginald Alington Crozier.
Charlie Shanon Young.
Elected by the Timaru Borough Council—
G. J. Wallace.
W. C. Raymond.

Waihi Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Moorhead.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Wilfrid Skegg.
Harold Vernon Tregear.
Elected by the Waihi Borough Council—
E. Morgan.
S. H. Walmsley.

Waipukurau Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
William George Bryce.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
E. C. Hall.
W. E. Watson.
Elected by the Waipukurau Borough Council—
Ernest Joseph Turner.
Robert McLean.

Wairoa Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
John Scott Black.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. G. Hay.
J. W. F. Norrie.
Elected by the Wairoa Borough Council—
James Corkill.
William Henry Flint.

Waitara Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
T. Taylor.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Augus Stanley Clark.
Alexander Sinclair.
Elected by the Waitara Borough Council—
H. Spurdle.
W. R. Johns.

Wanganui Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Albert Edward Allpress.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
W. A. Parton.
N. C. Barstow.
G. R. Cramond.
Elected by the Wanganui City Council—
William Mace Luxford.
Arthur Henry Rogers.
George Spriggens.

Wellington Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Marcus Marks.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
F. G. Cray.
D. E. Wilkie.
G. J. Reid.
Elected by the Wellington City Council—
C. J. B. Norwood.
H. D. Bennett.
M. M. F. Luckie.

Westport Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
James Scanlon.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
Claude Lionel Green.
Harold George Wiley.
Elected by the Westport Borough Council—
Arthur William Henley.
Henry Adam Sutherland.

Whangarei Fire Board.

- Appointed by the Governor-General—
Hugh Clifford Rishworth.
Elected by the fire-insurance companies—
William Graham Bell.
Robert Hugh Newbold.
Elected by the Whangarei Borough Council—
J. S. Dent.
A. D. Jack.

Trustee of the Harapepe Rabbit District elected.—Notice No. Ag. 2648.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

NOTICE has been received, under the hand of the Returning Officer of the Harapepe Rabbit District, constituted under Part III of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908, that

Michael John Corcoran, Esquire,

has been duly elected a trustee of the said district in lieu of Hugh Henry James Irwin.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

Trustee of the Eastern Pohangina Rabbit District elected.—Notice No. Ag. 2649.

Department of Agriculture,
Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

NOTICE has been received, under the hand of the Returning Officer of the Eastern Pohangina Rabbit District, constituted under Part III of the Rabbit Nuisance Act, 1908, that

John Edward Spelman, Esquire,

has been elected a trustee of the said district, *vice* Douglas Caldwell, resigned.

O. HAWKEN, Minister of Agriculture.

By-laws relating to Westport Harbour.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

IN pursuance and exercise of the powers and authorities conferred upon him by sections nine and two hundred and twenty-six of the Harbours Act, 1923, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby make the following by-laws in respect of the Harbour of Westport; and doth hereby order that such by-laws shall come into force on the first day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, and that they shall then supersede all by-laws theretofore existing in respect of the said harbour.

BY-LAWS.

INTERPRETATION.

1. THE following terms used in these by-laws shall (except where inconsistent with the context) have the meanings here-by given to them, viz. :—

- "The Department" shall mean the Marine Department.
- "Cargo," "goods," shall mean and include all wares, merchandise, and commodities of every description, and all chattels, live-stock, and other articles.
- "Cattle" shall include oxen, horses, sheep, swine, and goats.
- "Harbour," "Port," shall mean the Port of Westport as defined by Order in Council issued on the 8th day of February, 1901.
- "Harbourmaster" shall mean the person appointed to that office by the Marine Department, and shall include his deputy and any person acting under the authority or instructions of the Harbourmaster.
- "Licensed" shall mean licensed by the Department, or by any person authorized by the Department to issue any license.
- "Master" extends to and includes the person, not being a pilot, having the command or charge of a vessel either permanently or for the time being.
- "Owner," when used in relation to a vessel, shall include any person who is the owner of the vessel jointly with any other person or persons; and "persons," for the purpose of the foregoing definition of "owner," shall include a corporation body and joint-stock company.
- "Owner," when used in relation to goods, includes any consignor, consignee, shipper, or agent for sale or custody of such goods, as well as the owner thereof.
- "Pilot" shall mean any person duly licensed and appointed by the Department to act as a pilot for the Port of Westport.
- "Secretary-Manager" shall mean the Secretary-Manager for the time being to the Westport Harbour, or any person acting for him under the authority of the Department.
- "Ship" or "vessel" includes every description of vessel, whether used in navigation or in any way kept or used as a hulk or storeship, or for any other purpose, and not propelled exclusively by oars.
- "Steamer," "steamship," shall include sailing-vessels using auxiliary power for the purpose of propulsion.
- "Tidal land" shall mean 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.
- "Tidal water" means any part of the sea or of a river within the ebb and flow of the tide at ordinary spring tides.
- "Tons," "tonnage," and words of like import having reference to a vessel's tonnage, shall mean or refer to the net register number of tons or tonnage.
- "Wharf" shall mean and include all wharves, quays, piers, jetties, and premises in or on which passengers or goods may be taken on board of or landed from ships or vessels.
- "Week," "day," "hour," shall be taken to mean and include a portion of a week, day, or hour when a whole week, day, or hour has not been required or used.

SHIPS.

2. Steamships about to pass any dredging machine, whether at work or merely moored in the harbour, or any public

work in progress, or any vessel being towed, must slow their engines at such a distance before approaching such dredge, work, or vessel as to obviate damage to such dredge, work, or vessel.

3. Vessels occupying berths for the purpose of loading or after being loaded shall, when required by the Harbourmaster so to do, vacate their berths for vessels wishing to discharge.

4. The Harbourmaster shall have absolute discretion in the allotment of berths to vessels coming to the port: Provided, however, that the right of vessels to berths for unloading and loading shall, as between vessels entering on the same tide, and, other things being equal, be determined according to the following rules:—

- (a.) Passenger vessels shall take precedence over cargo vessels.
- (b.) Steamships shall take precedence over sailing-vessels.
- (c.) As between vessels of the same class priority of arrival in the roadstead, and not priority of arrival at the wharf, shall give precedence over other vessels of that class.

5. No master or other person having command or charge of any vessel shall allow any steam-whistle, siren, or fog-horn on board the vessel to be sounded in the harbour except for navigation purposes, and except also that on days other than Sundays vessels employed in carrying passengers may sound their steam-whistles, sirens, or fog-horns in the usual way to indicate their impending departure.

6. In the event of a fire happening on any vessel or on any wharf, or in any store, shed, or building adjacent to any vessel, the Department may, by any of its officers, take such steps as may be deemed advisable to extinguish or reduce such fire, and the Department shall not be responsible for any damage done to such vessel, its cargo, or otherwise in consequence of any action so taken.

7. No master shall permit any shoot to remain on his vessel in such a position or condition that it could be possibly used for the discharge of ashes, galley, or other refuse into the harbour or on to the wharf.

8. If any cargo or other material is, by accident or otherwise, dropped or let fall overboard, the person or persons present at the time shall forthwith report the same to the Harbourmaster, and the Harbourmaster shall be at liberty to take such steps as may seem to him advisable to recover and land such cargo or other material; and all expenses of such recovery and landing shall be a debt due to the Department from the owner, agent, and master of the vessel out of which such goods were being landed, or into which they were being shipped, or from any person responsible for letting such goods drop or fall overboard.

9. No ballast, rubbish, gravel, earth, stones, cinders, cases, oil-tins, or any other substance or thing shall be thrown or permitted to be thrown overboard from any vessel or boat within the limits of the harbour, and no ballast, rubbish, gravel, earth, stones, cinders, cases, oil-tins, or other substance or anything whatsoever, whether soluble or insoluble, is to be placed by any means at any place below the high-water mark within the harbour or on any lands in which the Department has any estate or interest, without the written permission of the Department. Any person who commits a breach of this by-law shall, in addition to incurring a penalty, be liable to pay the expenses of the removal of such substance or thing to whatever place the Harbourmaster or Secretary shall deem fit.

10. The Department takes no charge of or responsibility over vessels or boats lying within the harbour. Their security and safety, whether at anchor or moored alongside of any wharf, pier, or jetty, or at any mooring buoy or dolphin, are at the risk of the owners, and the Department will in no case be answerable for any damage to vessels from any cause whatever.

11. No instruction or direction given by the Harbourmaster to the master of any vessel, and no act performed by the Harbourmaster in respect to any vessel, shall place any responsibility for the security or safety of any such vessel upon the Department.

12. All masters and owners of vessels shall, when so required, attend at the harbour office and shall answer such questions with respect to any casualty or accident to any person, ship, vessel, or boat, and produce such books, papers, or documents as may be considered necessary.

WHARVES AND GOODS.

13. No person shall hold any auction sale, sell, or expose for sale any goods on any land or wharf under the control of the Department without the consent of the Harbourmaster, and no sorting, bulking, or packing of timber or other goods, or screening of coal, will be permitted on any land or wharf under the control of the Department without the like consent.

14. No goods or other articles shall be put in or on any wharf under the control of the Department so as to be an impediment to the approaches or an obstacle to the removal of other goods from such wharf.

15. All goods and cattle placed on any wharf under the control of the Department or in any yard under such control shall be at the owner's risk.

16. The Harbourmaster, when he shall deem it necessary for the convenience of the loading and unloading of vessels, or for the better regulating of the traffic, or for any other purpose authorized by the Department, may block off, fence, or otherwise stop from being used as a thoroughfare any portion or portions of the wharves under the control of the Department.

17. Masters of vessels lying alongside any wharf under the control of the Department shall be responsible for all damage caused to all goods lying on such wharf by water used for washing-down decks or for any other purpose upon such vessels.

18. The master of every vessel lying alongside any wharf under the control of the Department shall have closed for use, or shall have properly screened and protected in a manner to be approved by the Harbourmaster, all openings out of which water, steam, or other fluid is liable to be discharged, so as to ensure that such water, steam, or other fluid shall not fall on or wet the deck of such wharf.

19. Proper and sufficient save-alls or nets, in good order, shall at all times be provided and securely fastened by vessels between such vessels and wharves to the satisfaction of the Harbourmaster when passengers or cargo are being landed or shipped.

TOWAGE CHARGES.

20. The following shall be the towage charges:—

	£	s.	d.
(a.) For towing steamers of 2,000 tons net register and over in or out of the Port of Westport	20	0	0
(b.) For towing steamers of less than 2,000 tons net register, but not less than 1,500 tons, in or out of the Port of Westport	17	10	0
(c.) For towing steamers of less than 1,500 tons net register, but not less than 1,000 tons, in or out of the Port of Westport	15	0	0
(d.) For towing steamers of less than 1,000 tons net register, but not less than 800 tons, in or out of the Port of Westport	12	10	0
(e.) For towing steamers of less than 800 tons net register in or out of the Port of Westport	10	0	0
(f.) For towing sailing-vessels (including sailing-vessels with auxiliary engines) in or out of the Port of Westport, 9d. per ton on the net registered tonnage: Provided that the charge per vessel shall not exceed £20 or be less than £7 10s. for each towage in or out.			
(g.) For the use of the tug when shifting any vessel from one part of the harbour to any other part of the harbour, 1d. per ton on the net registered tonnage, with a minimum charge of £5 if steam specially raised for the service, or £2 if tug already under steam.			
(h.) For specially sounding the bar at the request of the master, agent, or owner of any vessel which does not immediately after such soundings are taken use the tug, the sum of £3.			

All the foregoing charges for towage and services of the tug (including minimum and maximum charges) to be subject to 25 per cent. increase for services on Sundays and public holidays.

21. When the steam-tug belonging to the Department is required to perform any work not specified in the foregoing scale the Harbourmaster or, in his absence, the master of the tug shall have power to make a special agreement for the same, and also to make any agreement as to the remuneration for attending on vessels in distress or cast or run ashore.

22. Applications for outward towage shall be made in writing on the prescribed form to the Harbourmaster, or to the master of the tug before the services of the tug shall be required, and no deduction shall be made from the charge if the tug shall be prevented from towing the vessel through the action of the person in charge of the vessel to be towed, or for any other reason for which the tug is not responsible.

23. The outward-towage work shall be taken in the order of the application and the inward-towage work shall be undertaken according to the priority of arrival in the roadstead, subject in both cases, however, to the state of the tide and weather; and the order may also be varied in the absolute discretion of the Harbourmaster if from any reason he deems it necessary to do so, and the Department shall not be liable for any loss arising from any such variation of the order of towage, or delay in performing towage or inability to provide towage power.

24. On the hiring of the Department steam-tug for towage services the master or other person in charge and the crew thereof become the servants of and identified with the ship which is being towed, and this whether or not the master of the tug acts as pilot in charge of the ship which is being towed; the Department undertaking only to provide the motive power; and the Department will not be responsible for any damage or loss that may arise to ship or cargo, nor for any damage caused by the defect in or accident happening to the machinery of the steam-tug, or to the towing-gear, or by any peril of the seas, river, or navigation, or otherwise.

25. The foregoing scale of towage rates shall not prejudice any claim the Department may have to salvage remuneration for any extraordinary services that may be rendered to ship or cargo, or arising out of any circumstances not existing or contemplated at the time of making the ordinary application for the use of the tug.

26. The ordinary towage scale is not to apply to salvage services, or to claims for or in the nature of salvage.

27. All towage charges shall be due and payable when the application for the services of the tug is made, and are paid to the Secretary-Manager, and failing payment having been made the Harbourmaster or master of the steam-tug may require payment before the performance of the services is required. Should the services of the tug not be required after any application for the service shall have been made the person or persons so applying shall not be entitled to any rebate on or refund of any such charges on account thereof, but shall be liable for the same as if the service required had been duly rendered.

28. On a vessel being signalled the tug will, at the discretion of the Harbourmaster, immediately proceed out to her; the master of the tug is authorized to make a fair additional charge for towing vessels from or to any point beyond three miles from the signal-station.

29. If at any time the Department decides to use its steam dredge for towage all the foregoing provisions relating to the Department's steam-tug shall relate, *mutatis mutandis*, to the Department's steam-dredge.

30. The Department may make arrangements for any steamer or steamers to perform towage services, and all the foregoing provisions relating to the Department's steam-tug shall relate, *mutatis mutandis*, to any such steamer or steamers, it being distinctly understood that the Department shall not incur any liability whatsoever for any wrongful act, neglect, or default of the master or crew of such steam-dredge or steamer performing towage services or of the Harbourmaster or other servant of the Department, nor for any damage caused by defect in, or accident to, the machinery of such steam-dredge, steamer, or steamers, or to the towing-gear, or by any peril of the seas, river, or navigation, or otherwise.

WARPS.

31. Vessels at the wharves will be charged £2 per warp per trip for the use of the warps. Vessels not at the wharves, supplied with warps or other appliances, will be charged for the same not exceeding £2 for each rope supplied, at the discretion of the Harbourmaster. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to lay upon the Department any obligation to keep on hand, procure, or supply warps.

SWINGING WIRES.

32. Vessels requiring the use of a swinging wire will be charged £2 per wire per trip. Nothing herein contained shall be deemed to lay upon the Department any obligation to keep on hand, procure, or supply swinging wires.

PILOTS AND PILOTAGE.

33. The Department hereby declares that the display of harbour beacons and of the other shore signals (including signals of every description from the signal-station at Westport) for the time being used for the purpose of aiding and directing vessels entering or going out of the port shall be deemed to be pilot service, and the following shall be the rates paid to the Department for such pilot service (hereinafter called "ordinary pilotage") :—

For every vessel inwards the sum of 1d. per ton net register, and for every vessel outwards the same charge. If in any case the Harbourmaster considers a vessel cannot safely enter or leave the port without a pilot, or that for other reasons a pilot should board her, or if the owner, master, or agent of any vessel apply to the Harbourmaster for a pilot (in any of which cases the service to be rendered is hereinafter called "special pilotage") the charge shall be as follows :—

For every sailing-vessel the sum of 6d. per ton inward, and the same sum outward.

For every steam-vessel the sum of 4d. per ton inward, and the same sum outward.

The master, agent, and owner of any vessel shall be jointly and severally liable for all the aforesaid charges, which shall be paid to the Department. The charges for special pilotage shall be paid whether special pilotage services have been actually rendered or not in all cases where the master, agent, or owner of a vessel has applied for a pilot. All outward-pilotage rates shall be paid either before or at the time of making the application, if the application for a pilot shall be made by the owner, master, or agent of the vessel. The charges for ordinary pilotage and special pilotage shall not both be made in respect of the same entry or the same departure of a vessel to or from the port. Any vessel arriving for bunker coal only—i.e., coal to be used in the ship on her voyage and for no other purpose—will, on a declaration to this effect being given to the Harbourmaster by the master of the vessel, be charged half pilotage rates.

34. Pilotage is compulsory.

35. Every pilot shall duly train in the duties of a pilot any apprentice who may from time to time be appointed to him.

36. Each pilot shall be stationed at such place within the limits of his license as the Department may from time to time direct, and shall obey the orders of the Harbourmaster at all times, and no pilot shall absent himself from his station, unless on duty, without permission from the Harbourmaster.

37. Every pilot engaged on special pilotage service shall offer his services to the inward-bound ship nearest to him having a pilot signal flying, unless another ship shall be observed running into danger, in which case every exertion shall be made to board and assist the latter ship. Except in cases of emergency as aforesaid, preference shall be given to His Majesty's ships and mail-packets regularly employed in the postal service.

38. Every pilot shall carry his license with him, and shall produce it to the master of any ship boarded by him on its being demanded.

39. No master of any ship shall employ any other than a duly appointed pilot unless he has first exhibited the signal for a pilot, and a duly appointed pilot has not offered his services within a reasonable time.

40. When vessels are not in the charge of pilots performing special pilotage services, such vessels will, if the Harbourmaster considers it necessary, be piloted through the navigable channel by means of the semaphore attached to the signal flagstaff. The vessel is to be steered in the direction towards which the semaphore-arm is pointed. When the semaphore-arm is dropped the vessel is to be kept steady as she goes. No charge other than the ordinary pilotage charges will be made for the pilotage services mentioned in this by-law.

41. Pilots shall by every means in their power aid and assist ships in distress.

42. The master, agent, or owner of any ship requiring a pilot to conduct her to sea must make application in writing at least twenty-four hours previously at the Harbourmaster's office.

43. Pilots shall take vessels in or out on Sundays if required.

44. No pilot shall in any case conduct a vessel to sea until she has been regularly cleared at the Custom House and Harbour Office; and in proof of this the master shall be bound to show his clearance to the pilot if asked, and no pilot shall be bound to take a vessel to sea without seeing such clearance.

45. When a pilot is detained on board a ship longer than forty-eight hours, whether by stress of weather, quarantine, or otherwise, £1 per day shall be paid, in addition to the regular pilotage, for the first three days of such detention, commencing from the expiration of the aforesaid period of forty-eight hours, and 15s. per day as aforesaid for the remainder of such detention so long as the pilot is absent from his station; and if the said pilot has been carried to a distance, the master, owner, or agent of the ship shall further pay for his travelling-expenses in returning to his station.

46. The master of any vessel having any complaint against any pilot must report the same in writing to the Department, otherwise such complaint will not be recognized; and all complaints by any pilot or other persons connected with the harbour service shall be made in writing to the Harbourmaster, who shall forthwith forward the same to the Secretary-Manager.

47. Should any casualty occur to a vessel whilst in charge of a pilot, such pilot shall immediately report the same in writing to the Harbourmaster, stating the nature and the cause of the accident and the amount of damage (if any) apparently sustained by the vessel, and all other matters relating to the pilotage and casualty. If such casualty shall happen to any outward vessel, the pilot shall, before leaving such vessel, demand from its master a written statement concerning the casualty and the conduct and proceedings of the pilot, and such statement shall be given to the Harbourmaster. If such casualty shall happen to an

inward-bound vessel, its master shall, as soon as he conveniently can, report the same in writing, with full particulars, to the Harbourmaster.

48. The Harbourmaster shall, on receiving reports from pilots, make inquiries of the masters or officers in charge of vessels as to the correctness of the information conveyed in the pilot's report, and attach thereto any remarks he may deem applicable to each case.

49. All pilots shall answer in writing (if required) all questions put to them by the Harbourmaster, and afford every information in their power respecting the grounding, collision, or injury to the vessels.

50. The pilot, master, or other person in charge of any vessel entering, departing from, or moving within the port shall, by every means in his power, consistent with the safety of such vessel, assist every duly authorized public officer in boarding or leaving such vessel, and no person on board such vessel shall interfere with or obstruct any Government officer or pilot whilst carrying out his duties.

51. If any pilot shall be guilty of any of the offences mentioned in sections 222 and 223 of the Harbours Act, 1923, or shall fail, refuse, or neglect to do anything required by these by-laws, he shall, in addition to all the penalties and liabilities prescribed by the Harbours Act, 1923, and by these by-laws, be liable, in the discretion of the Department, to dismissal or suspension from his appointment and to have his license as a pilot withdrawn or suspended, as the Department may direct. When the Harbourmaster or his deputy acts as pilot in bringing in vessels and taking them out to sea he shall exercise every care and precaution, but the Department shall not be responsible for casualties that may occur to the vessel while under the charge of the pilot in such case.

52. For each time a vessel is berthed alongside a wharf, or alongside another vessel which is itself berthed alongside a wharf, the following berthage charges shall be paid by the master, agent, or owner of such vessel on demand to the Department's collector of dues:—

- (a.) For the first fifty-one hours, per ton net register, 3d.
- (b.) For each additional twenty-five hours after the first fifty-one hours, per ton net register, 1d.
- (c.) For each twenty-five hours after the first 101 hours on which (weather permitting) cargo or ballast is not loaded or unloaded continuously during the usual working hours prevailing on the Westport Wharf, but not including the twenty-five hours' period on which discharging or loading is completed, per ton net register, in addition to the charge under paragraph (b) of this by-law, 1d.
- (d.) Any vessel arriving within the port for the purpose of taking on board bunker coal for consumption on board such vessel, and for no other purpose, shall, on a declaration to this effect being made by the master of the vessel, be charged half berthage rates.
- (e.) Minimum berthage charge, 10s.

53. The Harbourmaster shall be the sole judge as to whether the weather permits of the loading or unloading of cargo or ballast under the last preceding by-law, and no exemption from payment shall be claimed on the grounds that no cargo or ballast is available, that insufficient labourers or trucks are available, or on any other grounds whatever, save only that the weather does not permit of loading or unloading. Sundays or statutory holidays shall be absolutely excluded in computing the period for which, and the rate at which berthage charges are payable, if no cargo or ballast is loaded or unloaded on any such days.

54. Vessels bar bound or required to remain in port through stress of weather shall, if no cargo or ballast is loaded or unloaded, be free from the charges under paragraphs (b) and (c) of By-law No. 52, during the period of detention.

55. If a ship is ready to sail, and by order of the Harbourmaster is prevented from leaving within the periods as shown in By-law No. 52, the charges under paragraphs (b) or (c) of that by-law shall not be made for the period so detained.

CRANAGE.

56. The charges for the use of any steam-crane belonging to the Department shall be as follows:—

Without crane-driver, 5s. per hour or part of an hour during which the crane is actually used, with a minimum charge of 10s.

With crane-driver, 7s. 6d. per hour or part of an hour during which the crane is actually used, with a minimum charge of 15s.

Without limiting the meaning of the words "actually used," the crane shall be deemed to be actually used—(a) From the time the work starts for the purpose of getting up steam, and (b), during the time such crane is being moved towards the place it is required by the hirer, and from such place to the

place where the Department requires it to be redelivered by the hirer. If the Department supplies a crane-driver the Department shall not incur any liability whatsoever for any damage caused by any patent or latent defect in such crane.

GENERAL.

57. A copy of these by-laws shall be delivered by the boarding pilot or Harbourmaster to the master of any vessel entering the harbour, and such master shall give a receipt for the same if called upon to do so: Provided, however, that it shall not be necessary in any case to issue a second copy of the by-laws to the master of the same vessel, except on the demand of such master, and in such case only on the payment of a fee of one shilling, to be accounted for by the Harbourmaster or boarding officer.

58. Every complaint made by any person not in the service of the Department against any officer or servant of the Department shall be made in writing and addressed to the Secretary-Manager, who shall forthwith forward a copy of the complaint to the officer or servant complained of. In the case of every such complaint the Secretary-Manager will make a preliminary inquiry into the circumstances and report to the Minister for Marine.

59. In case of accident of whatever kind the Harbourmaster or other officer of the Department present or available may order such steps to be taken as he may deem necessary and charge the cost of the same to the party or parties interested.

60. No person shall disobey the orders of the Harbourmaster when acting in the performance of his duty.

61. No ballast, rock, stone, slate, shingle, gravel, sand, earth, cinders, rubbish, driftwood, or other substance or thing shall be taken away from any tidal land or tidal water or from the seashore below high-water mark in any part of the harbour without the written permission of the Harbourmaster or from any other land vested in the Department for any estate whatsoever or under the Department's control, without the permission of the Secretary-Manager.

62. No person shall remove or displace the rocks, stones, or material of any breakwater, training-wall, or structure within the harbour.

63. No person shall put down or injure any board put up for the purpose of publishing any by-laws, regulations, notice, or penalty, or obliterate any of the letters, marks, or figures thereon.

64. No person shall interfere with any life-saving gear, boat-hook, drag, grapnel, life-buoys, or other apparatus placed within the port and intended to be used for the purpose of saving life from drowning unless such interference is for the purpose of saving life, or by the police in dragging for drowned persons. No person shall trespass on or be on or in any dredge or tug-boat belonging to the Department without the authority from the Department. Should any servant of the Department divulge to any person not in the service of the Department, any information of a confidential nature, he shall be dismissed from the service of the Department.

65. Nothing contained in these by-laws shall be deemed to apply to any ship, vessel, or other property of His Majesty or to any ship of war belonging to any foreign nation.

66. All by-laws and regulations heretofore enforced for and within the limits of the Harbour of Westport are hereby repealed, provided always that the General Harbour Regulations Schedule "A" shall apply and be enforced.

PENALTIES.

67. If any person fails or refuses or neglects to do anything required by the foregoing by-laws to be done, observed, or performed, or in any matter obstructs, impedes, or interferes with the doing of anything enjoined, required, or authorized to be done, or wilfully does anything prohibited by the foregoing by-laws, every such person in each and every case so offending shall be liable to a penalty of twenty pounds (£20).

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

Licensing Eric George Alexander Gray to use and occupy a Part of the Foreshore and Land below Low-water Mark at Horeke, in Hokianga Harbour, as a Site for a Motor-garage.

CHARLES FERGUSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned under the

Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), Eric George Alexander Gray, of Horeke (who, with his executors, administrators, and assigns, is hereinafter called "the licensee"), has applied to the Governor-General in Council for a license under the said Act to use and occupy a part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark at Horeke, in the Hokianga Harbour, in order to erect and maintain a motor-garage thereon; and, in accordance with the one-hundred-and-seventy-first section of the said Act, has deposited plans in the office of the Marine Department at Wellington (marked M.D. 6326), showing the area of foreshore and land below low-water mark intended to be occupied, and the manner in which it is proposed to erect the said motor-garage:

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

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

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority 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 and land below low-water mark on which the said motor-garage is to be erected, as shown, numbered five, on the plan M.D. 6326, so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining the said motor-garage, such license to be held and enjoyed by the licensee upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in the Schedule hereto.

SCHEDULE.

1. IN these conditions the term—

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

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

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

2. The concessions and privileges conferred by this Order in Council shall extend and apply only to that part of the foreshore and land below low-water mark necessary for the erection of the said motor-garage, as shown on the plan marked M.D. 6326, 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 pay to the Minister the sum of £2 10s., and thereafter an annual sum of £5 in advance, payable on the 1st day of April each year, the proportionate part of such rental in respect of the period from the date hereof until the 31st March following to be paid on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this Order in Council.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

11. In case the licensee shall—

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

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

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

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

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

Licensing Edward Fullerton Dorman, of Wellington, to occupy a Part of the Foreshore near Happy Valley, Cook Strait, for the Purpose of taking Shingle and Sand.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, there being no Harbour Board empowered to grant the license hereinafter mentioned, Edward Fullerton Dorman, Wellington (who, with his executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, is 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 Happy Valley, Cook Strait, for the purpose of taking away the shingle and sand 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. 5913) showing the area, edged red, 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, edged red, on the plan so deposited as aforesaid, for the purpose of taking away the shingle and sand 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 rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this license shall include the sole right to remove shingle and sand from the hereinbefore-described foreshore, and they shall continue in force for a period of fourteen years from the 1st day of April, 1927, unless in the meantime they are modified or revoked by competent authority. The licensee shall not assign, charge, or part with such rights, powers, or privileges without the consent in writing of the Minister of Marine first obtained.

3. In consideration of the concessions and privileges granted by this license, the licensee shall pay to the Minister the sum of twelve pounds ten shillings (£12 10s.) per half-year, to be applied as hereinafter provided, the first payment to be made on the licensee being supplied with a copy of this license, and thereafter on the first days of April and September in each year.

4. The royalty payable by the licensee in consideration of the concessions and privileges hereby granted shall be at the rate of one shilling (1s.) per yard on all shingle and sand, irrespective from where it is taken. If in any period for which this license is granted the licensee fails to remove any shingle or sand, the deposit hereinbefore referred to shall be appropriated by the Minister as flat rent in respect of that period; but if during any such period the licensee removes any shingle or sand the said deposit shall, in proportion to the amount of shingle or sand 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 period shall be twelve pounds ten shillings (£12 10s.). All such payments shall be made to the Secretary of the Marine Department at Wellington, or such other person as the Minister may direct.

5. The licensee shall enter the quantities of shingle and sand taken in a book kept for that purpose, and shall produce the said book to the Secretary of Marine when making payment and at such other time as required. In the event of failure to correctly record all shingle and sand removed, the licensee shall be liable to infliction of a penalty of twenty-five pounds (£25) in addition to revocation of the license as hereinafter provided.

6. Shingle and sand shall be taken in such manner as not to cause damage to the road or roadway along the foreshore, and the public shall have the right of road or way along the foreshore.

7. The Minister may at any time require the licensee to discontinue the taking of shingle and/or sand from any part of the foreshore included in this license, and may regulate the taking of it so as to prevent damage to the foreshore, and the licensee shall, without delay, comply with such requisition or regulation.

8. The licensee shall not commit or suffer to be committed any unnecessary waste or damage in or upon the said foreshore and premises or any part thereof in exercise of the powers and privileges hereby granted.

9. In case the licensee shall—

- (1) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions herein 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; or,
- (3) Fail to pay the sums specified in clauses 3 and/or 4;
- (4) Remove any sand or shingle in such manner as to cause or be likely to cause damage to the foreshore—

then, and in any such case, this Order in Council, and every license, right, power, or privilege thereby conferred, may be revoked and determined by the Governor-General in Council without any notice to the licensee or other proceedings whatsoever; and publication in the *New Zealand Gazette* of

an Order in Council containing such revocation, shall be sufficient notice to the 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 hereinbefore mentioned shall by sufficient evidence of the acceptance by the licensee of the terms and conditions of this Order in Council.

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

Vesting the Management of Waitapu Wharf in the Takaka County Council and prescribing Dues.

CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

At the Government House at Wellington, this 13th day of April, 1927.

Present :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by Order in Council dated the fifth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and published in the *New Zealand Gazette* No. 21, of the tenth day of the same month, the management of the wharf at Waitapu was vested in the Takaka County Council (who with its successors and assigns is hereafter referred to as "the Council") for a period of fourteen years from the fifth day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and dues and rates were prescribed for the use of the said wharf :

And whereas the said license has expired and the said Council has made application for a fresh license under the Harbours Act, 1923 (hereinafter called "the said Act"), for a further term of fourteen years, computed from the expiry of the term of the said last-mentioned license, and it is expedient to grant the same for the term and subject to the conditions herein-after expressed :

Now, therefore, His Excellency the Governor-General of the Dominion of New Zealand, in pursuance and exercise of the power and authority vested in him by the said Act, and of all other powers and authorities enabling him in that behalf, and acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council of the said Dominion, doth hereby approve of the purpose or object for which the said license is required by the Council as aforesaid ; and, in further pursuance and exercise of the said power and authority, and by and with the like advice and consent as aforesaid, doth hereby license and permit the Council to use and occupy that part of the foreshore, and of the land below low-water mark immediately contiguous thereto, for the purpose of using the wharf aforesaid in connection therewith, such license to be held and enjoyed by the Council upon and subject to the terms and conditions set out in the First Schedule hereto, and doth prescribe that the dues and rates set forth in the Second Schedule hereto shall be charged and taken by the Council for the use of the said wharf.

FIRST SCHEDULE.

CONDITIONS OF MANAGEMENT.

1. IN these conditions the terms—

"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 and land below low-water mark adjacent thereto necessary for the maintenance of the said wharf.

3. All His Majesty's subjects shall at all reasonable times, and upon payment of the proper dues, have free and full liberty to use the above-mentioned wharf, and rights of ingress and egress thereto and therefrom.

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

5. The Council shall maintain and keep the above-mentioned wharf and all erections on or in connection with the wharf in

good order and repair ; and shall at all times exhibit therefrom and maintain at the Council's own cost, suitable and necessary lights for the guidance of vessels : provided that no new light shall be exhibited until after it has been approved by the Minister :

6. All dues and rates received on account of the said wharf by the said Council shall be applied to keeping the said wharf and all erections on or in connection with such wharf in good order and repair.

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

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

9. The Council shall not erect, or suffer to be erected, on the said wharf any building or structure whatever, except with the consent of the Minister.

10. The Council shall keep a separate account of the receipts and expenditure on account of such wharf and premises, and shall cause such account to be balanced on the 31st day of March in every year, and shall send a copy of such account when balanced to the Minister, and shall supply any particulars in reference thereto as may be required by the Minister.

11. The Council shall appoint all officers necessary for the working and management of the said wharf.

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

13. The rights, powers, and privileges hereby conferred shall continue in force for fourteen years, computed from the 5th day of March, 1924, unless in the meantime such rights, powers, and privileges shall be altered, modified, or revoked by competent authority ; and the Council shall not assign, charge, or part with any such right, power, or privilege without the previous written consent of the Minister first obtained.

14. The rights, powers, and privileges conferred under or by virtue of this Order in Council may be at any time resumed by the Governor-General without payment of any compensation whatever, on giving to the Council three calendar months' previous notice in writing. Any such notice shall be sufficient if given by the Minister and delivered at or posted to the last known address of the Council in New Zealand.

15. The Council shall be liable for any injury which may be caused at the said wharf to any vessel or boat through any default or neglect on the part of the Council.

16. In case the Council shall—

- (1.) Commit or suffer a breach of the conditions hereinbefore set forth, or any of them ; or
- (2.) Cease to use or occupy the said wharf for a period of thirty consecutive days ;

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

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

SECOND SCHEDULE.

	s.	d.
MOTOR-CAR, each	2	6
Motor-cycle and chair, each	1	0
Motor-cycle, each	0	6
Four-wheeler, heavy, each	2	6
„ light, each	2	0

Two-wheeler, heavy, each	s. d.	1 6
" light, each		1 6
Drays, each		2 0
Spring drays, each		2 0
Hay-rake, complete, each		2 6
Ploughs, complete, each		0 6
Harrows, complete, each		0 6
Disc plough or double-furrow plough, each		0 9
Cultivator or drill, each		2 0
Chaff, per ton (20 sacks per ton)		1 0
Flax, per ton of 35 bundles		1 0
Sawn timber, per 1,000 ft., with right to remain on wharf six weeks		1 6
Sawn timber, per 1,000 ft., after first six weeks, for every week or part of a week		1 0
Bricks, per 1,000, per week or part of a week		2 6
" per 500, per week or part of a week		1 6
" minimum charge up to 100		1 0
Sheep—		
Rams, not exceeding one		0 6
Rams, exceeding one, each		0 3
All other sheep, not exceeding twenty, each		0 2
Pigs and calves, not exceeding ten, each		0 2
Cattle, not exceeding ten, each		1 6
" exceeding ten, each		1 0
Horses, each		2 6
Hides, each		0 2
Sheep-skins, large bundle, each		1 0
" medium bundle, each		0 9
" small bundle, each		0 6
All goods up to 5 cubic feet		0 6
All goods over 5 cubic feet and up to half a ton by weight or measurement		1 0
All goods over half a ton and up to one ton in weight or measurement		2 0
Firewood, per cord, with right to remain on wharf two weeks		1 0
Firewood, per cord, after first two weeks, for every week or part of a week		0 9
Posts and rails, per 100		2 0
Palings, per 1,000		2 0
Shingles, per 1,000		1 0
Hop-poles, per 1,000		1 0
Piles, up to 12 in. in diameter, per 100 lineal feet		1 0
" over 12 in. in diameter, per 100 lineal feet		1 6
Wool, per bale		1 3
" per bale, dumps		0 6
Hops and flax, per bale		1 3
Coal, lime, and stone for export, per ton or part of a ton (Unslaked lime will not be allowed to remain on the wharf longer than one week in any case, and the consignees will be liable for any damage caused through its slaking.)		1 0
Bicycles, each		0 3
Passengers' luggage, not exceeding 100 pounds	Free.	
Empties, to be charged half rates	Half rates.	

Storage.

Per ton, or part of a ton (in closed goods-shed), for first week or part of a week	1 0
Per ton, or part of a ton (in closed goods-shed), after the first week, for every week or part of a week	1 6
Bicycles, per week or part of a week, each	0 6

(Goods left in the open shed may remain three days without being liable for storage charges, after that time half rates will be charged, but offensive manures shall be liable for storage after twelve working-hours and double-rates after three days. All goods not requiring storage may be allowed to remain on the wharf one week, but the Council will incur no responsibility for any goods left in the open shed or on the wharf.)

Empties to be charged at half rates. Half rates.
Benzine, kerosene, or other dangerous or inflammable goods shall be removed within twelve working-hours from the time of landing.

Transhipments.

Wharfage, per ton or part of a ton	1 0
Storage for first three days	Free.
" after first three days	1 0

Labour.

Labour, if required, per ton	0 6
" " if less than half a ton	0 3

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

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Notice of Intention to take Land in Block XIV, Momahaki Survey District, for the Purposes of a Road.

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

SCHEDULE.

APPROXIMATE areas of the pieces of land required to be taken:—

A. R.	P.	Being
2 0	28·2	Part Sub. 1B No. 2B, Piraunui Block.
0 0	0·1	" " "

Situated in Block XIV, Momahaki Survey District. (S.O. 1813.)

All in the Wellington Land District; as the same are more particularly delineated on the plan marked P.W.D. 67298, deposited in the office of the Minister of Public Works at Wellington, in the Wellington Land District, and thereon coloured purple.

As witness my hand, at Wellington, this 6th day of April, 1927.

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.
(P.W. 38/9/1.)

Results of Elections of Members of River Boards.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 12th April, 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.

Wakanui River District, County of Ashburton—

- W. Doak.
- F. Frampton.
- C. Frampton.
- T. Leddy.
- T. A. Protheroe.

Tokomairiro River District, County of Bruce—

- Milton Borough Subdivision—
- George Dabinett.
- Robert McLeod.
- Alexander Rennie.
- Bruce County Subdivision—
- Robert Clark.
- John Allison.
- Andrew Tweed.
- Richard Harvey Michelle.

Matau River District, County of Bruce—

- Joseph Smith.
- P. McKimming.
- Wm. Smith.
- M. Tosh.
- R. Penman.
- C. Weir.
- W. Wilson.

Result of Election of Members of a River District.

Department of Internal Affairs,
Wellington, 6th April, 1927.

THE following result of election of members of the Hutt River District has been received from the Returning Officer, and is published in accordance with the provisions of the River Boards Amendment Act, 1913.

G. P. NEWTON, Assistant Under-Secretary.

Hutt River District, County of Hutt—

- Cecil Gostelow.
- Job Charles Mabey.
- John Mitchell.
- Walter Harold Smith.
- William Thomas Strand.

Vital Statistics of Urban Areas.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of March, 1927:—

	Population: Census of 1926, 20th April, 1926.	Total Births registered, March, 1927.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN MARCH, 1927.									Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, March, 1927.
				Males.			Females.			Total Deaths.			
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.				
Auckland	192,176	322	1.68	7	1	77	7	1	46	139	0.72		
Wellington	121,324	202	1.66	3	..	37	5	..	37	82	0.68		
Christchurch	118,408	194	1.64	5	..	44	..	..	44	93	0.79
Dunedin	85,103	140	1.65	2	..	25	1	..	28	56	0.66		
Hamilton	16,070	38	2.36	1	..	1	2	1	6	11	0.68		
Gisborne	14,834	36	2.43	1	..	5	..	..	5	11	0.74
Napier	17,933	27	1.41	1	1	10	..	1	3	16	0.89		
Hastings	14,638	29	1.98	3	..	4	..	..	5	12	0.82
New Plymouth	15,938	32	2.01	..	1	3	..	..	2	6	0.38
Wanganui	26,130	46	1.76	..	..	12	2	..	2	16	0.61
Palmerston North	19,754	36	1.82	..	..	4	1	..	1	6	0.30
Nelson	11,762	27	2.30	1	2	4	..	..	2	9	0.77
Timaru	16,817	26	1.55	1	..	5	..	..	1	7	0.42
Invercargill	21,862	50	2.29	..	..	5	..	1	2	8	0.37
Totals	692,749	1,205	1.74	25	5	236	18	4	184	472	0.68		

The total births registered for the urban areas amounted to 1,205 as against 1,020 in February—an increase of 185. The deaths in March were 472—an increase of 63 as compared with the previous month. Of the total deaths males contributed 266, females 206. Fifty-two of the deaths were of children under five years of age, being 11.02 per cent. of the whole number. Forty-three of these were under one year of age.

The equivalent annual rates per 1,000 of mean population for March, and three months ended March, 1927, were as follows. The infantile mortality rate per 100 births for the same period is also given.

Urban Area.	Equivalent Annual Rates per 1,000 of Population.				Infantile Mortality per 100 Births.	
	Births.		Deaths.		March, 1927.	Three Months, 1927.
	March, 1927.	Three Months, 1927.	March, 1927.	Three Months, 1927.		
Auckland	20.11	19.48	8.68	7.62	4.35	3.74
Wellington	19.98	19.55	8.11	7.62	3.96	3.88
Christchurch	19.66	18.14	9.42	7.97	2.58	3.91
Dunedin	19.74	16.26	7.90	8.23	2.14	3.76
Hamilton	28.38	28.89	8.23	7.22	7.89	7.00
Gisborne	29.12	23.73	8.90	8.36	2.78	4.55
Napier	16.87	16.06	10.71	8.48	3.70	9.72
Hastings	23.77	24.32	9.84	7.38	10.34	6.74
New Plymouth	24.09	22.84	4.52	9.03	..	3.30
Wanganui	21.13	18.83	7.35	6.89	4.35	4.88
Palmerston North	21.87	20.05	3.64	4.86	2.78	2.02
Nelson	27.55	22.79	9.18	8.16	3.70	2.99
Timaru	18.55	19.27	5.02	6.42	3.85	2.47
Invercargill	27.44	25.25	4.39	6.95	..	2.17
All areas, Mar., and three months, 1927	20.88	19.40	8.18	7.66	3.57	3.87
All areas, Mar., and three months, 1926	21.00	19.93	9.00	8.17	3.23	3.50

The following table shows the deaths in various age-groups occurring in the urban areas during the month of March, 1927:—

Age-group.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
	Males.														
Under 5 years	8	3	6	2	1	1	2	3	1	..	..	3	1	..	31
5 and under 10 years .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
10	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
15	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	6
20	5	..	..	4	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
25	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
30	5	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	10
35	8	1	4	1	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	17
40	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
45	3	5	2	1	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	..	..	16
50	7	3	6	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	23
55	4	4	3	2	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	17
60	5	2	1	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	12
65	7	7	3	5	..	..	1	..	2	4	..	..	1	..	30
70	10	5	6	4	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	30
75	7	1	4	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	18
80	3	3	5	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	18
85	5	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12
90	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
95 .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
100 years and over .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals	85	40	49	27	2	6	12	7	4	12	4	7	6	5	266

Age-group.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals
<i>Females.</i>															
Under 5 years ..	8	5	..	1	3	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	22
5 and under 10 years ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
10 " 15 "	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
15 " 20 "	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
20 " 25 "	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
25 " 30 "	3	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
30 " 35 "	1	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
35 " 40 "	3	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
40 " 45 "	5	5	2	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
45 " 50 "	3	4	3	2	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	17
50 " 55 "	3	3	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
55 " 60 "	1	3	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
60 " 65 "	5	1	7	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	19
65 " 70 "	4	1	7	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18
70 " 75 "	5	5	4	3	..	..	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	21
75 " 80 "	4	4	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
80 " 85 "	5	3	3	3	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	19
85 " 90 "	1	2	3	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
90 " 95 "	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
95 " 100 "	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
100 years and over ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals ..	54	42	44	29	9	5	4	5	2	4	2	2	1	3	206
Grand totals ..	139	82	93	56	11	11	16	12	6	16	6	9	7	8	472

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during March, 1927.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
I.—EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES.															
1. Typhoid Fever ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
11. Influenza ..	2	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	10
27. Anthrax ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
31. Tuberculosis of the Respiratory System ..	3	5	2	4	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	18
32. Tuberculosis of the Meninges and Central Nervous System ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
33. Tuberculosis of the Intestines and Peritoneum ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
35. Tuberculosis of the Joints ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
36. Tuberculosis of Other Organs ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals ..	6	7	6	5	..	3	2	1	2	..	1	1	1	..	35
II.—GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED ABOVE.															
43. Cancer of Buccal Cavity ..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
44. " Stomach and Liver ..	5	4	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17
45. " Peritoneum, Intestines, and Rectum ..	7	2	3	3	..	..	1	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	17
46. " Female Genital Organs ..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
47. " Breast ..	..	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6
48. " Skin ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Abdomen ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
49. " Bronchus ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Inguinal Glands ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Kidney ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Neck ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
49. " Oesophagus ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Pancreas ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Pelvis ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
49. " Prostate ..	..	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
49. Cancer (undefined) ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
51. Acute Rheumatic Fever ..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
52. Chronic Rheumatism, Osteoarthritis, Gout ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
57. Diabetes Mellitus ..	4	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	9
58. Anæmia, Chlorosis ..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	6
60. Diseases of Thyroid Gland ..	2	2	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
65. Leucæmia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
68. Chronic Organic Poisoning ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
69. Other General Diseases ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals ..	29	13	20	14	1	2	2	2	3	4	..	2	..	4	96

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during March, 1927—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
III.—DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.															
70. Encephalitis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
71. Meningitis	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
72. Tabes Dorsalis (Locomotor Ataxia)	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
73. Other Diseases of the Spinal Cord .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
74. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy	5	8	10	1	1	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	30
75. Paralysis without Specified Cause .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
78. Epilepsy	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
80. Infantile Convulsions (under 5 years of age)	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
84. Other Diseases of Nervous System	3	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
86. Diseases of the Ear and of the Mastoid Process .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	13	12	13	7	2	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	52
IV.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.															
88. Acute Endocarditis .. .. .	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
89. Angina Pectoris	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
90. Other Diseases of the Heart	22	11	17	7	..	2	3	..	..	3	2	3	3	..	63
91. Diseases of the Arteries	3	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	9
92. Embolism and Thrombosis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	26	13	21	9	..	3	4	1	..	3	2	4	3	..	79
V.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.															
99. Bronchitis	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6
100. Broncho-pneumonia .. .. .	..	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6
101. Pneumonia	3	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	10
103. Congestion and Hæmorrhagic Infarct of the Lung	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
105. Asthma	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
107. Other Diseases of the Respiratory System .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	8	9	2	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	30
VI.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.															
108. Diseases of the Mouth and Annexa	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
109. Diseases of the Pharynx and Tonsils .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
111. Ulcer of the Stomach and Duodenum .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
112. Other Diseases of the Stomach .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 years)	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
114. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (2 years and over) .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
116. Diseases due to other Intestinal Parasites .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
117. Appendicitis	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
118. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
122. Cirrhosis of the Liver	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
123. Biliary Calculi	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
124. Other Diseases of the Liver .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
125. Disease of the Pancreas	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
126. Peritonitis	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Totals	11	6	8	2	4	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	1	35
VII.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.															
129. Chronic Nephritis	5	1	3	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	15
131. Other Diseases of the Kidneys and Annexa	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	7
135. Diseases of the Prostate .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	6
138. Salpingitis and Pelvic Abscess (Female)	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
139. Benign Tumours of the Uterus	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	8	3	7	5	1	..	1	3	..	1	2	..	..	..	31
VIII.—THE PUERPERAL STATE.															
143. Accidents of Pregnancy	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
146. Puerperal Septicæmia	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
147. Puerperal Embolism	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
IX. DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.															
151. Gangrene .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
X.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND OF THE ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.															
155. Diseases of the Bones .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during March, 1927—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
XI.—MALFORMATIONS.															
159. Congenital Heart Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Intestinal Obstruction .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Kidney Deficiency .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Spina Bifida	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Other Congenital Malformation .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	1	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
XII.—EARLY INFANCY.															
160. Congenital Debility, &c.	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
161. Injury at Birth	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
161A. Premature Birth	1	1	3	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	10
162. Other Diseases Peculiar to Early Infancy	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
Totals	8	2	4	2	..	1	1	3	..	2	..	..	1	..	24
XIII.—OLD AGE.															
164. Senility	10	6	7	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	28
XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.															
165. Suicide by Solid or Liquid Poisons .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
167. " Poisonous Gas	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
170. " Firearms	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
172. " Jumping from High Places .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
179. Accidental Burns and Scalds	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
180. " Mechanical Suffocation .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
182. " Drowning	5	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	10
183. " Traumatism by Firearms .. .. .	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
185. " " by Fall	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
188. " " by Railways .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
188. " " by Tramways	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
188. " " by Automobiles	4	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
188. " " by Horse-drawn Vehicles .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
188. " " by Lift Vehicles .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
202. Other External Violence .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	15	7	5	2	1	1	4	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	38
XV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.															
205. Cause of Death not specified or Ill-defined .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Grand Totals	139	82	93	56	11	11	16	12	6	16	6	9	7	8	472

Infantile Mortality.

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of Infants under 1 Year of Age registered during March, 1927.

(These figures are included in the preceding table.)

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
11. Influenza .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
57. Diabetes Mellitus .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
69. Hæmorrhagic Disease of the New-born	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
80. Infantile Convulsions (— 5 years)	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
100. Broncho-pneumonia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
101. Lobar Pneumonia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
103. Congestion of the Lung	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 years)	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
118. Intestinal Obstruction	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
122. Cirrhosis of the Liver .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Congenital Heart Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Intestinal Obstruction .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Kidney Deficiency .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Spina Bifida	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Other Congenital Malformations .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
160. Congenital Debility, Icterus, and Sclerema	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
161. Injury at Birth	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
161A. Premature Birth	1	1	3	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	10
162. Other Diseases Peculiar to Early Infancy	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
Totals	14	8	5	3	3	1	1	3	..	2	1	1	1	..	43

Certificates of Naturalization granted.

Department of Internal Affairs, Wellington, 7th April, 1927.

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

RICHD. F. BOLLARD, Minister of Internal Affairs.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Address.	Occupation.	Country of Birth.	Date of Naturalization.
Andersen, Lorentz Christopher	Wellington	Seaman	Norway	15/3/27.
Bachour, George Eassey	Otorohanga	Storekeeper	Syria	"
Beeby, Charles	Whitford	Ironworker	Philadelphia, U.S.A.	"
Helm, Jacob Phillip	Dunedin	Retired	Africa	"
Melzer, John Marinus	"	Accountant and Musician	Holland	"
Anderson, Karl Ferdinand	Dargaville	Labourer	Sweden	28/3/27.
Cacciopoli, Pietro	Hastings	Baker	Italy	"
Dober, Joseph	Matangi	Farmer	Switzerland	"
Dreyfeldt, Henry John	Wellington	Painter	Latvia	"
Hedlund, Jonas Martin	Auckland	Electrician	Sweden	"
Shebalin, Alexander Petrovitch	Kumeu	Labourer	Turkestan	"
Steyer, Frederick	Auckland	Driver	Switzerland	"
Zoukra, Ernest Gabriel Doulatly	"	Dental Mechanic	Syria	"

Bank Statements.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New Zealand, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	3,687,285	0	0
Bills in circulation	95,984	0	0
Balances due to other Banks	140,136	0	0
Government deposits	3,095,271	0	0
Other deposits—			
Not bearing interest	11,606,489	0	0
Bearing interest	10,677,398	0	0
Transfers from Long-term Mortgage Department	281,531	0	0
Total average liabilities	£29,584,094	0	0

ASSETS.

	£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals	3,499,497	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars	8,099	0	0
Legal tender notes of other Banks	72,168	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks	294,539	0	0
Balances due from other Banks	679,370	0	0
Landed property	405,515	0	0
Amount of all other securities—			
1. Notes and bills discounted	1,165,398	0	0
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise)	3,052,585	0	0
3. Other funded securities	452,555	0	0
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	21,352,809	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads	213,573	0	0
Total average assets	£31,216,108	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 31st March, 1927:—

4-per-cent. guaranteed stock, £529,988.
Preference A shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1920, £500,000.
C Long-term Mortgage shares issued to the New Zealand Government, £58,593.
D Long-term Mortgage shares, £305,794.
Preference B shares issued to the Crown under Bank of New Zealand Act, 1920, £1,375,000.
Ordinary shares, £3,750,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders on—
Preference A shares, 10 per cent. per annum.
Preference B shares, equal to £11 16s. 3d. per cent. per annum.
Ordinary shares, equal to 13½ per cent. per annum.
Amount of the last dividend declared on—
Preference A shares, £50,000.
Preference B shares, £162,464.
Ordinary shares, £499,928.
(On the Guaranteed Stock £10,599, interest for six months, was paid on 1st November, 1926.)
Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £3,390,378.

Dated at Wellington this 6th day of April, 1927.

HENRY BUCKLETON, General Manager.
A. H. BATH, Accountant.

[NOTE.—The above are the figures for New Zealand only.]

BANK RETURN (SUPPLEMENTARY).

Statement of the average amount of liabilities and assets of the Long-term Mortgage Department of the Bank of New Zealand during the quarter ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Capital	307,354	0	0
Total average liabilities	£307,354	0	0
ASSETS.	£	s.	d.
Loans	25,823	0	0
Transfers to bank	281,531	0	0
Total average assets	£307,354	0	0

HENRY BUCKLETON, General Manager.
A. H. BATH, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of Australasia, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.	£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation	442,920	12	3
Bills in circulation	18,943	4	2
Balances due to other Banks			
Government deposits			
Other deposits—			
Not bearing interest	2,311,558	5	7
Bearing interest	1,708,115	5	5
Total average liabilities	£4,481,537	7	5

ASSETS.

	£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals	968,708	0	10
Legal tender notes of other Banks	26,157	10	7
Notes and bills of other Banks	94,143	7	0
Balances due from other Banks	67,923	1	6
Landed property	32,743	15	0
Amount of all other securities—			
1. Notes and bills discounted	153,743	19	4
2. Colonial Government securities	154,763	1	11
3. Other funded securities			
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad)	4,884,696	9	8
5. Securities not included under the above heads	1,108	7	1
Total average assets	£6,383,987	12	11

Amount of the capital stock paid up at this date, £4,000,000.
Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 14 per cent.

Amount of the last dividend declared, £280,000.
Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £3,945,508.

Dated at Wellington this 5th day of April, 1927.

W. L. WARD, Inspector.
T. P. HANNA, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the National Bank of New Zealand (Limited), in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	1,120,488	0	0
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	36,140	0	0
Balances due to other Banks .. ..	..	294,385	0	0
Government deposits .. ..	..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	4,213,491	0	0
Bearing interest .. ..	..	3,138,494	0	0
Total average liabilities		£8,862,998	0	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	970,877	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars .. ..	..	18,796	0	0
Notes and bills of other Banks .. ..	..	205,068	0	0
Balances due from other Banks .. ..	..	120,769	0	0
Landed property .. ..	..	321,109	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted .. ..	..	232,377	0	0
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise) .. ..	..	670,200	0	0
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) .. ..	..	8,828,880	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	353,285	0	0
Total average assets		£11,721,361	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 31st March, 1927, £2,000,000.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 12 per cent. per annum for half-year.
 Amount of the last dividend declared, £120,000.
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £2,343,044.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of April, 1927.

G. W. McINTOSH, General Manager.

STATEMENT of the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited), in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	172,721	0	0
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	12,605	0	0
Balances due to other Banks .. ..	..	..	..	..
Government deposits .. ..	..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	931,310	0	0
Bearing interest .. ..	..	376,139	0	0
Total average liabilities		£1,492,775	0	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	148,547	0	0
Legal tender notes of other Banks .. ..	..	92,405	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars .. ..	..	..	..	..
Notes and bills of other Banks .. ..	..	52,151	0	0
Balances due from other Banks .. ..	..	34,462	0	0
Landed property .. ..	..	89,400	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted .. ..	..	46,357	0	0
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise) .. ..	..	56,323	0	0
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) .. ..	..	1,448,182	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	1,499	0	0
Total average assets		£1,969,326	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 31st March, 1927: Ordinary, £999,955 12s. 6d.; preference, £2,117,350.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders: Ordinary 15 per cent.; preference, 4 per cent.
 Amount of the last dividend declared: Ordinary, £63,692 6s. 2d.; preference, £42,347.
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £1,066,140 10s. 8d.

Dated at Wellington this 4th day of April, 1927.

E. P. YALDWIN, Manager.
 W. M. L. SUTHERLAND, Accountant.

STATEMENT of the amount of the average Liabilities and Assets of the Union Bank of Australia (Limited), at Branches in the Dominion of New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	586,987	0	0
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	103,613	0	0
Balances due to other Banks .. ..	..	152,155	0	0
Government deposits .. ..	..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	2,884,090	0	0
Bearing interest .. ..	..	2,396,633	0	0
Total average liabilities		£6,123,478	0	0

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	983,514	0	0
Legal tender notes of other Banks .. ..	..	5,620	0	0
Gold and silver in bullion or bars .. ..	..	..	..	..
Notes and bills of other Banks .. ..	..	97,091	0	0
Balances due from other Banks .. ..	..	39,697	0	0
Landed property .. ..	..	30,000	0	0
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted .. ..	..	44,779	0	0
2. Government securities (New Zealand or otherwise) .. ..	..	..	..	..
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to the Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) .. ..	..	6,170,913	0	0
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	74,467	0	0
Total average assets		£7,446,081	0	0

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 31st March, 1927, £3,500,000.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 15 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of the last dividend declared, £262,500.
 Amount of the reserved profits at the time of declaring such dividend, £4,558,012.

Dated at Wellington this 8th day of April, 1927.

W. A. LEITCH, Inspector.
 T. G. A. HARLE, Chief Clerk.

STATEMENT of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the Bank of New South Wales, in New Zealand, during the Quarter ended 31st March, 1927.

LIABILITIES.		£	s.	d.
Notes in circulation .. ..	..	593,279	6	6
Bills in circulation .. ..	..	18,786	17	0
Balances due to other Banks .. ..	..	422,326	15	0
Government deposits .. ..	..	..	..	..
Other deposits—				
Not bearing interest .. ..	..	2,493,840	6	3
Bearing interest .. ..	..	2,791,255	8	5
Total average liabilities		£6,319,488	13	2

ASSETS.		£	s.	d.
Coined gold and silver and other coined metals .. ..	..	1,247,106	6	9
Legal tender notes of other Banks .. ..	..	25,623	6	2
Gold and silver in bullion or bars .. ..	..	29,898	3	4
Notes and bills of other Banks .. ..	..	1,612	5	9
Balances due from other Banks .. ..	..	111,149	3	5
Landed property .. ..	..	166,811	4	9
Amount of all other securities—				
1. Notes and bills discounted .. ..	..	198,964	0	10
2. Colonial Government securities .. ..	..	711,452	18	11
3. Other funded securities .. ..	..	..	..	..
4. Debts due to Bank (exclusive of debts abandoned as bad) .. ..	..	6,253,709	5	11
5. Securities not included under the above heads .. ..	..	162,965	19	8
Total average assets		£8,909,292	15	6

Amount of the capital stock paid up at the close of the quarter ended 31st March, 1927, £6,000,000.
 Rate of the last dividend declared to the shareholders, 10 per cent. per annum.
 Amount of last dividend declared, £600,000.
 Amount of the reserved profits after declaring such dividend, £4,750,000.

Dated at Wellington this 7th day of April, 1927.

G. T. GROSE, Inspector.
 GEO. D. CAMPBELL, Inspector's Accountant.

STATEMENT of the LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the undermentioned BANKS in the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND for the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1927.

LIABILITIES.

BANKS.	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.		Deposits.				Total Liabilities.					
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Government.	Transfers from Long-term Mortgage Department.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	£	s. d.				
Bank of New Zealand ..	3,687,285	0 0	95,984	0 0	140,136	0 0	3,095,271	0 0	281,531	0 0	11,606,489	0 0	10,677,398	0 0	29,584,094	0 0
Union Bank of Australia, Limited ..	586,987	0 0	103,513	0 0	152,155	0 0	..	..	2,884,090	0 0	2,396,633	0 0	6,123,478	0 0	6,123,478	0 0
Bank of New South Wales ..	593,279	6 6	18,786	17 0	422,326	15 0	..	..	2,493,340	6 3	2,791,255	8 5	6,319,488	13 2	6,319,488	13 2
Bank of Australasia ..	442,920	12 8	18,943	4 2	..	..	..	..	2,311,558	5 7	1,708,115	5 5	4,481,537	7 5	4,481,537	7 5
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	1,120,488	0 0	36,140	0 0	294,385	0 0	..	..	4,213,491	0 0	3,138,494	0 0	8,802,998	0 0	8,802,998	0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	172,721	0 0	12,605	0 0	..	..	..	..	931,310	0 0	376,139	0 0	1,492,775	0 0	1,492,775	0 0
Totals ..	6,603,680	18 9	286,072	1 2	1,009,002	15 0	3,095,271	0 0	281,531	0 0	24,440,778	11 10	21,088,034	13 10	56,804,371	0 7

ASSETS.

BANKS.	Coined Gold and Silver and other Coined Metals.	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.	Legal-tender Notes of other Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted.	Colonial Government Securities.	Other Funded Securities.	Debts due to Bank exclusive of Debts abandoned as Bad.	Securities not included under other Heads.	Total Assets.											
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	£	s. d.	£	s. d.										
Bank of New Zealand	3,499,497	0 0	8,099	0 0	72,168	0 0	294,539	0 0	679,370	0 0	405,515	0 0	1,185,398	0 0	3,052,585	0 0	452,555	21,352,809	0 0	213,573	0 0	31,216,108	0 0
Union B. of Aus., Ltd.	983,514	0 0	..	..	5,620	0 0	97,091	0 0	39,697	0 0	30,000	0 0	44,779	0 0	..	6,170,913	0 0	74,467	0 0	7,446,081	0 0	7,446,081	0 0
Bank of N.S.W.	1,247,106	6 9	29,898	3 4	25,623	6 2	1,612	5 9	111,149	3 5	166,811	4 9	198,964	0 10	711,452	18 11	..	6,253,709	5 11	162,965	19 8	8,909,292	15 6
Bank of Australasia	968,708	0 10	..	..	26,157	10 7	94,143	7 0	67,923	1 6	32,743	15 0	153,743	19 4	154,763	1 11	..	4,884,696	9 8	1,108	7 1	6,383,987	12 11
Nat. Bank of N.Z., Ltd.	970,877	0 0	18,796	0 0	..	..	205,068	0 0	120,769	0 0	321,109	0 0	232,377	0 0	670,200	0 0	..	8,828,880	0 0	353,285	0 0	11,721,361	0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	143,547	0 0	..	..	92,405	0 0	52,151	0 0	34,462	0 0	89,400	0 0	46,357	0 0	56,323	0 0	..	1,448,182	0 0	1,499	0 0	1,969,326	0 0
Totals ..	7,818,249	7 7	56,793	3 4	221,973	16	9744,604	12 9	1,053,370	4 11	1,045,578	19 9	1,861,619	0 2	4,645,324	0 10	452,555	48,939,189	15 7	806,898	6 9	67,646,156	8 5

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

BANKS.	Capital paid up.		Rate per Annum of Last Dividend.		Amount of Last Dividend declared.	Amount of Reserved Profits at Time of declaring such Dividend.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	
Bank of New Zealand—							
4-per-cent. stock guaranteed by the Government of N.Z. ..	529,988	0 0	Interest for six months, paid 1st November, 1926 ..	..	10,599	0 0
Preference A shares issued to the New Zealand Government	500,000	0 0	On preference "A" shares, ten per cent. per annum	..	50,000	0 0	
C Long-term Mortgage Shares issued to the New Zealand Government	58,593	0 0	..	..	..	..
D Long-term Mortgage Shares	305,794	0 0	..	..	..	..
Preference B shares issued to the New Zealand Government	1,375,000	0 0	On preference "B" shares, equal to eleven pounds sixteen shillings and threepence per cent. per annum	..	162,464	0 0	
Ordinary shares	3,750,000	0 0	On ordinary shares, equal to thirteen and one-third per cent. per annum	..	499,928	0 0	
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	3,500,000	0 0	Fifteen per cent. per annum	..	262,500	0 0	
Bank of New South Wales	6,000,000	0 0	Ten per cent. ..	..	600,000	0 0
Bank of Australasia	4,000,000	0 0	Fourteen per cent. ..	..	280,000	0 0
National Bank of New Zealand, Limited	2,000,000	0 0	Twelve per cent. per annum for half-year ..	..	120,000	0 0
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	Ordinary	999,955	12 6	Fifteen per cent. per annum	..	63,692	6 2
	Preference	2,117,350	0 0	Four per cent. per annum	..	42,347	0 0

Register of Engineers.

Office of the Minister of Public Works, Wellington, 31st March, 1927.

IN pursuance of section 13 of the Engineers Registration Act, 1924, a certified copy of the names, qualifications, and addresses entered in the Register of Engineers is published for general information.

Under the heading of qualification is shown the particular clause of section 6 of the Act under which the applicant has been registered.

Section 6 of the Act is as follows:—

“6. (1.) Every person shall, on payment of the prescribed fee, be entitled to be registered under this Act as an engineer who—

“(a.) Holds some recognized certificate as hereinafter defined, and who satisfies the Board that he has had not less than three years' practical experience in engineering; or

“(b.) Has attained the age of twenty-five years, and has been engaged during a period of not less than six years before the commencement of this Act in the acquisition of professional knowledge or in the practice of engineering in a manner satisfactory to the Board, and who makes application for registration within twelve months after the commencement of this Act; or

“(c.) Passes or has passed an examination or examinations approved by the Board, and who satisfies the Board that he has had not less than three years' practical experience in engineering.

“(2.) For the purposes of this section the term ‘recognized certificate’ means a certificate, diploma, degree, or license granted by some university, college, or other public institution (whether in New Zealand or elsewhere), and which is recognized by the Board as furnishing sufficient evidence of the possession of the requisite knowledge and skill for the efficient practice of the profession of engineering.”

K. S. WILLIAMS, Minister of Public Works.

REGISTER OF ENGINEERS.

Date of Registration.	Name.	Qualifications.	Residence or Business Address.
16/10/25	Ackland, Eustace William, M.I.E.E.	.. Section 6 (1) a	P.O. Box 928, Wellington.
16/10/25	Adams, Ernest Feltus .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Thames.
16/10/25	Adams, James Henry .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Grey Street, Thames.
7/4/26	Adams, Reginald Dobson .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	136 Office Road, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Adams, Robert Andrew, A.M.I.C.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	Bann Street, Bluff.
26/11/25	Adams, Rolf Cherry, B.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	P.O. Box 632, Auckland.
16/6/26	Ainsworth, Joseph Sargon, A.M.I.E.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	Jellicoe Street, New Brighton, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Aked, Walter Edward .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	67 Orangi Kaupapa Road, Northland, Wellington.
5/5/26	Albertson, George William, A.M.I.C.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Gisborne.
18/3/27	Alder, George Frederick, A.M.I.M.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	5 Livingstone Street, Dannevirke.
26/11/25	Aldridge, Arthur Pechey, A.M.I.E.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	Security Buildings, Stuart Street, Dunedin.
16/6/26	Alexander, James Young .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	43 Henley Road, Mount Eden, Auckland.
28/8/26	Alexander, Joseph George, A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	City and Drainage Engineer, Dunedin.
20/7/26	Allan, David Taylor, A.M.I.E.E. .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) a	Palmerston North.
5/5/26	Allan, Richard Sutcliffe .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	19 Hart Street, Dunedin.
26/11/25	Allum, John Andrew Charles .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	22 Sarsfield Street, Auckland.
26/11/25	Anderson, George Pellew, B.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	Old Farm Road, Kilbirnie, Wellington.
16/6/26	Anderson, John .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Care of J. E. Nixon and Co., New Plymouth.
7/4/26	Anderson, John Edward, A.M.I.C.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	Borough Engineer, Thames.
7/4/26	Anderson, John Herbertson, M.I.M.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	Porirua, Wellington.
5/5/26	Anderson, William, A.M.I.M.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	18 Sarah Street, Timaru.
5/5/26	Anderson, William Naismith .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Weraroa Road, Levin.
16/6/26	Andrews, Frank Osmund .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	73A Hackthorne Road, Cashmere Hills, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Andrews, Sydney Weymouth .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Care of Andrews and Beaven (Limited), P.O. Box 138, Christchurch.
7/4/26	Angus, Neil Paterson, A.M.I.C.E. .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) a	96 Wheturangi Road, One Tree Hill, Auckland.
26/11/25	Annand, Bertram Charles .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Tahora.
16/6/26	Armstrong, Charles Edward .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	85 Rutene Street, Gisborne.
20/7/26	Bagge, William Roderick Beauclerc .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	N.Z. Railways, Ohakune.
8/3/26	Baker, Alfred James, A.M.I.C.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	Inspecting Engineer, Public Works Department, Wellington.
5/5/26	Baker, James George Charles .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Yellow Bluff Road, Otautau.
26/11/25	Baldwin, Horace Stewart .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	27 Hay Street, Wellington.
12/8/25	Ball, Thomas Murdy, A.M.I.C.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	Pembroke Road, Stratford.
18/9/25	Banks, Robert Lindsay .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	County Engineer, Fairlie.
16/10/25	Barclay, William .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Wood Street, Paeroa.
26/11/25	Barclay, William Alexander .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	120 Forfar Street, Christchurch.
7/4/26	Barham, Hugh Garratt Foster, M.I.C.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	7 Manuka Street, Nelson.
8/3/26	Barker, Theodore Delabere, A.M.I.M.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	16 Salisbury Street, Christchurch.
16/10/25	Barrance, Kimpton McIntosh .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	5 Waipapa Terrace, Hataitai, Wellington.
5/5/26	Barrs, Herbert Harold, A.M.I.E.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	Malvern E.P.B., Darfield.
8/3/26	Bartley, Russell Howard, A.M.I.M.E., A.M.I.E.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	General Manager, Auckland Power Board, Auckland.
26/11/25	Basham, Frederick .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	County Engineer, Ngatea.
5/5/26	Basire, Albert .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	41 Scarborough Terrace, Wellington.
8/10/26	Basstian, Basil Christopher .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Clyde Street, Invercargill.
8/3/26	Batham, Guy Symonds Meacham, A.M.I.E.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	Mavis Street, St. Clair, Dunedin.
20/7/26	Beal, Latham Osborn .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Dunedin.
16/6/26	Beaven, Arthur Ward .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	Redcliffs, Christchurch.
16/10/25	Beck, Henry John White .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	138 Innes Road, Christchurch.
16/10/25	Beere, Wynford Ormsby .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	60 Salamanca Road, Wellington.
16/6/26	Bell, Charles Elliott .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	5 Matai Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
5/5/26	Bell, David .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	P.O. Box 574, Dunedin.
18/8/26	Bell, Graham Brook, B.E., B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	1 New Bond Street, Mount Albert, Auckland.
7/4/26	Bell, William Gordon .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	151 Salisbury Street, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Bell, William Leslie, A.M.I.C.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Palmerston North.
16/6/26	Bence, William .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	39 Melbourne Road, Island Bay, Wellington.
26/11/25	Benham, Allen Hood .. .. .	.. .. 6 (1) b	41 Lytton Street, Wadestown, Wellington.
5/5/26	Benjamin, Henri Lionel, B.E., A.M.I.E.E.	.. .. 6 (1) a	P.O. Box 142, Napier.
18/8/26	Bennett, William Harry, A.M.I.C.E. . . . .	.. .. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.

REGISTER OF ENGINEERS—*continued.*

Date of Registration.	Name.	Qualifications.	Residence or Business Address.
16/6/26	Benzoni, Charles Matravers	Section 6 (1) b	N.Z. Railways, Dunedin.
5/5/26	Birrell, Joseph Douglas	" 6 (1) b	178 Wellington Terrace, Wellington.
26/11/25	Black, Frederick, M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	115 Lambton Quay, Wellington.
16/6/26	Black, Henry	" 6 (1) b	10 North Road, Papanui.
26/11/25	Black, Thomas	" 6 (1) b	Timaru.
16/10/25	Black, William Prentice	" 6 (1) b	Waimate, South Canterbury.
7/4/26	Blackwood, Archibald George Rennie	" 6 (1) b	Mangaore, Shannon.
12/8/25	Blair, David Ker, M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	Overtoun Road, Karaka Bay, Wellington.
14/7/26	Blake, Edward Vincent	" 6 (1) b	57 Park Road, Auckland.
14/7/26	Blakey, Frederick William	" 6 (1) b	29 Belle Vue Road, Mount Eden, Auckland.
20/7/26	Blundell, Harry Clough	" 6 (1) b	Kawakawa, Bay of Islands.
16/6/26	Bodle, John Darroch	" 6 (1) b	Craig Road, Takapuna, Auckland.
16/6/26	Bollinger, Max Harry	" 6 (1) b	Simla Avenue, Khandallah, Wellington.
18/9/25	Bond, Robert William	" 6 (1) b	County Engineer, Waipawa, Hawke's Bay.
8/3/26	Borthwick, John Adamson	" 6 (1) b	50 Idris Road, Fendalton, Christchurch.
7/4/26	Bower, James Wilson	" 6 (1) b	5 Beckham Place, Auckland.
9/12/26	Brandon, Cyril William	" 6 (1) b	16 Wairiki Road, Mount Eden, Auckland.
14/7/26	Bray, Norman Gowen	" 6 (1) b	35 Mill Street, Frankton Junction.
18/9/25	Brebner, Cedric Havelock	" 6 (1) b	Commerce Street, Whakatane.
26/11/25	Breeze, George Edward, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	177 Parade, Island Bay, Wellington.
26/11/25	Bremner, Archibald Bryce	" 6 (1) b	Awakeri, Bay of Plenty.
12/8/25	Bremner, Charles Edward, M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Temuka, South Canterbury.
18/9/25	Brent, Herbert Cyril, B.Sc., A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	18 Talavera Terrace, Wellington.
12/8/25	Brewster, John Thomas Mervyn	" 6 (1) b	17 Harper Street, Nelson.
20/7/26	Bridges, George Arthur, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	18 Selwyn Street, Timaru.
4/8/25	Brigham, George William	" 6 (1) b	Karori, Wellington.
8/3/26	Broadbent, William John Albury	" 6 (1) b	7 Bayfield Road, Herne Bay, Auckland.
16/6/26	Brodie, John Earle, M.Sc., B.E.	" 6 (1) a	Brockleigh, Broadway, Miramar, Wellington.
5/5/26	Brown, Arthur Ernest	" 6 (1) b	Ranfurly Street, Kaiapoi.
7/4/26	Brown, Frank Alexander	" 6 (1) b	2 Woodley Avenue, Remuera, Auckland.
7/4/26	Brown, Robert Scott Cree, B.E., A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	127 Clyde Street, Dunedin.
16/6/26	Brown, William Cassels, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	Mays Road, Te Papapa, Onehunga.
5/5/26	Browne, Richard Herbert	" 6 (1) b	Hospital Road, Te Kuiti.
18/3/27	Bryden, Percival Benton, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	N.Z. Railways, Auckland.
8/10/26	Buchanan, Alexander Charles	" 6 (1) b	Care of A. S. Paterson and Co., Dunedin.
7/2/27	Buckingham, Alfred, B.E.	" 6 (1) a	Park House, Ashburton.
5/5/26	Bullock, Herbert	" 6 (1) b	10 Glencairn Street, Dunedin.
26/11/25	Bunyard, Frederick Charles	" 6 (1) b	Rotorua.
26/11/25	Burgis, John Stevens, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Mangaore, Shannon.
7/4/26	Burnett, James	" 6 (1) b	31 Moana Road, Kelburn, Wellington.
5/5/26	Burrell, Thomas Gaius	" 6 (1) b	Wellington Street, St. Heliers, Auckland.
16/10/25	Burt, Thomas Ross, B.E., A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	70 Majoribanks Street, Wellington.
12/8/25	Burton, Algernon, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Rosebank, Ngatitama Street, Nelson.
26/11/25	Bush, Walter Ernest, M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	City Engineer, Auckland.
16/6/26	Buswell, William Howard, A.M.I.E.E., A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	Lytton Road, Gisborne.
5/5/26	Cable, James	" 6 (1) b	46 Hawkestone Street, Wellington.
8/3/26	Cable, Joseph	" 6 (1) b	Care of Harbour Board, Wanganui.
4/8/25	Cable, Matthew, M.I.E.E., A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	Chief Electrical Engineer, City Council, Wellington.
16/6/26	Cable, William	" 6 (1) b	4 Levy Street, Wellington.
8/3/26	Caldwell, Athol Ceadric Albin, B.E., A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Naylor Street, Hamilton.
8/3/26	Callender, Geoffrey Gordon, B.E.	" 6 (1) a	11 Mount Street, Wellington.
16/10/25	Calvert, Guy Gawthorp, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	48 Bealey Avenue, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Campbell, Alexander Hugh	" 6 (1) b	33 Onslow Road, Epsom, Auckland.
5/5/26	Campbell, Lachlan Bain, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Auckland.
18/8/26	Campbell, Owen Neil	" 6 (1) b	P.O. Box 1659, Auckland.
16/6/26	Campbell, Robert	" 6 (1) b	Hinaki Street, Gisborne.
5/5/26	Campbell, Robert Archibald, B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	3 Carter's Lane, Cashmere, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Carman, Arthur Charles	" 6 (1) b	170 Dalrymple Road, Invercargill.
8/10/26	Carson, Cyril Hardy	" 6 (1) b	43A Church Street, Devonport, Auckland.
5/5/26	Carson, William	" 6 (1) b	92 Benson Road, Remuera, Auckland.
16/6/26	Cassels, David	" 6 (1) b	Care of Post-office, Suva, Fiji.
14/7/26	Chadwick, Robert Joseph Montague, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	George Street, Napier.
5/5/26	Chambers, Preston	" 6 (1) b	20 Epsom Avenue, Epsom, Auckland.
20/7/26	Cheal, Arthur Ernest, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	9 Grey Street, Wanganui.
5/5/26	Cheshire, Alfred Austin	" 6 (1) b	Truro Street, Sumner.
12/8/25	Chrystall, Harvey Maitland	" 6 (1) b	Consulting Engineer, Dalgety's Buildings, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Civil, John William	" 6 (1) b	Alexandra Street, Te Awamutu.
16/6/26	Clark, John	" 6 (1) b	19A Enfield Road, Napier.
14/7/26	Clarke, Frederick William, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	98 Avenue Road, Timaru.
5/5/26	Clayton, Ernest Oswald	" 6 (1) b	Richmond Avenue, Northcote, Auckland.
14/7/26	Clemow, Robert Keith, B.E.	" 6 (1) a	Ngaroma Road, Onehunga.
20/7/26	Clifford, Stanley Bruce	" 6 (1) b	Seddon Street, Cheviot.
14/7/26	Climie, Henry Richmond, B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Consulting Engineer, New Plymouth.
5/5/26	Climie, Henry Westcott	" 6 (1) b	Hastings, Hawke's Bay.
7/4/26	Collin, Albert Heich	" 6 (1) b	Care of Branda Products (Limited), Inglewood Place, Wellington.
18/8/26	Collins, John Christopher, B.E.	" 6 (1) a	5 West Avenue, Dunedin.
7/4/26	Combes, Frank Roy, B.E., A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	6 Combes Road, Remuera, Auckland.
8/3/26	Cook, William Henry	" 6 (1) b	Borough Engineer, Mount Albert, Auckland.
5/5/26	Cooper, George	" 6 (1) b	220 Fitzgerald Avenue, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Cooper, Thomas Alfred, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	226 The Terrace, Wellington.

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Date of Registration.	Name.	Qualifications.	Residence or Business Address.
16/10/25	Corkill, Francis Malcolm, M.Sc., B.E., A.M.I.C.E.	Section 6 (1) a	County Engineer, Egmont County, Opunake.
5/5/26	Cotton, Richard Bohun, A.M.I.C.E.	.. ..	65A Cashmere Road, Christchurch.
26/11/25	Cowie, Alex. .. ..	.. ..	154 Hutt Road, Petone.
26/11/25	Cowing, Jacob Bushby .. ..	.. ..	Public Works Department, Gisborne.
26/11/25	Crawford, Hugh .. ..	.. ..	Care of School of Mines, Thames.
16/6/26	Crawford, Thomas Muirhead .. ..	.. ..	Lindsay Park, Pakowhai, Napier.
8/3/26	Crawford, William John .. ..	.. ..	179 Carroll Street, Dunedin.
16/10/25	Creagh, Eddie Collingwood, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	20 Plunket Street, Kelburn, Wellington.
8/3/26	Creagh, Michael Raymond .. ..	.. ..	Cairns, North Queensland.
16/6/26	Crocker, Charles Wellington .. ..	.. ..	11 Jefferson Street, Brooklyn, Wellington.
16/6/26	Croll, William Grundy .. ..	.. ..	Porirua Road, Ngaio, Wellington.
26/11/25	Crookes, Samuel Irwin, B.Sc., M.I.E.E.	.. ..	24 Maungawhau Road, Epsom, Auckland.
7/4/26	Crookes, Samuel Irwin, jun. .. ..	.. ..	and b 2 Edgerley Avenue, Epsom, Auckland.
26/11/25	Crow, Edward .. ..	.. ..	71 Courtenay Place, Wellington.
16/6/26	Cullens, James .. ..	.. ..	Care of Drainage Board, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Cummings, Herbert Leonard .. ..	.. ..	Halswell Street, Ngaio, Wellington.
26/11/25	Cunningham, George .. ..	.. ..	11 Wainui Street, Nelson.
5/5/26	Cushen, Thomas James Richard, A.M.I.M.E.	.. ..	219 Earn Street, Invercargill.
4/8/25	Cuthbertson, George Lyon .. ..	.. ..	Oamaru.
26/11/25	Cutten, William Latham .. ..	.. ..	Napier Road, Palmerston North.
16/10/25	Dalmer, Isaac, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	Oamaru.
16/6/26	Darling, James .. ..	.. ..	Botanical Garden Road, Wellington.
18/8/26	Davidson, Frank .. ..	.. ..	Anne Street, Highland Park, Wellington.
16/10/25	Davies, Frederick Albert .. ..	.. ..	East Coast Road, Takapuna, Auckland.
14/7/26	Davies, Frederick George .. ..	.. ..	60 Alexandra Street, Palmerston North.
18/9/25	Dawber, Royden Robert .. ..	.. ..	Public Works Department, Katikati.
14/7/26	Dawe, Charles Rupert Algernon .. ..	.. ..	Carey's Buildings, Gloucester Street, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Dawson, Cecil, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a School of Engineering, Auckland University College.
4/8/25	Dawson, John .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 8 Irvine's Chambers, Queen Street, Auckland.
5/5/26	Dawson, Lionel Stanhope .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 124 London Street, Dunedin.
5/5/26	Dawson, Robert Reese .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Raetihi.
26/11/25	Dawson, William John Mathers, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Shortland Street, Whangarei.
16/6/26	Deem, John Stanley Longton, A.M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Borough Electrical Engineer, Raetihi.
16/6/26	de Guerrier, Frank Ernest, M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a 100 Lucerne Road, Remuera, Auckland.
26/11/25	Dickson, Hugh .. ..	.. ..	and b 6 (1) b Public Works Department, Auckland.
18/8/26	Dillon, Reuben Joseph Thomas .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Collingwood.
18/9/25	Dinnie, Alexander, M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Public Works Department, Arapuni.
16/10/25	Dix, Thomas .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Vogel Street, Cambridge.
16/10/25	Dix, Thomas Burman Ross .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 99 Smithfield Road, Wanganui.
12/8/25	Dobson, Arthur Dudley, M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a 76 Merivale Avenue, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Dobson, Ernest Douglas .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Redwood Street, Blenheim.
16/6/26	Dodge, Samuel Brickhill .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 12 Victoria Road, Avondale, Auckland.
16/6/26	Doidge, Oliver Joseph, A.M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Engineer's Office, N.Z. Railways, Ohakune Junction.
7/4/26	Donaldson, Eric Maurice .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b King Street, Rotorua.
16/6/26	Dougall, Archibald .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 104 Rongotai Terrace, Wellington.
9/12/26	Downer, Arnold Fielder, A.M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Public Works Department, Petone.
16/10/25	Dowsett, Charles Finch .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Waitara, Taranaki.
7/4/26	Drewitt, Charles John Palmer, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Care of Wairoa Power Board, Wairoa.
18/8/26	Dunbar, James, A.M.I.M.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a 53 Clyde Street, Invercargill.
7/2/27	Duncan, Francis Alexander, B.E. .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) a 17 Maarama Crescent, Wellington.
8/3/26	Duncan, Joseph Ferguson, B.E. .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) a 17 Maarama Crescent, Wellington.
8/3/26	Dunham, David, B.Sc., A.M.I.E.E. .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) a Frank Street, West Gore.
8/3/26	Dutton, Harry, A.M.I.E.E. .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) a 172 Parnell Road, Auckland.
5/5/26	Dyson, Frederic Selwyn, A.M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Cliff Road, Tauranga.
16/6/26	Eadie, James .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 37 Balgownie Avenue, Wanganui.
16/6/26	Earnshaw, Francis Allan .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 304 The Parade, Island Bay, Wellington.
7/4/26	Earnshaw, Vincent Rees, M.I.M.E., A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a 23 Margaret Street, Wadestown, Wellington.
26/11/25	Eastgate, Edward Lancelot, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a 218 Highgate, Maori Hill, Dunedin.
7/4/26	Easton, Matthew George, A.M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Wairoa, Hawke's Bay.
16/10/25	Edgar, George Thomas, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a 66 Pine Hill Road, Dunedin.
5/5/26	Edwards, Herbert .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 15 Carlton Road, Auckland.
7/4/26	Edwards, Selwyn .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 9 Laurie Avenue, Parnell, Auckland.
7/4/26	Ellis, James Rutherford, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a 24 Marama Street, Frankton Junction.
14/7/26	Ensell, John Robert .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Public Works Department, Arrowtown.
26/11/25	Esplin, William James .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 54 Calder Street, St. Kilda, Dunedin.
16/6/26	Evans, Elwyn Frank, A.M.I.C.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Public Works Department, Allanton.
5/5/26	Evans, Evan .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 52 Argyle Street, Hawera.
5/5/26	Fairburn, John Cook .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 15 Parsons Street, Wanganui.
14/7/26	Fairey, Arthur Richmond .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b 49 Marine Parade, Herne Bay, Auckland.
16/10/25	Fairmaid, Allan John, B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Borough Engineer, Greymouth.
7/2/27	Falkenbach, Anton, A.M.I.E.E. .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) a Monowai, Tuatapere.
9/12/26	Falkner, Harold William .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) c City Council, Wellington.
26/11/25	Fennell, Michael .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Mairua Road, Piopio.
18/8/26	Ferguson, George Frame, A.M.I.E.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Burwood Crescent, Remuera, Auckland.
7/4/26	Ferguson, John Lindsay .. ..	.. ..	6 (1) b Cordelia Street, Stratford.
4/8/25	Ferguson, William, B.A.L., M.I.C.E., M.I.M.E.	.. ..	6 (1) a Marlborough Road, Silverstream, Wellington.
16/6/26	Fernandez, Fernando	6 (1) b 75 Puriri Road, Riccarton, Christchurch.
26/11/25	Finch, Frank	6 (1) b 44 Stanley Point Road, Stanley Bay, Auckland.

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4/8/25	Fitzgerald, Gerald, A.M.I.C.E.	Section 6 (1) a	Wellington.
5/5/26	Fitzgerald, Maurice Edward William	6 (1) b	Rose Street, Tirau.
26/11/25	Fleming, Elliott	6 (1) b	City Electrical Engineer, Nelson.
7/4/26	Fooks, Alfred Augustus	6 (1) b	Ashburton.
5/5/26	Ford, Albert Edwin, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	80 Remuera Road, Auckland.
5/5/26	Foster, Ellice Guise, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	P.O. Box 149, Wellington.
16/10/25	Fox, Robert	6 (1) b	44A Cuba Street, Petone.
4/8/25	Fox, Thomas Overbury	6 (1) b	Borough Engineer, Timaru.
8/3/26	Fraser, Archer Lovat	6 (1) b	County Engineer, Kawhia.
26/11/25	Fraser, William Mackenzie	6 (1) b	Whangarei.
16/10/25	Freeman, Frederick Willie	6 (1) b	98 Gloucester Street, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Fryer, Percy William, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	102 Pages Road, New Brighton, Christchurch.
18/3/27	Fulton, Herman Weber	6 (1) b	Harbour Board, Gisborne.
4/8/25	Furkert, Frederick William, M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	Engineer in Chief, Public Works Department, Wellington.
16/6/26	Galbraith, Augustus William de Rohan	6 (1) b	City Engineer, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Galbraith, William Ernest	6 (1) b	Makarewa Junction, Southland.
16/6/26	Galloway, Walter John	6 (1) b	1 Shannon Street, Wellington.
16/6/26	Gannon, Lockie	6 (1) b	Consulting Engineer, Auckland.
16/6/26	Gauvain, William Percy, M.I.E.E., M.I.M.E., A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	60 Shortland Street, Auckland.
16/10/25	Gavey, Arthur, M.I.E.E., M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	7 Waipapa Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
18/8/26	George, Cyril Eric Day	6 (1) b	28 Inkerman Street, Onehunga.
26/11/25	George, Ernest Winsloe, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Box 4, Clyde, Central Otago.
7/4/26	Gibbs, Arthur, M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	Chief Telegraph Engineer, Wellington.
26/11/25	Gibbs, Walter Joseph	6 (1) b	Wilson Street, Te Aroha.
18/8/26	Gillies, Robert Livingstone	6 (1) b	Tennis Court Road, Khandallah, Wellington.
26/11/25	Gilmour, Andrew Kirke	6 (1) b	Waipiro Bay.
26/11/25	Gilmour, William Henry Kirke	6 (1) b	1 Langston Avenue, Palmerston North.
7/4/26	Glasse, Alfred Onslow, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	11 Chamberlain Avenue, Mount Eden, Auckland.
18/9/25	Glenn, Alexander	6 (1) b	County Engineer, Kaikoura.
5/5/26	Goldsbro, Henry Edgar	6 (1) b	Borough Engineer, Avondale, Auckland.
9/12/26	Goldsmith, Bernard Harry	6 (1) b	Meuli Street, Eltham.
16/6/26	Good, Frederick William	6 (1) b	152 Ohio Road, Wellington.
26/11/25	Goodman, Howard Roi	6 (1) b	N.Z. Railways, Wellington.
16/10/25	Goodwin, Albert Desborough, B.A.	6 (1) b	Drainage Board, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Gosset, Edward Lind, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	No. 2 Power-house, Lower Kaimai, Tauranga.
26/11/25	Gough, Edgar Charles, B.E., A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	7 Hackthorne Road, Christchurch.
18/9/25	Gould, Ernest Rowland	6 (1) b	Otorohanga.
16/6/26	Grainger, Frederick William	6 (1) b	26 Wade Street, Wadestown, Wellington.
16/10/25	Grant, Arthur Post, B.E.	6 (1) a	Paeroa.
26/11/25	Gray, Robert Leonard	6 (1) b	12 Panama Street, Wellington.
16/6/26	Gray, Ronald, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	73A Symonds Street, Auckland.
4/8/25	Gray, William Arthur, M.Sc., A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	11 Woodside Road, Mount Eden, Auckland.
16/6/26	Green, Eric Wallace	6 (1) b	67 Kauri Street, Miramar, Wellington.
18/8/26	Green, Ernest Hedley Roy, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	29 Liverpool Street, Epsom, Auckland.
16/6/26	Greenshields, Frederick Scott, Wh.S.	6 (1) a and b	9 Glen Road, Kelburn, Wellington.
16/6/26	Gregory, William Henry	6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Mangaore.
5/5/26	Grierson, Charles Kirkpatrick	6 (1) b	201 Victoria Arcade, Auckland.
14/7/26	Griffin, Lewis	6 (1) b	Rolleston Street, Thames.
7/4/26	Griffiths, Arthur Tennyson	6 (1) b	9 Arawa Avenue, Devonport, Auckland.
16/6/26	Gulliver, Thomas Ralph Vere, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	286 Jervois Road, Auckland.
5/5/26	Gumbley, Ernest Arthur	6 (1) b	Town Engineer, Invercargill.
16/6/26	Guthrie, John Peter	6 (1) b	Endeavour Street, Tolago Bay.
12/8/25	Gwynn, Percy Harold, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	63 Wade Street, Wadestown, Wellington.
16/10/25	Hadfield, Frederick Howe, M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a and b	167 Albert Street, Auckland.
5/5/26	Hall-Jones, William	6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Hamilton.
16/10/25	Halloran, Harry Richmond	6 (1) b	Wellington.
5/5/26	Hamerton, Reginald Alexander	6 (1) b	62 Central Terrace, Kelburn, Wellington.
8/10/26	Hamilton, Basil Long, B.A.I.	6 (1) a	2 Domain Drive, Parnell, Auckland.
26/11/25	Hamilton, John	6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Hamilton.
18/8/26	Hannah, John	6 (1) b	26 Hautana Street, Lower Hutt.
16/6/26	Hansard, Guy Kynaston, A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	P.O. Box 393, Auckland.
8/3/26	Hansen, James Alfred	6 (1) b	Manaia.
7/4/26	Hardey, John Ernest, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	P.O. Box 1055, Wellington.
26/11/25	Hardie, Herbert John, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	Eruera Street, Rotorua.
16/10/25	Harding, Roy Lindsay	6 (1) b	County Engineer, Feilding.
5/5/26	Hargrave, Ernest	6 (1) b	112 Hills Road, Mount Richmond, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Harkness, Donald Ernest, B.E.	6 (1) a	Auckland University College, Auckland.
14/7/26	Harley, Howard Charles Ker	6 (1) b	60 Milton Street, Nelson.
26/11/25	Harris, Hugh George	6 (1) b	Thyra Street, Dannevirke.
18/3/27	Hart, George Adam, M.I.C.E., M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	City Engineer, Wellington.
5/5/26	Hart, Harry Ernest Mitchell	6 (1) b	Lake Coleridge.
7/4/26	Hartridge, Edgar Cecil	6 (1) b	Marine Parade, Rona Bay, Wellington.
7/4/26	Haskell, John Victor	6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Tauranga.
5/5/26	Hastings, Albert Anthony, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	41 Kennedy Road, Napier.
18/9/25	Haszard, Henry Vivian Moore	6 (1) b	Carnfoot Street, Wanganui.
5/5/26	Hawkes, Douglas James	6 (1) b	227 The Terrace, Wellington.
7/4/26	Hay, Francis Charles, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Foxton.
16/6/26	Hay, John Buchanan, M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	25 Balgownie Avenue, Wanganui.
7/4/26	Hay, Thomas Tyrrell King	6 (1) b	4 Denbigh Street, Feilding.

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Date of Registration.	Name.	Qualifications.	Residence or Business Address.
7/4/26	Heays, Harry Cecil, A.M.I.M.E.	Section 6 (1) a	Ganges Road, Khandallah.
5/5/26	Hellaby, Joseph Arthur Burdett, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	110 Lucerne Road, Remuera, Auckland.
18/8/26	Hempleman, Frank	6 (1) b	Harbour View Terrace, Onehunga.
26/11/25	Henderson, Charles Alexander	6 (1) b	Russell Street, Nelson.
26/11/25	Henderson, Matthew Cochrane, B.A., M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a and b	56 Eglinton Road, Dunedin.
18/9/25	Herring, Horace Edgar, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	9 Dilworth Avenue, Remuera, Auckland.
7/4/26	Heughan, David	6 (1) b	61 Park Road, Auckland.
16/6/26	Hibbard, Edwin Stanford	6 (1) b	Bryce Street, Castlecliff, Wanganui.
14/7/26	Hickford, George	6 (1) b	Awahuri.
8/3/26	Higgins, James	6 (1) b	Sealy Street, Thames.
16/10/25	Higgins, John	6 (1) b	29 Alexander Street, Greymouth.
14/7/26	Hitchcock, Edward, M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	159 Rolleston Street, Linwood, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Hobday, Ernest Herbert	6 (1) b	30 Ribble Street, Island Bay, Wellington.
8/3/26	Hogg, Herbert Luke	6 (1) b	Seddon Street, Racthi.
8/3/26	Holderness, Drummond, M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	9 Matarua Road, Remuera, Auckland.
12/8/25	Hollands, Edwin Frank, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	General Manager, M.E.D., Timaru.
16/6/26	Holloway, Arthur Gordon Perham, B.Sc.	6 (1) a	17 Macdonald Crescent, Wellington.
18/9/25	Holmes, John Dudley, M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	23 Burnell Avenue, Wellington.
26/11/25	Hope, Owen Morley	6 (1) b	Arapuni.
16/6/26	Horne, Alfred William	6 (1) b	358 Stout Street, Gisborne.
26/11/25	Horner, Burnham Hirst	6 (1) b	County Engineer, Rotorua.
20/7/26	Houghton, Samuel Birchall, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	Box 61, Waipawa.
16/6/26	Howell, Irwin Joseph, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	49 Marine Parade, Herne Bay, Auckland.
18/8/26	Howitt, John Henry	6 (1) b	Timaru.
5/5/26	Hubbard, Charles Robert, A.M.I.E.E., A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	83 Grey Street, Palmerston North.
16/6/26	Hudson, William, B.Sc.	6 (1) a	Care of Sir W. G. Armstrong Whitworth Com- pany, Arapuni.
16/6/26	Huggett, William Henry	6 (1) b	56 Fillis Street, New Plymouth.
16/6/26	Hughes, John Richard	6 (1) b	260 Featherston Street, Palmerston North.
18/8/26	Hungerford, John Thomas	6 (1) b	Care of Wellington Gas Company, Wellington.
16/6/26	Huntley, George, M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a and b	171 The Terrace, Wellington.
5/5/26	Hurley, John James	6 (1) b	245 Waltham Road, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Hursthous, Dennis Wilson	6 (1) b	Caroline Road, Hastings.
5/5/26	Hursthous, Ernest William, A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	7 Bloomfield Terrace, Lower Hutt.
18/8/26	Hutchison, Eric, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	Springcombe Road, St. Heliers Bay, Auckland.
8/3/26	Hutton, Leslie Bertram, B.E., A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	Chief Engineer, Southland Power Board, Invercargill.
16/6/26	Hutton, William Augustus, B.Sc.	6 (1) a	Mangahao, Shannon.
14/7/26	Imlay, James Cameron, A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	Dredgemaster, Bluff.
16/6/26	Ingram, John	6 (1) b	5 Williams Street, Lower Hutt.
16/6/26	Innes, William	6 (1) b	Marine Parade, Wairoa.
14/7/26	Irvine, Alexander Maepherston	6 (1) b	25 Summer Street, Ponsonby, Auckland.
16/10/25	Jackson, Gerald Arthur	6 (1) b	39 Onslow Road, Kingsland, Auckland.
7/4/26	Jackson, Ralph Henry	6 (1) b	92 New North Road, Kingsland, Auckland.
5/5/26	Jacobsen, William	6 (1) b	Quarry Street, Musselburgh, Dunedin.
16/6/26	Jeff, William Archibald	6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Dargaville.
16/10/25	Jeffrey, William McKenzie	6 (1) b	Hume Pipe Company, Auckland.
5/5/26	Jeffreys, Charles Theodore	6 (1) b	4 Wilkinson Street, Oriental Bay, Wellington.
26/11/25	Jenkin, Ralph Meredith, A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	Thames Valley Power Board, Paeroa.
26/11/25	Johnson, Walter Chambers	6 (1) b	Westport.
16/6/26	Johnson, Walter Robert George	6 (1) b	Waihou.
16/10/25	Johnson, William Thompson	6 (1) b	29 Hunter Street, Wellington.
20/7/26	Johnston, John Alexander	6 (1) b	17 Harwood Street, Hamilton.
16/6/26	Johnston, Thomas Arthur, B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Mangahao, Shannon.
5/5/26	Jones, Frederick James, M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Chairman, Railway Board, Wellington.
14/7/26	Jones, John William	6 (1) b	Waikino, Ohinemuri.
7/4/26	Jones, Nelson	6 (1) b	19 Watt Street, Wellington.
14/7/26	Jones, Reginald Cleveland, A.M.I.M.E., A.M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	129 Holly Road, Christchurch.
26/11/25	Jones, Robert Clay, M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	119 York Place, Dunedin.
5/5/26	Jones, Stanley Walter, A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a and b	Remuera, Auckland.
16/6/26	Joyce, Sydney Arthur, M.I.E.E.	6 (1) a	Vickers House, Woodward Street, Wellington.
8/3/26	Kaye, Robert Leslie, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Roxburgh.
14/7/26	Kean, Roy Champion	6 (1) b	4 Hinau Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
20/7/26	Keller, Peter, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Taumarunui.
26/11/25	Kelly, John	6 (1) b	Rawene, Hokianga.
7/4/26	Kemp, Herbert George, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a and b	Cox Street, Ashburton.
26/11/25	Kemp, Humphrey	6 (1) b	Palmerston Road, Birkenhead.
18/8/26	Kent, Robert Sydney	6 (1) b	Divisional Superintendent, N.Z. Railways, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Kepple, George William	6 (1) b	P.O. Box 24, Hamilton.
5/5/26	Kidson, Charles Idrys, B.E.	6 (1) a	Aongatete.
16/6/26	King, Stanley Seymour	6 (1) b	Power-house, Mangahao.
16/6/26	King, Thomas Edward	6 (1) b	Government Printing Office, Wellington.
16/6/26	King, Wilford Bertrand, A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Edinburgh Street, Dannevirke.
5/5/26	Kirby, William Hubert, A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	6 (1) a	Care of Sir W. G. Armstrong Whitworth Com- pany, Wellington.
16/6/26	Kirkpatrick, Robert Duke	6 (1) b	12 Wellington Road, Kilbirnie, Wellington.
12/8/25	Kissel, Frederick Templeton Manheim, B.Sc., M.I.E.E., A.M.I.C.E.	6 (1) a	Chief Electrical Engineer, Public Works De- partment, Wellington.
16/6/26	Knott, Joseph Eric, B.E.	6 (1) a	13 May Street, N. Fitzroy, Victoria, Australia.
26/11/25	Kydd, John	6 (1) b	72 Gillies Avenue, Epsom, Auckland.

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14/7/26	Lakeman, Henry George, A.M.I.E.E. ..	Section 6 (1) a	20 Gillies Avenue, Auckland.
7/4/26	Lamb, Sidney Ernest, A.M.I.M.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Director, School of Engineering, Auckland University College, Auckland.
16/6/26	Lancaster, John Gill, M.Sc., B.E., A.M.I.C.E., M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	P.O. Box 920, Wellington.
26/11/25	Langbein, Charles, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Pikomanu, Nelson.
26/11/25	Langbein, Fritz, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Langbein, William Theodore, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	District Engineer's Office, N.Z. Railways, Auckland.
8/3/26	Langford, George Sherwin ..	.. 6 (1) b	Ohai, Southland.
16/6/26	Langford, James Stanley ..	.. 6 (1) b	150 High Street, Christchurch.
7/2/27	Larcomb, Victor Ernest ..	.. 6 (1) b	10 Yule Street, Kilbirnie, Wellington.
5/5/26	Lauchlan, George, A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Stafford Street, Seatoun, Wellington.
5/5/26	Laurenson, George Lyttelton, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	108 Derby Street, Westport.
4/8/26	Lawn, Charles Henry ..	.. 6 (1) b	Stratford.
20/7/26	Lawn, Edmund Henry ..	.. 6 (1) b	Telegraph Engineer, Dunedin.
16/6/26	Leah, Howard ..	.. 6 (1) b	320 Mansfield Street, Newtown.
7/4/26	Learmont, Tom ..	.. 6 (1) b	Mawheraiti, Greymouth.
5/5/26	Le Cren, William Jaumard ..	.. 6 (1) b	74 Murray Place, St. Albans, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Lee, George Allen, A.M.I.M.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Empire Buildings, Swanson Street, Auckland.
12/8/25	Lee, John Harsant, B.Sc., A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Care of Metropolitan Vickers Company (Limited), Wellington
16/10/25	Lee, Robert ..	.. 6 (1) b	P.O. Box 363, Dunedin.
16/6/26	Leeder, Gordon Stanley ..	.. 6 (1) b	33 North Street, Palmerston North.
5/5/26	Leeder, William Robert ..	.. 6 (1) b	Box 6, Little River.
16/10/25	Leeds, Alfred Thurlow ..	.. 6 (1) b	115, Seaters Buildings, Lambton Quay, Wellington.
8/10/26	Letts, Louis Wilfrid George ..	.. 6 (1) b	Richard Street, Opatiki.
7/4/26	Lindberg, Ragnar ..	.. 6 (1) b	Hauraki Street, Birkenhead, Auckland.
18/3/27	Lindup, Frederick William ..	.. 6 (1) b	Ennis Street, Alexandra.
12/8/25	Littlejohn, James Gordon ..	.. 6 (1) b	City Engineer, Nelson.
20/7/26	Long, Arthur Buckley ..	.. 6 (1) b	Banna Avenue, Griffith, New South Wales.
26/11/25	Lopdell, William James ..	.. 6 (1) b	35 National Bank, Fort Street, Auckland.
5/5/26	Lovatt, Robert Henry, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	18 Ramwig Street, Gladstone, Invercargill.
16/10/25	Lowe, John Kennaway ..	.. 6 (1) b	N.Z. Railways, Auckland.
5/5/26	Lowry, James, B.Sc. ..	.. 6 (1) b	Marine Department, Wellington.
9/12/26	Lowson, George Wilfred Baxter, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	P.O. Box 211, New Plymouth.
16/6/26	Luff, George Andrew Middlemiss, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	100 West Street, Feilding.
8/3/26	Luke, Charles Roland ..	.. 6 (1) b	8 Victoria Street, Palmerston North.
5/5/26	Luke, John Pearce, A.M.I.M.E., A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	35 Hamilton Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
26/11/25	Luke, Kenneth Ewart ..	.. 6 (1) b	City Engineer's Department, Wellington.
18/8/26	Luke, Samuel Everett ..	.. 6 (1) b	20 Waipapa Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
8/3/26	Lush, Arthur, B.E., A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Arapuni.
18/3/27	Lusty, Horace Campbell, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	74 Selwyn Street, Christchurch.
18/8/26	Lye, Robert William Gale, A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Wanganui.
14/7/26	Lynde, Gilbert Somerville, A.M.I.M.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Chief Mechanical Engineer, N.Z. Railways, Wellington.
26/11/25	Lyth, Norman Rowe, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Matiere.
7/4/26	Lythgoe, Joseph, A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	10 Kilgour Road, Greymouth.
5/5/26	MacAndrew, Hunter ..	.. 6 (1) b	North-east Harbour, Dunedin.
7/4/26	MacDiarmid, Archibald Campbell ..	.. 6 (1) b	Wright Street, Masterton.
16/6/26	Macfarlane, John Bolton ..	.. 6 (1) b	City Engineer's Office, Wellington.
16/10/25	Macindoe, Alfred Everard ..	.. 6 (1) b	76 Kennedy Road, Napier.
16/6/26	Mackie, Arthur Perrot, A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	3 Lothian Street, Dunedin.
4/8/25	MacLean, Francis William, M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	129 Upland Road, Kelburn, Wellington.
7/4/26	MacLean, George Frederick ..	.. 6 (1) b	Maxwell Road, Blenheim.
14/7/26	Maclean, Eric Wanklyn, B.A., A.M.I.M.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	16 Bloomfield Terrace, Lower Hutt.
16/6/26	Maclean, Robert Lancelot, A.M.I.M.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Glenlyon, Lincoln Road, Napier.
8/3/26	MacLennan, Telford, B.E., A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	19 Ulster Street, Hamilton.
5/5/26	Macmorran, Robert Glen ..	.. 6 (1) b	68 Orakei Road, Auckland.
5/5/26	McArthur, James Frederick ..	.. 6 (1) b	Pukekohe.
7/4/26	McAven, Joseph Stanleigh ..	.. 6 (1) b	29 Mountain View Road, Morningside, Auckland.
26/11/25	McCaw, James Muir ..	.. 6 (1) b	Mangaore, Shannon.
16/6/26	McCcoll, Peter ..	.. 6 (1) b	62 Salamanca Road, Wellington.
26/11/25	McCredie, Alfred James ..	.. 6 (1) b	34 Holmwood Road, Christchurch.
7/4/26	McDermott, James, A.M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Telegraph Department, Wellington.
8/3/26	McEnnis, John Edward Walpole ..	.. 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Whangarei.
5/5/26	McFadyen, Alexander, B.Sc., M.I.M.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	6 Cban Street, Roslyn, Dunedin.
18/9/25	McFarlane, Thomas ..	.. 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Auckland.
14/7/26	McGregor, George Alexander ..	.. 6 (1) b	96 Cargill Street, Dunedin.
5/5/26	McIntyre, Donald Fergus ..	.. 6 (1) b	68 Macdonald Street, Napier.
14/7/26	McKenzie, Andrew ..	.. 6 (1) b	Pareora, Canterbury.
16/6/26	McKenzie, Charles John, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Assistant Engineer-in-Chief, Public Works Department, Wellington.
16/6/26	McKenzie, Ernest Frederick ..	.. 6 (1) b and c	Mangaore, Shannon.
5/5/26	McKillop, Edgar Ravenswood, A.M.I.C.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wairoa.
18/8/26	McKinlay, John ..	.. 6 (1) b	15 Rangitoto Avenue, Remuera, Auckland.
5/5/26	McLauchlan, John Connal ..	.. 6 (1) b	Waipukurau.
16/6/26	McLeod, Neil Gloster, M.I.E.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	Islington Street, Te Aroha.
5/5/26	McLintock, Robert Alexander Hare, M.I.M.E. ..	.. 6 (1) a	7 Leckhampton Court, Caversham Rise, Dunedin.
5/5/26	Macey, Leslie Lancelot ..	.. 6 (1) b	District Telegraph Engineer, Dunedin.
7/2/27	Mackersey, Colin Alleyne, A.M.I.E.E. 6 (1) a	40 Oban Street, Highland Park, Wellington.

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Date of Registration.	Name.	Qualifications.	Residence or Business Address.
18/8/26	Mainland, Raymond Ferrier	Section 6 (1) b	Borough Engineer, Te Kuiti.
4/8/25	Mair, Sydney Arthur Robert	" 6 (1) b	Hunterville.
16/6/26	Mandeno, Lloyd, B.E., A.M.I.E.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Consulting Engineer, Auckland.
7/4/26	Marchant, Frank Septimus	" 6 (1) b	70 Waipapa Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
16/6/26	Marchbanks, Donald Stuart Gore ..	" 6 (1) c	Public Works Department, Kohukohu.
31/3/27	Marchbanks, James, M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	General Manager, Harbour Board, Wellington.
16/6/26	Marks, John Reuben, A.M.I.C.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Dunedin.
16/10/25	Marshall, William Forrest	" 6 (1) b	Endeans Buildings, Ewen Street, Auckland.
18/8/26	Martin, Francis Douglas	" 6 (1) b	Care of Sir W. G. Armstrong Whitworth Com- pany, Arapuni.
16/6/26	Martin, Tom Walton	" 6 (1) b	7 Wesley Road, Wellington.
7/4/26	Mason, George	" 6 (1) b	Burnside, Dunedin
16/6/26	Mason, John Blair, M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	49 Tainui Road, Devonport, Auckland.
26/11/25	Mason, Percy Herbert, A.M.I.E.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Telegraph Engineer, Dunedin.
20/7/26	Matthews, Harold Humphrey	" 6 (1) b	31 Grace Street, Invercargill.
16/10/25	Matthewson, Frank, B.E.	" 6 (1) b	Care of Southland Power Board, Invercargill.
5/5/26	Mauchlin, William Vallance, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	4 Brougham Street, Sydenham.
8/3/26	Maunder, Richard Stanley, A.M.I.E.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	68 Hataitai Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
26/11/25	May, Leslie, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Nelson.
26/11/25	Mayhew, Sidney William	" 6 (1) b	Waiuta, West Coast.
26/11/25	Mead, Arthur David, B.E., A.M.I.C.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	10 Summer Street, Devonport, Auckland.
16/10/25	Meenan, John, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	79 Cargill Street, Dunedin.
7/4/26	Menzies, James Edwin	" 6 (1) b	Palmerston North.
7/4/26	Menzies, Robert Robertson	" 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Whangarei.
7/4/26	Miles, Percy Vincent Charles Richard ..	" 6 (1) b	122 Coromandel Street, Wellington.
16/6/26	Millar, Hawthorne McKenzie, A.M.I.E.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.
16/6/26	Miller, Montague Horatio	" 6 (1) b	Chancery Chambers, O'Connell Street, Auckland.
26/11/25	Millikin, Murdoch McKenzie	" 6 (1) b	Quay Street, Auckland.
9/12/26	Milne, Thomas Douglas, A.M.I.M.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Peel Street, Westport.
26/11/25	Mindo, Arnold Waldemar, B.Sc., M.I.E.E., M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	127 Frederick Street, Dunedin.
7/4/26	Mitchell, Alexander Stewart, M. I. M. E., A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a and b	117 Customhouse Quay, Wellington.
16/6/26	Mitchell, Archibald Charles, M.I.M.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	10 Maarama Crescent, Wellington.
5/5/26	Mitchell, James Gordon, B.A., A.M.I.C.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Care of National Bank, Wellington.
9/12/26	Mitchell, William John, A.M.I.E.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	69 Rugby Street, Christchurch.
18/8/26	Moore, Robert Forbes	" 6 (1) b	21 Wynyard Street, Auckland.
26/11/25	Morey, Percy Harold, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Railway Department, Invercargill.
12/8/25	Morice, James Murray, B.Sc., M.I.C.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	40 Wadestown Road, Wellington.
8/3/26	Morris, Geoffrey Scriven	" 6 (1) b	Park Terrace, Lyttelton.
5/5/26	Morrison, Alexander Findlay	" 6 (1) b	Canterbury College, Christchurch.
26/11/25	Morrison, Donald Kenneth	" 6 (1) b	New Plymouth.
16/6/26	Morrison, George Wright	" 6 (1) b	Hampton College, Le Cren Terrace, Timaru.
8/3/26	Morton, William Bampton	" 6 (1) b	"Ratanui," Petone.
26/11/25	Moss, Arthur Edward, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Kaponga, Taranaki.
16/6/26	Moult, Harry	" 6 (1) b	268 Willis Street, Wellington
20/7/26	Mowat, William Alfred	" 6 (1) b	Wellington Woollen-mills, Petone.
5/5/26	Mowatt, William	" 6 (1) b	20 Marsden Street, Lower Hutt.
18/3/27	Muggeridge, Albert	" 6 (1) b	County Engineer, Hawera.
26/11/25	Muir, Andrew Gray, B.Sc.	" 6 (1) b	Seddon Street, Rotorua.
26/11/25	Muir, James Wilfred	" 6 (1) b	190 Featherston Street, Palmerston North.
5/5/26	Muir, Robert Henry	" 6 (1) b	Ohura.
4/8/25	Murray, Andrew	" 6 (1) c	12 Ocean View Road, Milford, Auckland.
18/9/25	Murray, George Thomas, A.M.I.C.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	21 Swanson Street, Auckland.
16/6/26	Murray, James	" 6 (1) b	Wanganui.
16/6/26	Murray, Thomas Peters	" 6 (1) b	Wanganui.
16/6/26	Nelson, Lionel, B.A., A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	Messines Road, Karori, Wellington.
7/4/26	Neville, Frederick Hugh Rothes	" 6 (1) b	55 Nayland Street, Sumner.
9/12/26	Newman, Arthur John, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	169 Albert Street, Palmerston North.
12/8/25	Newnham, William Langston, A.M.I.C.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.
14/7/26	Noy, Henry George Laurence	" 6 (1) b	94 Musselburgh Rise, Dunedin.
26/11/25	O'Donnell, William John	" 6 (1) b	Waipukurau.
18/3/27	Orbell, Stanley	" 6 (1) b	12 O'Connell Street, Auckland.
26/11/25	O'Ryan, William	" 6 (1) b	Waipiro Bay.
26/11/25	Overton, Thomas Richard, M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Pukekohe.
16/10/25	Owen, Alexander Cay, B.E., M.I.E.E., A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	35 North Terrace, Kelburn, Wellington.
8/10/26	Oxenham, Sydenham Stanley	" 6 (1) b	P.O. Box 167, Cairns, Queensland.
26/11/25	Packwood, Roland Harry, A.M.I.C.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Auckland.
26/11/25	Page, John Robert	" 6 (1) b	County Engineer, Manukau County, Auckland.
8/3/26	Palamountain, John Arthur	" 6 (1) b	Smithfield, Timaru.
16/10/25	Palmer, Alfred Henry	" 6 (1) b	Devon Street, New Plymouth.
5/5/26	Palmer, Charles Reginald, A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	8 Ranui Road, Remuera, Auckland.
16/6/26	Palmer, Thornton John, B.E.	" 6 (1) a	27 Embo Street, Dunedin.
26/11/25	Park, James	" 6 (1) b	21 Arawa Street, Anderson's Bay, Dunedin.
7/4/26	Parton, David Edwin	" 6 (1) b	69 Hackthorne Road, Cashmere, Christchurch.
18/8/26	Pascoe, George Augustus	" 6 (1) b	115 Merivale Lane, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Paterson, Andrew James	" 6 (1) b	Wellington.
16/6/26	Paterson, Archie Donald	" 6 (1) b	British Pavements (Limited), Hereford Street, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Patterson, Hugh	" 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Shannon.
9/12/26	Pavitt, Harold Hastings	" 6 (1) b	125 Cole Street, Masterton.
7/4/26	Payne, Lintorn Simmons, A.M.I.E.E. ..	" 6 (1) a	61 Park Road, Papanui, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Pearce, William Gilchrist	" 6 (1) b	174 Lewis Street, Invercargill.
16/6/26	Pearless, Reginald Lessel	" 6 (1) b	County Engineer, Tauranga.

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Date of Registration.	Name.	Qualifications.	Residence or Business Address.
16/6/26	Pease, Charles Rowland	Section 6 (1) b	9 Park Avenue, Auckland.
16/6/26	Pennington, John Hawley, M.E., A.M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Sefton, Hackthorne Road, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Phear, Gilbert Ashleigh .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	241 Main Road, Lower Hutt.
18/9/25	Philpott, Henry Edwin Redmond, A.M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	65 Aro Street, Wellington.
26/11/25	Pickford, Howard .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	114 McLean Street, Woodville.
8/3/26	Pike, Marmaduke Alfred .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	102 Aikman's Road, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Piper, Percival Wensley .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Refrigerating Company (Limited), Islington.
5/5/26	Plank, Charles Selwood, A.M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	15 Braithwaite Street, Karori, Wellington.
26/11/25	Porteous, John Stewart .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Te Araroa.
5/5/26	Powell, Frank Edward, A.M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Albany, Auckland.
16/10/25	Powell, Percival Herbert, M.Sc., M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	475 Durham Street, Christchurch.
16/10/25	Priestley, Horace George Minet .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	75 Pitt Street, Wanganui.
14/7/26	Procter, Thomas Rookwood Worsley	.. 6 (1) b	16 Burwood Crescent, Auckland.
26/11/25	Puffett, Robert .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	103 Stortford Street, Hastings.
26/11/25	Purvis, Frederick Charles, A.M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Titoki.
7/4/26	Quartermain, Allan Arthur, B.E. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Mangahao.
12/8/25	Rabone, Thomas Cedric Victor .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Arapuni.
8/3/26	Rankin, David, M.I.M.E. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) a	Marine Department, Wellington.
7/4/26	Reeves, Edward, A.M.I.E.E., M.I.M.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Hamilton.
26/11/25	Reid, Henry John .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Care of Dansey's Limited, Auckland.
8/3/26	Rhodes, Meredith Heaton .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	27 Rata Road, Hataitai, Wellington.
8/3/26	Richards, William Davies .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Tramways Engineer, Dunedin.
4/8/25	Rix-Trott, Henry .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Marsden Church House, Nelson.
8/3/26	Roberts, Edward Fletcher, A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	.. 6 (1) a	111 Stuart Street, Dunedin.
20/7/26	Roberts, Richard Thomas Candy .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	"Aorangi," Granville Terrace, Roslyn, Dun- edin.
12/8/25	Roberts, Robert James, A.M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.
20/7/26	Robertson, David .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Wellington.
14/7/26	Robinson, Camm Paul, B.Sc. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Alexandra.
7/4/26	Robinson, Ernest Crellin .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Raetihi.
26/11/25	Robinson, Isaac Richard, B.E., A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Mangaore, Shannon.
8/3/26	Roche, Henry .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Cambridge, Waikato.
26/11/25	Roche, William James .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Wellington.
7/4/26	Rogers, John .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	"Lycullin," Glenamond Road, Mount Eden, Auckland.
16/10/25	Ronayne, Robert Henry Price, A.M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.
16/6/26	Rounthwaite, Richard Septimus, M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	112 Lambton Quay, Wellington.
20/7/26	Roy, Henry Wilson .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Horahora.
20/7/26	Royds, Harold George .. .. .	.. 6 (1) c	Care of Vacuum Oil Company Proprietary (Limited), Auckland.
4/8/25	Russell, Cecil Ruffell, M.Sc. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) a	162 Heaton Street, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Russell, Jacob Carl .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	86 Webb Street, Wellington.
16/6/26	Rutherford, David Markwell .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Pukeuri Road, Oamaru.
16/6/26	Salmon, Cedric Whitby, A.M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	21A Glenbervie Terrace, Wellington.
16/10/25	Sampson, Gerard William, A.M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	10 Stanley Street, Hamilton.
7/4/26	Saxelby, Guy Bolding .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Otautau.
16/10/25	Schadick, Campbell Frederick .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	79 Peel Street, Westport.
16/6/26	Scott, Arthur .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	153 Earn Street, Invercargill.
16/10/25	Scott, Donald Marcus .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Bombay Street, Ngaio, Wellington.
7/4/26	Scott, Frederick Samuel .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	65 Manchester Street, Christchurch.
7/4/26	Scott, George .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	65 Manchester Street, Christchurch.
7/4/26	Scott, Henry .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Arapuni.
18/9/25	Scott, James Hugh .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	610 Charles Street, Hastings.
5/5/26	Scott, William .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Powerhouse Residence, Gorton Street, Gore.
18/9/25	Shannon, Francis .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	25 Kelvin Road, Remuera.
26/11/25	Sharp, Henry Hey, A.M.I.C.E., A.M.I.M.E.	.. 6 (1) a	111 Derwent Street, Island Bay, Wellington.
16/6/26	Shepherd, Frank Rowland .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	25 Hay Street, Oriental Bay, Wellington.
26/11/25	Shrimpton, Edward Alan, M.I.E.E.	.. 6 (1) a	38 Rongotai Terrace, Wellington.
26/11/25	Silver, Samuel Taylor .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Woodward Street, Wellington.
9/12/26	Simmers, Robert, B.Sc. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Greymouth.
14/7/26	Simmonds, Joseph Charles, B.Sc. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Auckland.
26/11/25	Simpson, John .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	498 Manchester Street, Christchurch.
16/10/25	Sims, Sydney Bennett .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	4 Knox Street, Hamilton.
16/6/26	Skelton, Herbert Harley .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	"Erene," Barrett Street, New Plymouth.
16/6/26	Sladden, Hubert .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Woburn Road, Lower Hutt.
16/10/25	Sladden, Lewis Coster .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Devon Street, New Plymouth.
7/4/26	Slade, George Thomas .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	6 Waimataitai Street, Timaru.
16/10/25	Slinger, Archibald .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Audrey Street, Takapuna.
5/5/26	Slyfield, Robert Gordon .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	O'Connell Street, Auckland.
5/5/26	Smith, Adam George Leigh .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Wairoa, Hawke's Bay.
7/4/26	Smith, Charles Frederick Marshall, B.Sc., B.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Care of Drainage Board, Hereford Street, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Smith, Douglas William, A.M.I.M.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Te Aroha Street, Hamilton.
16/6/26	Smith, Harold Hooper .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	2 Tawa Street, Gonville, Wanganui.
16/6/26	Smith, Harry Louis Percy, A.M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Assistant Engineer, Railway Department, Auckland.
26/11/25	Smith, James Arthur, A.M.I.E.E. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) a	Horowhenua Power Board, Levin.
7/4/26	Smith, John Ralfe, A.M.I.E.E. .. .. .	.. 6 (1) a	9 Garden Road, Northland, Wellington.
26/11/25	Smith, Reginald Trevor, A.M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Napier.
18/9/25	Spanhake, Sidney Laurence .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Parore Street, Dargaville.
16/6/26	Sparrow, Leonard Charles Hughes .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	10 Garden Terrace, Devonport, Auckland.
26/11/25	Spence, John William .. .. .	.. 6 (1) b	Olivia Street, Stratford.
16/6/26	Spencer, Seymour Thomason, A.M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	No. 4 Shore Road, Remuera, Auckland.
20/7/26	Spicer, John Henry Revell, A.M.I.M.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Care of John Burns and Co. (Limited), Customs Street, Auckland.
5/5/26	Spiller, Leonard, A.M.I.E.E. 6 (1) a	Post and Telegraph Department, Napier.
8/3/26	Staveley, Newbold Crofton, A.M.I.C.E.	.. 6 (1) a	Great North Road, Wanganui.

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26/11/25	Steele, Samuel, B.Sc.	Section 6 (1) a	18 Poynder Avenue, Fendalton.
14/7/26	Stephens, Benjamin George Claude	" 6 (1) b	14 Marine Parade, Herne Bay, Auckland.
7/4/26	Stephens, John Grant, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	316 Riccarton Road, Christchurch.
18/9/25	Stephenson, Charles Barnett	" 6 (1) b	48 Ann Street, Roslyn, Dunedin.
18/9/25	Stevens, William Henry	" 6 (1) b	Box 82, Napier.
18/9/25	Stewart, Andrew	" 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Wairoa, H.B.
5/5/26	Stewart, David William	" 6 (1) b	Power-station, Waipori Falls.
26/11/25	Stewart, George Tiffin	" 6 (1) b	Ruawai, North Wairoa.
16/10/25	Stokes, John Whitley Gabriel, B.A., A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Nelson.
18/8/26	Stone, William James	" 6 (1) b	144 St. Hill Street, Wanganui.
16/10/25	Struthers, William	" 6 (1) b	Waiotira, North Auckland.
4/8/25	Sturrock, John	" 6 (1) b	Borough Engineer, Hawera.
7/2/27	Sutherland, George	" 6 (1) b	Amohia Street, Rotorua.
14/7/26	Swaney, James Wilfred	" 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Horahora.
26/11/25	Swinburn, Benjamin Blenkinsop, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a and b	Drainage Board, Christchurch.
26/11/25	Swinburne, Cecil Gordon	" 6 (1) b	18 Kauri Street, Wellington.
16/10/25	Talboys, Frank Powell, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	14 Grey Street, Wanganui.
16/6/26	Taylor, Charles Emery, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	89 Rangitikei Street, Palmerston North.
14/7/26	Taylor, Edward	" 6 (1) b	Lands Department, Kerepehi.
16/10/25	Taylor, George Stamp, M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	21 Norwich Chambers, Wellington.
18/8/26	Taylor, Harold Ferguson, B.E.	" 6 (1) a	Franklin Electric-power Board, Pukekohe.
7/4/26	Taylor, Joseph Fenwick	" 6 (1) b	Lloyd's Surveyor, T. and G. Buildings, Christchurch.
14/7/26	Templin, John Richard	" 6 (1) b	139 Gloucester Street, Christchurch.
7/4/26	Tewsley, Eric Neill, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	21 St. George's Bay Road, Auckland.
8/3/26	Thomas, George Ivan Bickerdyke, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.
16/10/25	Thomas, Herbert Percival, B.Sc.	" 6 (1) a and b	Care of the Hydro-electric Circle, P.W.D., Lahore, India.
8/3/26	Thomas, Malcolm James	" 6 (1) b	5 Queen's Avenue, Frankton Junction.
5/5/26	Thompson, Arthur Harloe	" 6 (1) b	Cave Terrace Road, Monk's Spur, Redcliffs.
5/5/26	Thompson, Charles Herbert	" 6 (1) b	Care of Greytown Hotel, Greytown.
26/11/25	Thompson, Frederick Norman, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	1 Madeira Road, Napier.
16/6/26	Thompson, John Baird	" 6 (1) b	Under-Secretary, Lands Department, Wellington.
18/8/26	Thompson, Richard Samuel, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Lawrence.
18/8/26	Thoms, Arthur	" 6 (1) b	Rangitikei County Council, Marton.
14/7/26	Thomson, James Edward	" 6 (1) b	406 Southern Cross Buildings, Chancery Street, Auckland.
16/10/25	Thornton, Onslow Garth, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Paeroa.
8/3/26	Toogood, Henry Featherston, A.M.I.E.E., M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a and b	11 Grey Street, Wellington.
18/9/25	Tosswill, Robert Duprat	" 6 (1) b	41 Duncan Street, Wanganui.
16/6/26	Townley, Richard Bruce	" 6 (1) b	Tongaporutu, Private Bag, Waitara.
16/6/26	Townsend, John William	" 6 (1) b	18 Argyle Street, Wanganui.
7/4/26	Turnbull, George Devereux	" 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Gisborne.
26/11/25	Turner, Charles Barker Ross	" 6 (1) b	Dominion Buildings, Willow Street, Tauranga.
18/9/25	Turner, Edgar Percival, M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a and b	Engineer, Tramways Board, Christchurch.
8/3/26	Turner, George Pritchard, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	31 Sherbourne Street, Christchurch.
26/11/25	Turner, Henry Gyles	" 6 (1) b	11 Burnell Avenue, Wellington.
5/5/26	Tyler, James	" 6 (1) b	4 Cecil Road, Epsom, Auckland.
7/4/26	Tyndall, Arthur, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.
18/9/25	Upton, William Westwood	" 6 (1) b	Opotiki, Bay of Plenty.
7/4/26	Varian, Alfred Daniel	" 6 (1) b	622 Barbadoes Street, Christchurch.
16/6/26	Vickerman, Hugh, M.Sc., M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Consulting Engineer, Wellington.
16/6/26	Vickerman, Neville Longbourne, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	720 Mount Eden Road, Auckland.
20/7/26	Waite, Frank Sidney	" 6 (1) b	County Engineer, Inglewood.
18/3/27	Wakeman, Leslie Edmund Rupert, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	21 Wairere Road, Remuera, Auckland.
16/6/26	Wales, Robert, M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	40 Dowling Street, Dunedin.
5/5/26	Walker, Arthur Greville, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	202 Victoria Arcade, Auckland.
16/10/25	Walker, Arthur James, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Security Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland.
9/12/26	Wallace, John Napier, M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	P.O. Box 163, Wellington.
5/5/26	Wansbrough, Alexander Smillie, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	N.Z. Railways, Wellington.
16/6/26	Ware, William Henry, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	6 Newman Terrace, Thorndon, Wellington.
26/11/25	Waters, William Alexander, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Palmerston North.
26/11/25	Waterston, Robert	" 6 (1) b	48c Dyer's Pass Road, Cashmere, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Watkins, Alexander Edward Aitken	" 6 (1) b	7 Rugby Street, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Watkins, Henry Herbert	" 6 (1) b	22 Hirst Avenue, Devonport, Auckland.
18/9/25	Watkinson, Harold, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Sawyer's Creek Road, Greymouth.
14/7/26	Watson, David James	" 6 (1) b	Pohangina.
5/5/26	Watson, John Henry, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	329 Crinan Street, Invercargill.
16/6/26	Watson, William Henry Gordon	" 6 (1) b	Lake Coleridge.
18/8/26	Watt, John Duncan, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Alexandra.
8/10/26	Watters, Thomas Charles, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	Seddon Street East, Waihi.
18/8/26	Webb, Herbert	" 6 (1) b	Liffiton Street, Wanganui.
16/10/25	Webb, Leonard Francis	" 6 (1) b	Invercargill.
26/11/25	Webster, Alexander	" 6 (1) b	Leeston.
7/4/26	Webster, James, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Masterton.
18/8/26	Webster, John	" 6 (1) b	89 Williamson Avenue, Ponsonby, Auckland.
18/8/26	Webster, Nicol James, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) b	P.O. Box 1650, Auckland.
18/8/26	Welch, John Francis	" 6 (1) b	59 Waterloo Road, Lower Hutt.

REGISTER OF ENGINEERS—*continued.*

Date of Registration.	Name.	Qualifications.	Residence or Business Address.
18/9/25	Whiteside, George Samuel	Section 6 (1) b	Whakatane.
26/11/25	Whitmore, Jesse Darlington	" 6 (1) b	Care of Mount Roskill Road Board, Onehunga.
18/3/27	Wicks, Ernest Bulmer Priestley	" 6 (1) b	Tararua Electric-power Board, Eketahuna.
26/11/25	Wilkie, James McGregor, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a and b	4 Waterloo Street, St. Kilda, Dunedin.
18/9/25	Williams, Charles Henry	" 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Wanganui.
26/11/25	Williams, David Gwyn, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	Mandalay Terrace, Khandallah, Wellington.
26/11/25	Williams, Ernest Arthur	" 6 (1) b	10 Seapoint Road, Napier.
4/8/25	Williams, Frederick Joseph	" 6 (1) b	29 Bond Street, Dunedin.
5/5/26	Williams, Reginald Seymour	" 6 (1) b	87 Cashel Street, Christchurch.
5/5/26	Wilson, Ernest Gordon	" 6 (1) b	Mersey Street, Gore.
26/11/25	Wilson, Francis Joseph Haigh, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	60 Shortland Street, Auckland.
7/4/26	Wilson, Gilbert Thomas	" 6 (1) b	28 Trafalgar Street, Timaru.
5/5/26	Wilson, Hugh Munro	" 6 (1) b	Government Insurance Buildings, Queen Street, Auckland.
16/6/26	Wilson, James John	" 6 (1) b	Donald Street, Whangarei.
26/11/25	Wilson, Robert Alexander	" 6 (1) b	Public Works Department, Kaikoura.
26/11/25	Wilson, William James	" 6 (1) b	Whangarei Club, Whangarei.
18/8/26	Wimberley, Reginald John	" 6 (1) b	Barnard Street, Highland Park, Wellington.
18/8/26	Winter, Robert William	" 6 (1) b	Cass Street, Kaiapoi.
18/3/27	Wise, Henry Robert, B.E.	" 6 (1) a	Waitaki Electric-power Board, Oamaru.
5/5/26	Wood, John, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Wellington.
5/5/26	Woodson, Jonathan Plews	" 6 (1) b	Ormond Road, Napier.
5/5/26	Woodward, Arnold Adler	" 6 (1) b	Waikato County Council, Hamilton.
16/6/26	Worley, Ralph Palliser, M.Sc.	" 6 (1) b	11 Arney Road, Remuera, Auckland.
28/8/26	Worley, Rupert, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Borough Engineer, Hamilton.
16/10/25	Wright, Arthur Henry Moncrief	" 6 (1) b	Palmerston North.
7/4/26	Wright, Charles Samuel, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	35 Hay Street, Oriental Bay, Wellington.
5/5/26	Wright, Joseph, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Care of Sir W. G. Armstrong Whitworth Company (Limited), Tauranga.
7/4/26	Wright, Joseph Patrick	" 6 (1) b	24 Albert Road, Devonport, Auckland.
5/5/26	Wright, Kenneth Moncrief	" 6 (1) b	Huntly West Road, Ngaruawahia.
26/11/25	Wright, Maurice McGill	" 6 (1) b	12 Mayfield Avenue, Christchurch.
18/9/25	Wright, Sidney Robert	" 6 (1) b	Hororata.
16/6/26	Wright, Trevor Moncrief, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Public Works Department, Whangarei.
18/8/26	Wyles, Guy Wilfrid, A.M.I.E.E.	" 6 (1) a	5 Ngaio Road, Wellington.
5/5/26	Wynne, Henry John, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a and b	9 Grove Road, Kelburn, Wellington.
18/3/26	Young, Alfred, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	64 Clifford Street, Gisborne.
16/10/25	Young, Harben Robert, A.M.I.C.E.	" 6 (1) a	Lyndhurst Street, Westport.
16/6/26	Ziman, Louis Isaac, A.M.I.M.E.	" 6 (1) a	33 Buller Street, Wellington.

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the names, qualifications, and addresses* of all persons registered under the Engineers Registration Act, 1924, as recorded in the register kept in this office.

W. L. NEWNHAM, Registrar.

Public Works Department, Wellington, 31st March, 1927.

* It may be that in some instances the places given under the heading "Residence or Business Address" are not the present places of abode or places of business of the respective persons. Addresses have been brought up to date as far as possible from the information available. All changes of address should be notified as soon as possible.

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	Arney, Alfred George William	Huntermville ..	Wheelwright ..	24/2/27	5/4/27	Intestate	Wellington.
2	Brodrick, Patrick ..	Drummond ..	Labourer ..	19/8/25	6/4/27	"	Invercargill.
3	Coughlan, Michael ..	Glenhope ..	" ..	28/2/27	5/4/27	"	Nelson.
4	Dall, Robert ..	Blackball ..	Miner ..	15/3/27	8/4/27	"	Hokitika.
5	Hosking, George White ..	Kaitangata ..	Coal-miner ..	15/10/26	8/4/27	"	Dunedin.
6	Mayes, Charles Alexander ..	Whangarei ..	Engine-driver ..	3/3/27	6/4/27	"	Auckland.
7	McMillan, James Duncan ..	Wellington ..	Mechanic ..	10/3/27	5/4/27	"	Wellington.
8	Negri Remigio ..	Maruia Junction ..	Miner ..	14/2/27	6/4/27	Intestate	Nelson.
9	Owen, Emily ..	Auckland ..	Spinister ..	27/2/27	6/4/27	Intestate	Auckland.
10	Randall, Harry ..	Upper Parkstone, England (formerly Matata, New Zealand)	Labourer ..	6/12/26	6/4/27	Testate	"
11	Sherlock, Thomas Leslie ..	Christchurch ..	" ..	25/2/27	6/4/27	"	Christchurch.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

Public Trustee.—Deceased Persons' Estates under Administration.

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

PARTICULARS of the Estates of Deceased Persons placed under the Charge of the PUBLIC TRUSTEE during the Month of March, 1927:—

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
1	Alexander, Mary Stuart	Christchurch .. .	Married woman ..	14/3/27	Testate.
2	Anderson, Martha Ann	Dunedin	"	17/2/27	"
3	Arney, Alfred George William ..	Huntermville .. .	Wheelwright	24/2/27	Intestate.
4	Ashwin, Emma	Shannon	Married woman ..	1/3/27	Testate.
5	Askew, William	Marlborough .. .	Retired storeman ..	17/1/27	"
6	Baddeley, Jesse	Runanga	Miner	4/2/27	"
7	Baker, George Thomas	Homebush	Labourer	18/3/27	"
8	Barlass, William	Christchurch .. .	Plumber	19/3/27	Intestate.
9	Bismarck, Frederick William ..	Blenheim	Farm employee ..	19/2/27	"
10	Bloomfield, Roy Victor	Shannon	Labourer	18/12/26	Testate.
11	Boggs, Francis Peter	Epsom, Auckland ..	"	17/3/27	"
12	Bremner, Elizabeth Jane	Lower Hutt	Married woman ..	1/3/27	Intestate.
13	Brodrick, Patrick	Drummond	Old-age pensioner ..	19/8/26	"
14	Brown, Annie Blair	Taoroa, Taihape ..	Widow	7/11/26	"
15	Bullock, George William	Wellington	Bootmaker	21/7/24	"
16	Bullock, Sophie	Christchurch .. .	Widow	21/3/27	Testate.
17	Cameron, Dugald	Blenheim	Labourer	8/8/26	Intestate.
18	Camwell, George	Wellington	"	26/2/27	Testate.
19	Chamberlain, Charles Alfred Henry	Auckland	Farmer	23/3/27	"
20	Christensen, Thomas Oscar ..	Dannevirke	Fitter, turner, and engineer	6/3/27	Intestate.
21	Christie, Catherine	Owaka	Spinster	15/3/27	Testate.
22	Clarke, Malcolm John	Dunedin	Police constable ..	5/3/27	Intestate.
23	Clough, Strickland	"	Manufacturer's repre- sentative	21/2/27	Testate.
24	Cordner, Capel	Christchurch .. .	Warehouseman ..	11/3/27	"
25	Cotton, Rosa	Takaka	Married woman ..	24/3/27	"
26	Coughlan, Michael	Glenhope	Labourer	28/2/27	Intestate.
27	Cowan, James	Millerton	Mine deputy	5/2/27	Testate.
28	Cox, Samuel Thomas	Opunake	Retired farmer ..	14/3/27	"
29	Davies, Matthew Thomas	Taupiri	Public Works Depart- ment employee ..	26/2/27	Intestate.
30	Eagleson, David Joseph	Auckland	Labourer	23/11/26	"
31	Edge, Maria Lucy	Pahiatua	Widow	7/3/27	"
32	Evans, Emma	Gisborne	"	18/3/27	Testate.
33	Faire, Michael Walter James ..	Wellington	Engine-driver ..	10/3/27	"
34	Fish, Louisa	Aorere, Colling- wood	Married woman ..	6/3/27	Intestate.
35	Fitzgerald, Michael Patrick ..	Tahakopa	Contractor	29/1/27	"
36	Fletcher, James	Christchurch .. .	Company representa- tive	19/3/27	Testate.
37	Forde, Michael	Granity	Mine deputy	5/2/27	Intestate.
38	Fright, George	Christchurch .. .	Carter	24/2/27	Testate.
39	Fuller, William James	Napier	Retired Civil servant	13/3/27	"
40	Gibson, Elizabeth Jane	Auckland	Married woman ..	5/3/27	Intestate.
41	Greaney, John Joseph	Greymouth	Blacksmith	18/2/27	Testate.
42	Greenhalgh, Hannah	Whangarei	Widow	13/3/27	"
43	Guy, Samuel Richard	Auckland	Retired cook	28/2/27	"
44	Hannah, Mary	Dunedin	Widow	9/1/27	Intestate.
45	Hayes, Mary	Hastings	Married woman ..	8/3/27	Testate.
46	Hayes, Thomas	Christchurch .. .	Labourer	8/3/27	"
47	Healey, Catherine	Dunedin	Spinster	6/3/27	"
48	Hepburn, Robert	Manutuke	Farmer	13/10/23	"
49	Hewitt, Charles Alfred	Christchurch .. .	Retired carrier ..	6/3/27	Intestate.
50	Hodson, Lucy Ada	Blenheim	Married woman ..	11/3/27	Testate.
51	Hughes, Ethel Elsa May Ellingsworth	Paeroa	Widow	20/2/27	"
52	Hunt, Sydney Clarence	Auckland	Retired stationer ..	27/2/27	"
53	Jack, Isabella	Christchurch .. .	Widow	3/3/27	"
54	Johnson, Leonard Edwin	Wellington	Private secretary ..	21/3/27	Intestate.
55	Johnson, Sinclair	Napier	Gentleman	23/3/27	Testate.
56	Jones, William, or Wm. Kingi ..	Wairoa, Hawke's Bay	Fireman	23/12/26	Intestate.
57	Karl, Edward Patrick	Pukeroro	Farmer	8/3/27	"
58	Kearns, William Richard	Wellington	Civil servant	29/1/27	"
59	Kelly, Alexander	Colac Bay	Old-age pensioner ..	11/10/26	"
60	Littleton, Jonathan	Waipapakauri .. .	Contractor and labourer	22/1/27	Testate.
61	Lower, James	Dannevirke	Labourer	26/2/27	"
62	Lucas, James Harley	Auckland	Retired cooper ..	18/2/27	"
63	Mackellar, George Brooke	Eastbourne, England	Cotton-merchant ..	24/9/26	"
64	Manson, John	Lakeside	Farmer	15/1/27	"
65	Marks, William Durham	Christchurch .. .	Accountant	4/3/27	"
66	Matthews, Charles	Dunedin	Retired miner ..	14/3/27	"
67	Maw, Robert Amos	Southbridge .. .	Engine-driver ..	23/12/26	"
68	Maxwell, Michael	Renwicktown .. .	Old-age pensioner ..	13/12/26	"

DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES UNDER ADMINISTRATION—continued.

No.	Name of Deceased.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Remarks.
69	Mayes, Charles Alexander ..	Whangarei ..	Railway servant ..	3/3/27	Intestate.
70	Moore, Harry Samuel	Wellington ..	Glazier	8/3/27	Testate.
71	Morgan, Ada Gertrude	New Lynn	Married woman ..	19/2/27	"
72	Moyle, Jane	Reefton	Widow	1/4/22	"
73	McCheyne, Mary	Ashburton	Spinster	4/3/26	Intestate.
74	McDonough, John	Waikaia	Sheep-farmer	7/3/27	Testate.
75	McKay, Peter Patrick Aloysius	Invercargill ..	Farmer	17/2/22	Intestate.
76	McGuire, Joseph Augustus ..	Ponsonby, Auckland	Music-teacher ..	17/2/27	Testate.
77	Negri, Remigio	Maruia Junction, Buller	Miner	14/2/27	"
78	Neil, Mary Ann	Palmerston ..	Widow	21/3/27	"
79	Nesbitt, Albert	Outram	Farm labourer ..	20/2/27	Intestate.
80	Nicholson, Henry	Scotland	Crofter	13/10/26	Testate.
81	Noble, Eliza	Dunsandel	Married woman ..	26/2/27	"
82	Noonan, John	Auckland	Old-age pensioner ..	19/2/27	Intestate.
83	Olver, Walter	Masterton	Retired Civil servant	23/2/27	Testate.
84	Ormond, James Michael	Westport	Railway employee ..	19/2/27	Intestate.
85	Owen, Emily	Auckland	Spinster	27/2/27	"
86	Pearce, George Edward Nelson	Nelson	Engine-driver ..	2/3/27	Testate.
87	Pearce, Letitia	Trentham	Widow	10/3/27	"
88	Perbhu Pama, otherwise known as Nasa Perbhu Lala	Rotorua	Fruiterer	23/2/27	Intestate
89	Piper, Sarah Harmer	Christchurch ..	Widow	4/3/27	Testate.
90	Prentis, Alice Eliza	Hamilton	"	20/3/27	"
91	Randall, Harry	England	Labourer	6/12/26	"
92	Read, Frederick Walter	Te Poi	Farmer	25/2/27	"
93	Reid, Agnes Porter	Wellington	Widow	19/3/27	Intestate.
94	Riddle, James	Fortrose	Farmer	7/3/27	Testate.
95	Robertson, Joan Robina	Auckland	Widow	22/2/27	"
96	Robson, James	"	Labourer	8/3/27	"
97	Ross, Sarah Jane	Nelson	Widow	27/2/27	"
98	Rowe, Caroline	"	"	21/3/27	"
99	Senior, Reginald Thomas	Waihi	Miner	21/3/27	"
100	Shand, Clara Evelyn	Wellington	Spinster	20/1/27	"
101	Sharp, John	Dunedin	Paper-ruler	27/2/27	"
102	Shaw, Reginald George	Carnarvon	Farmer	20/3/27	"
103	Sherlock, Thomas Leslie	Christchurch ..	Labourer	25/2/27	"
104	Smale, Emma Louisa	Otaki	Married woman ..	10/2/27	"
105	Small, William Thomas	Blenheim	Borough engineer ..	12/3/27	Intestate.
106	Smart, Solomon	Glenavy	Old-age pensioner ..	12/1/27	Intestate.
107	Smith, John	Seacliff	"	21/9/26	"
108	Smith, Peter	Dannevirke	Labourer	16/11/26	"
109	Sowerby, Edward	Ohakune	"	4/3/27	Testate.
110	Springmann, Hermann	Freiburg, Germany	Metal-worker ..	6/9/25	Intestate.
111	Topp, John	Little River ..	Farmer	17/3/27	Intestate.
112	Urquhart, Robert	Dunedin	Retired Council employee	2/3/27	Intestate.
113	Voice, Mary Jane Clara	Christchurch ..	Widow	16/3/27	Testate.
114	Wallace, William	Rotorua	Farmer	17/3/27	"
115	Warren, Ernest George	Okoroire	"	24/2/27	"
116	Weir, Thomas	Cambridge	Retired farmer ..	3/3/27	"
117	West, George Reichardt	Alloa, Scotland ..	Engineer	19/2/27	"
118	Wilde, Ellen	Ginsbrough, England	Widow	1/6/26	"
119	Wills, Vivian Vaughan	Mangamaire ..	Farmer	4/10/26	Intestate.
120	Winn, Clara Maud	Ohakune	Married woman ..	1/6/26	"
121	Winn, Samuel	Nelson	Fruitgrower	12/3/27	Testate.
122	Winter, Isaac Arthur	Gisborne	Caretaker	22/2/27	"
123	Woolcock, Susan	Wanganui	Widow	17/2/27	"
124	Wright, John Edward	Nelson	Overseer, Public Works	16/2/27	"

Public Trust Office, Wellington, 6th April, 1927

J. W. MACDONALD, Public Trustee.

*Branch of Friendly Society registered.*Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

THE Lily of the Valley Rebekah Lodge, No. 57, situated at Trentham, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 8th day of April, 1927.

R. WITHEFORD,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.*Branch of the Friendly Society registered.*Friendly Societies Department,
Wellington, 8th April, 1927.

THE Tui Rebekah Lodge, No. 43, situated at Taihape, is registered as a branch of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of New Zealand Friendly Society, under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, this 8th day of April, 1927.

R. WITHEFORD,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

Customs Tariff Commission, 1926-27.

Customs Department,
Wellington, 11th April, 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 the 9th December, 1926, 13th January, 1927, 10th February, 1927, 17th February, 1927, and 3rd March, 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.

Acid, carbolic.	Metal pulleys, grooved.
Acid, cresylic.	Metal sheaves.
Arrowroot.	Mirrors.
Artificial flies and minnows.	Mixing-machinery, such as concrete, cement, or manure.
Bedsteads, metal.	Motor-vehicles.
Binoculars.	
Capstans.	Oysters, canned.
Carbon-paper.	
Cardboard.	Paper transfers for marking machinery, &c.
Cash-registers.	Paper felt, under carpet.
Cement.	Patent medicines.
Chain blocks.	Pipes, cast-iron fittings for.
Chutney.	Pipes, insulation for.
Coal-tar by-products.	Plum-puddings.
Coffee essence.	"Plymax."
Cranes.	Press for affixing soles to boots.
Crucibles.	Pumps for raising or distributing liquids.
	Pumps, vacuum.
Down, feather.	
Drills, pneumatic.	Reversing-gear for oil-engines.
	Rubber hose.
Elevators.	Rubber tubing.
Fire-extinguishers, chemical.	
Fish-paste.	Sauce.
Flock.	Soaps.
Fly-papers.	Soy.
Fruit mincemeat.	Steel road-studs.
	Switch-blocks, electric, of wood.
Glass, bevelled.	Stoves, enamelled tops, crowns, and plates for.
Gloves, rubber.	
Glucose.	Thermostats for gas-ranges.
Goloshes.	Transmission-gear.
Gumboots.	
Hats: felt, wool, or fur.	Valves, taps, tobies, hydrants, and similar articles.
Hoists.	Varnish.
Hydro-extractors.	Vegetables, dried.
	Vegetables in brine.
Ink-powders.	
Insulators, electric.	Winches.
Iron bar.	Windlasses.
	Windows, stained-glass.
Leathers, hide.	Windmills.
	Wool-drying machines.
Manure distributors.	
Manure-drying machines.	
Matches, wax.	
Mats and matting, coir.	
Meats, potted.	

Notice to Mariners No. 23 of 1927.

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—NORTHERN COAST.—FIRTH OF THAMES.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 9th April, 1927.

River Thames or Waiho (Waihou) River.—Kirikiri Bridge under Construction.

Previous Notices.—Nos. 75 and 63 of 1926.

Position.—Te Kopu Wharf Light—Lat. 37° 11' S.; long., 175° 33' E. (approx.).

Details.—On and after Monday, 4th April, 1927, a temporary passing-place, 45 ft. in width, between the fender piles, will be provided at Kopu Bridge, Waihou River, pending construction of the permanent swing-span.

From sunrise to sunset the passing-place will be marked by a triangular shape on a standard on each side.

From sunset to sunrise the downstream entrance will be indicated by a red light on the eastern side and a green light on the western side; the up-stream entrance will be indicated by a green light on the eastern side and a red light on the western side. For lining purposes the green lights will be placed 2 ft. higher than the red lights, and the edge of the fender piles will be marked in duplicate lights.

Chart affected.—No. 1108.

Publications.—"New Zealand Pilot," 9th edition, 1919, page 214.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Notice to Mariners No. 24 of 1927.

NEW ZEALAND.—NORTH ISLAND.—EAST COAST.—PORT NICHOLSON ENTRANCE.—PENCARROW HEAD.

Marine Department,
Wellington, N.Z., 13th April, 1927.

Diaphone Fog-signal established.—Explosive Fog-signal discontinued.

Date of Establishment.—13th April, 1927, without further notice.

Former Notices.—Nos. 16 and 22 of 1927, hereby cancelled. *Position.*—128 yds. south-west from the lighthouse. Lat. 41° 22' S.; long. 174° 52' E. (approx.).

Abridged Description.—Fog. Sig.

Details.—The explosive fog-signal which has now been permanently discontinued has been replaced by a diaphone apparatus operated by compressed air, sounding one blast every minute, thus: Blast, 3 seconds; silent, 57 seconds.

Remarks.—The diaphone apparatus delivers a harsh note, each blast being terminated in a rapid lowering of the tone, giving the effect of a "grunt."

Charts affected.—Nos. 695, 1212, 1423 (plan), 2054, 3629.

Publications.—"New Zealand Pilot" 9th edition, 1919, page 114; "New Zealand Nautical Almanac" 1927, page 243 and page 184; Admiralty List of Lights, 1924, part 6, No. 2592.

G. C. GODFREY, Secretary.

Officiating Ministers for 1927.—Notice No. 11.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th April, 1927.

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

The Methodist Church of New Zealand.

- The Reverend Cyril G. Burton.
- The Reverend Albert B. Chappell, M.A., F.R.E.S.
- The Reverend John Burton Churchward.
- The Reverend William Charles Jenkin.
- The Reverend Norman Peter Larsen.
- The Reverend John Leslie Mitchell.
- The Reverend Herbert William Payne.
- The Reverend Athol Roy Penn.
- The Reverend Ivo Mervyn Raynor.
- The Reverend Archie Wharton Ellesmere Silvester.
- The Reverend Harry Victor Utting.

Ringatu Church.

Mr. Koura Teepa.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

Officiating Ministers for 1927.—Notice No. 12.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th February, 1927.

IT is hereby notified that the names of the following Officiating Ministers have been removed from the list of Officiating Ministers under the Marriage Act, 1908, by request:—

The Methodist Church of New Zealand.

- The Reverend J. W. Cocks.
- The Reverend J. C. Draper.

W. W. COOK, Registrar-General.

CROWN LANDS NOTICES.

Lands in Gisborne Land District forfeited.

Department of Lands and Survey, Wellington, 7th April, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease and licenses of the undermentioned lands having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Gisborne Land Board, the said lands have thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924, and the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

GISBORNE LAND DISTRICT.

Tenure.	Lease No.	Section.	Block.	District.	Licensee.	Reason for Forfeiture.
O.R.P. ..	3040	2	X	Waioeka Survey District	Ralph Beaufoy ..	At request.
O.R.P. ..	3246	1	"	"	"	"
STL/S. ..	169	4s	"	Homebush Settlement	P. E. Lowndes ..	Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

*Land in the Nelson Land District forfeited.*Department of Lands and Survey,
Wellington, 5th April, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the lease of the undermentioned land having been declared forfeited by resolution of the Nelson Land Board, the said land has thereby reverted to the Crown under the provisions of the Land Act, 1924.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

LEASE No. R.L. 837, Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, and part 9, Block IV, Kawatiri Survey District. Formerly held by J. L. Huddleston. Reason for forfeiture: Non-compliance with conditions of lease.

A. D. McLEOD, Minister of Lands.

Land in Wellington Land District for Sale by Public Auction.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned property will be offered for sale by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Wellington, at 2.30 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, 3rd May, 1927, under the provisions of the Discharged Soldiers Settlement Act, 1915, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

WELLINGTON LAND DISTRICT.

SECTION 8, Block XI, Apiti Survey District: Area, 101 acres. Title: Freehold—Land Transfer.

A dairy farm situated on the Oroua Valley Road, about one mile from Apiti Post-office, and twenty-eight miles from the Feilding Railway-station.

About half flat land, and balance easy undulating to hilly. Good aspect, well watered and having good loam soil. All cleared and grassed. About 210 chains fencing. Ring-fenced and subdivided. In good condition, should carry about forty cows. Buildings comprise six-roomed dwelling, wash-house, cowshed and concrete yard, barn with loft and shed.

The holding comprises a compact dairy farm, capable of improvement. Reference D.O. 22/3979—H.O. 26/12446.

Terms of Sale.

Ten per cent. cash deposit on fall of hammer, and balance purchase-money on first mortgage to the Crown, repayable by half-yearly instalments of interest and principal over a period of thirty-five years (approximately).

Basis for calculation of half-yearly instalments:—

Half-yearly instalment of interest and principal on mortgage of £100 if purchaser is a discharged soldier: Mortgage: 36½ years; interest, 5 per cent. per annum, £3.

Half-yearly instalment of interest and principal on mortgage of £100 if purchaser is any one other than a discharged soldier, £3 5s.

Rebate.—Instalments are subject to a rebate of 10 per cent. of the interest comprised therein if paid within fourteen days of due date.

Possession and completion.—2nd June, 1927.

The purchaser to pay all costs of transfer, including those of vendor's solicitor.

The property 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 any errors, omissions, or misdescriptions.

Full particulars and conditions of sale may be inspected at this office.

H. W. C. MACKINTOSH,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.*Settlement Lands in Taranaki Land District for Selection on Renewable Lease.*District Lands and Survey Office,
New Plymouth, 11th April, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned lands are open for selection on renewable lease under the Land Act, 1924, and the Land for Settlements Act, 1925, and applications will be received at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, up to 4 o'clock p.m., on Monday, 23rd May, 1927.

Applicants must appear personally before the Land Board for examination at the District Lands and Survey Office, New Plymouth, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., on Wednesday, 25th May, 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.

TARANAKI LAND DISTRICT.—SETTLEMENT LAND.

Taranaki County.—Paritutu Survey District.—Huatoiki Settlement.

Section.	Area.	Capital Value.	Half-yearly Rent.
	A. R. P.	£	£ s. d.
Part 1s & Part 3s	3 3 24	140	3 10 0
11s	8 2 10	490	12 5 0
13s	5 1 35	490	12 5 0
14s	4 1 31	420	10 10 0
15s	5 1 6	385	9 12 6
17s	10 1 7	470	9 5 0
18s	5 1 38	450	11 5 0
19s	4 0 24	340	8 10 0
20s	4 2 33	360	9 0 0
28s	12 3 28	385	9 12 6
35s	7 0 7	200	5 0 0

These sections are situated just outside the boundary of the New Plymouth Borough, and are within a short distance of the bus terminus. They are distant about two miles and a half from the New Plymouth Post-office. In places the area has a considerable amount of blackberry, gorse, and fern thereon. However, the land, which is of a volcanic nature, is of first-class quality, and the area when cleared should make good market-gardens.

ABSTRACT OF CONDITIONS OF LEASE.

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 persons 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, New Plymouth.

W. D. ARMIT,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

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

District Lands and Survey Office,
Nelson, 11th April, 1927.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undermentioned sections will be offered for lease by public auction at the District Lands and Survey Office, Nelson, on Wednesday, 18th May, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m., under the provisions of the Education Reserves Act, 1910, and amendments, and the Public Bodies' Leases Act, 1908, and amendments.

SCHEDULE.

NELSON LAND DISTRICT.

St. Arnaud Township Extension No. 1.

LOT	Area, perches.	Upset annual rental,	£	s.	d.
1	32.09		1	0	0
2	32		1	5	0
3	32		1	5	0
4	32		1	5	0
5	32		1	5	0
6	32		1	5	0

Lot	Area, perches.	Upset annual rental,	£	s.	d.
7	32		1	5	0
8	32		1	5	0
9	32		1	5	0
10	32		1	5	0
11	32		1	5	0
12	37.38		1	5	0
13	37.33		1	5	0
14	34.64		1	5	0
15	32.03		1	5	0
16	32.01		1	5	0
17	32.02		1	0	0
18	32.29		1	0	0
19	34.06		1	5	0
20	37.45		1	5	0
21	1 rood 3 perches		1	5	0
22	36.42		1	0	0

Locality and Description.

Sections are situated at Lake Rotoiti, overlooking the lake at a height of 2,000 ft. above sea-level. Suitable for building-sites. This lake is a well known camping resort, and is rapidly becoming a most popular locality for holiday-makers and sportsmen. Access is by fair road from Tophouse Post-office, six miles distant.

Abstract of Terms and Conditions of Lease.

1. The highest bidder shall be the purchaser.
2. A half-year's rent at rate offered, rent for broken period, and lease and registration fees (£2 2s.), to be paid on fall of hammer.
3. Term of lease, twenty-one years from date of sale, with perpetual right of renewal for further successive terms of twenty-one years.
4. Rent of renewal lease to be fixed by arbitration. If lessee does not desire to renew lease at end of any term, land to be leased by auction. The incoming lessee to pay the value of improvements, which is to be handed over to outgoing lessee, less any sum due to the Crown.
5. No transfer or sublease allowed without the consent of the Land Board.
6. Lessee to clear land of weeds and keep open creeks, drains, and watercourses.
7. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum to be paid on rent more than thirty days in arrears.
8. Buildings on land to be kept in good order, repair, and condition.
9. Lessee will not carry on any offensive trade which may be a nuisance.
10. Consent of Land Board to be obtained before making improvements.
11. Lessee to pay all rates, taxes, and assessments.
12. Lease is liable to forfeiture if conditions are violated.

The reserves 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 absolute accuracy of any description.

Full particulars may be obtained at this office.

A. F. WATERS,
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ALLAN HARDWICK, of Waiharara, Gumdigger, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Whangarei, of Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1927, at 10 o'clock a.m.

2nd April, 1927. E. P. RAMSEY,
Deputy-Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that DAVID FERGUSON, of Papakura, Contractor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 27th day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

9th April, 1927. G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ADAM GRAHAM BUNYAN, of Ruatangata West, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office, Whangarei, on Thursday, the 28th day of April, 1927, at 10 o'clock a.m.

9th April, 1927. E. P. RAMSEY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN THOMAS, of Paerata, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 29th day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

11th April, 1927. G. N. MORRIS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HENRY MORRIS, of Te Awamutu, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Courthouse, Hamilton, on Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 1927, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

6th April, 1927. V. H. SANSON,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that THOMAS COUTH, of Hastings, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Thursday, the 21st day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

7th April, 1927. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that MARE HANARA, of Omahu, Aboriginal Native, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Thursday, the 21st day of April, 1927, at 2 o'clock p.m.

7th April, 1927. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that VIOLET GEORGINA WHITE, of Havelock North, carrying on business as the Havelock Fruit Company, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Friday, the 22nd day of April, 1927, at 2 o'clock p.m.

9th April, 1927. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that RICHARD EDWARD HAY, of Hastings, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at the Chamber of Commerce, Hastings, on Friday, the 22nd day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

9th April, 1927. ROBERT BISHOP,
Deputy Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE is hereby given that HERBERT VERNON BROWN, of Hurleyville, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors, to be holden at my office at 10 Regent Street, Hawera, on Wednesday, the 13th day of April, 1927, at 2 o'clock p.m.

6th April, 1927. ROBERT S. SAGE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HENRY JAMES ANGUS, of Raetihi, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 13th day of April, 1927, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Taihape, 4th April, 1927. C. MASTERS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that LOUIS J. HANSBY, of Taihape, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1927, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Taihape, 9th April, 1927. C. MASTERS,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that SYDNEY DRAKE, of Palmerston North, Builder, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

8th April, 1927. CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT WALTER NORMAN INDER, of Dannevirke, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 22nd day of April, 1927, at 9.30 o'clock a.m.

9th April, 1927. A. J. C. RUNCIMAN,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEOFFREY HAMILTON NICOLS, formerly of Otaki, but now of Palmerston North, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 27th day of April, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

11th April, 1927. CHARLES E. DEMPSY,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM JOHN LORD, of Wellington, Tailor, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 20th day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

7th April, 1927. S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that JOHN MCCORQUODALE, of Wellington, Saddler, was on the 4th March, adjudged bankrupt (order sealed 7th April); and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 20th day of April, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

7th April, 1927. S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.

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

H. G. Bedell, of Wellington, Tailor—1st and final dividend of 3s. 0½d. in the pound.

P. S. Dustin, of Wellington, Baker—1st and final dividend of 6s. 9½d. in the pound.

W. S. Ferguson, of Wellington, Cabinetmaker—3rd and final dividend of 4s. 4d. in the pound, making 20s. in the pound.

Kilmister and Smith, Bus-proprietors, of Lower Hutt—1st and final dividend of 2s. 6d. in the pound.

Philp, R., of Wellington, Butcher—1st and final dividend of 5s. in the pound.

Wellington, 7th April, 1927. S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HILARY JAMES MORTONN MEKLE, of Roseneath, Wellington, but formerly of Greytown, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

12th April, 1927. S. TANSLEY,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that HUGH BERRYMAN, of Kohatu, Sheep-farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1927, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

6th April, 1927.

F. MITCHELL,
Official Assignee.

In Bankruptcy.—In the Supreme Court holden at Westport

NOTICE is hereby given that CEDRIC ROY TENNANT, of Westport, Farm Hand, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Monday, the 18th day of April, 1927, at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

8th April, 1927.

W. THOS. SLEE,
Deputy Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that GEORGE WILLIAM CLARK, of Hunter, Labourer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Wednesday, the 20th day of April, 1927, at 2.15 o'clock p.m.

6th April, 1927.

A. E. REYNOLDS,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that NORMAN ARUNDEL, of Dunedin, Electrician, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 22nd day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

5th April, 1927.

W. D. WALLACE,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that WILLIAM HENRY BUTLER, of Middlemarch, Hotelkeeper, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Friday, the 22nd day of April, 1927, at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

5th April, 1927.

W. D. WALLACE,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ROBERT ARTHUR RIDDLE, formerly of Albury, but now of Kennington, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden at my office on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, 1927, at 11 o'clock a.m.

5th April, 1927.

G. E. POLLOCK,
Official Assignee.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that ISAAC BUTLER, of Ardlussa, near Balfour, Farmer, was this day adjudged bankrupt; and I hereby summon a meeting of creditors to be holden in the Courthouse, at Gore, on Wednesday, the 20th day of April, 1927, at 3 o'clock p.m.

8th April, 1927.

G. E. POLLOCK,
Official Assignee.

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

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:—

5370. MARY ANN DUGNAN.—6.79 perches, part Section 519, City of Wellington (Tinakori Road). Occupied by applicant. D.P. 8095.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 12th day of April, 1927, at the Land Registry Office, Wellington.

C. E. NALDER, District Land Registrar.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the parcels of land hereinafter 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:—

13539. HORACE GEORGE MINETT PRIESTLEY.—Part of Rural Section 325, Lot 2, deposit plan 5913, North Avon Road, City of Christchurch. Occupied by applicant.

13542. THE TIMARU SHOP-FITTING COMPANY, LIMITED.—Part of Rural Section 1606, part of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, deposit plan 8319, Marston Road, Borough of Timaru. Occupied by applicant.

Diagrams may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 11th day of April, 1927, at the Land Registry Office, Christchurch.

F. W. BROUGHTON, 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.

3153. JAMES ERNEST ANDERSON.—16.4 perches, Lot 2, plan 2650, Sylvan Bank, part Section 2, Block I, Invercargill Hundred. Occupied by applicant.

Diagram may be inspected at this office.

Dated this 6th day of April, 1927, at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill.

J. A. FRASER, District Land Registrar.

APPLICATION having been made to me for the issue of a provisional certificate of title in favour of DAVID ANDERSON, of Fernhills, Farmer, for Section 7, Block VIII, Village of Fernhill, being the land contained in certificate of title, Vol. XXV, folio 196, and evidence having been lodged of the loss of the said certificate of title, I hereby give notice that I shall issue a provisional certificate of title as requested unless caveat be lodged forbidding the same within fourteen days from the date of publication of this notice in the *Gazette*.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, Invercargill, the 7th day of April, 1927.

J. A. FRASER, District Land Registrar.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that the names of the under-mentioned companies have been struck off the Register and the companies dissolved:—

Kuranui Gold-mining Company (no liability). 1914/34.
Northern Lime Company, Limited. 1924/183.

Given under my hand at Auckland, this 7th day of April, 1927.

H. B. WALTON,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

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

NOTICE is hereby given that, at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, the name of the under-mentioned company will, unless cause is known to the contrary, be struck off the Register and the company will be dissolved.

The Te Kao Kauri-gum Company, Limited. 1920/130.

Dated at Wellington, this 7th day of April, 1927.

W. H. FLETCHER,
Assistant Registrar of Companies.

In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of MOTOR ACCESSORY Co. OF N.Z., LTD., a company registered in Napier (in voluntary liquidation).

NOTICE is hereby given that a general meeting of the shareholders will be held on Thursday, 21st day of April, 1927, at 2 p.m., at the office of Harvey, Fulton, and Hill, No. 4 Tennyson Street, Napier, to receive Liquidator's report and final statement of the winding-up of the affairs of the company.

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W. HARVEY, Liquidator.

THE DENNISTON HALL COMPANY (LIMITED).

[IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders held at Denniston on the 26th February, 1927, the following special resolutions were passed, and the same were duly confirmed at a further extraordinary general meeting of shareholders held at Denniston on the 14th March, 1927:—

1. That, the property of the company being now disposed of, it is desirable to wind up the same, and that the company be wound up voluntarily.
2. That JOHN RADFORD be appointed Liquidator.

J. RADFORD, Liquidator.

Westport, 5th April, 1927.

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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908; and in the matter of the BOLTON STREET LAND COMPANY (LIMITED), Wellington, a Private Company.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders held on Thursday, the 27th January, 1927, the following special resolutions were passed:—

1. That the company be wound up voluntarily.
2. That ARTHUR STEPHEN MACSHANE, of Wellington, be and is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Further, that at an extraordinary general meeting of shareholders held on Wednesday, 6th April, 1927, the above special resolutions were duly confirmed.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1927.

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A. S. MACSHANE, Liquidator.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, MARGARET MARION VIDA GRATER, M.B., Ch.B., University of New Zealand, 1926, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 29th April next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health, Dunedin.

MARGARET MARION VIDA GRATER,
Public Hospital, Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin, 29th March, 1927.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned ROBERT DUNCAN and JOHN WILLIAM YOUNG, carrying on business as Butchers at Northland, under the firm name or style of "Duncan and Young," has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 2nd day of April, 1927. From which date all debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said John William Young, who will continue to carry on the said business.

Dated at Wellington, the 6th day of April, 1927.

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ROBERT DUNCAN,
JOHN WILLIAM YOUNG.

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

I, RAYMOND EDWARD BRIDGE, M.B., Ch.B., 1926, now residing in Dunedin, hereby give notice that I intend applying on the 4th May next to have my name placed on the Medical Register of the Dominion of New Zealand; and that I have deposited the evidence of my qualification in the office of the Department of Health at Dunedin.

RAYMOND EDWARD BRIDGE,
Public Hospital, Dunedin.

Dated at Dunedin, 4th April, 1927.

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HUNGAHUNGA DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

Piraunui Special-rating Area.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the instalments in respect of principal and interest, and also the other charges

on a loan of £2,500, authorized to be raised by the Hungahunga Drainage Board under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, for the purpose of constructing new drainage-works, viz.: To cleanse, deepen, and widen existing watercourses, drains, and outfalls, and to make and construct new watercourses, drains, and outfalls, the Hungahunga Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate, on a graduated scale according to the classification of lands, within the area hereinafter described, *i.e.*, twopence in the pound upon lands classified "A"; one penny in the pound upon lands classified "B"; one halfpenny in the pound upon lands classified "C," upon the unimproved value of all rateable property within the Piraunui Special-rating Area, Hungahunga Drainage District, which comprises portions of Block XVI, Waitoa Survey District, Block XI, Aroha Survey District, and Blocks I, IV, V, VI, IX, Wairere Survey District, and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable yearly on the 1st day of November in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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F. E. HUGHES, Chairman.
F. W. WILD, Clerk.

PIAKO 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 Piako County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a loan of £600 authorized to be raised by the Piako County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of metalling portion of Steel's Road, the said Piako County Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one penny and three-eighths of a penny (1½d.) in the pound upon the rateable unimproved value of all rateable property of the Steel's Road Special-rating Area of the Piako County, comprising all that area in the Land District of Auckland in Block I, Wairere Survey District, bounded commencing at a point being the north-west corner of Section 5 to the north, by the northern boundary of Section 5 to the south-west corner of Section 3; thence due north for a distance of 40 chains by the western boundary of Section 3; thence due east for a distance of 55 chains through the centre of Sections 3 and 4; towards the east by a direct line parallel with the Alexander Road through Sections 4 and 8 for a distance of 65 chains; towards the south by a direct line running parallel with Steel's Road through Sections 8 and 7 to the boundary between Sections 7 and 5; then by the eastern boundary of Section 5 to its south-east corner; thence by its southern boundary to its south-west corner, and towards the west by the western boundary of Section 5 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 1st day of April in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of twenty years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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NEVILL J. RAY, County Clerk.

WANGANUI CITY COUNCIL.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL RATE.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest, sinking fund, and other charges on a special loan of twenty-five thousand pounds (£25,000) authorized to be raised by the Wanganui City Council under the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, the Health Act, 1920, the Municipal Corporations Act, 1920, and all other powers enabling it in that behalf for the following purposes, namely: The providing within the district of the Wanganui City Council of the following sanitary-works, that is to say: The extension of existing sewers and the construction, making, and supplying of additional sewers in those portions of the district of the city hereinafter particularly mentioned for the distances hereinafter stated, that is to say: Heads Road, 47 chains; Raupo Street, 18.5 chains; Puriri Street, 81.5 chains; Bennett Street, 10 chains; Totara Street, 10 chains; Nikau Street, 14 chains; Mosstown Road (Street), 30 chains; Miro Street, 20 chains; Hinau Street, 20 chains; Tongariro Street, 20 chains; Raupehu Street, 15 chains; Kowhai Street, 15 chains; Titoki Street, 15 chains; Anzac Parade, 35.5 chains; Tinirau Street, 10 chains; Maketu Street, 6 chains; Jones Street,

6 chains; Marshall Avenue (Street), 9 chains; Nixon Street, 16 chains; Willis Street, 5 chains; No. 3 Line of Road (Street), 12 chains; Richmond Street, 9 chains; Broughton Street, 12 chains; Eastown Road (Street), 17 chains; Somme Parade, 39 chains; Delhi Avenue (Street), 11 chains; Madras Street, 11 chains; Borlase Place (Street), 4 chains; Queen Street, 4 chains; Kotare Street, 5 chains; Webb Road (Street), 30 chains; Durievale Road (Street), 6 chains; Allison Street, 2 chains; Ngapuhi Street, 7 chains; Taranaki Street, 10 chains; Great North Road (Street), 20 chains; Kent Road (Street), 12 chains; London Street, 30 chains; and the doing or supplying of all works materials and things necessary or expedient in connection with the completion of the drainage system of the city in the areas aforesaid—the said Wanganui City Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-fifth of a penny (1/5d.) in the pound upon the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property of the City of Wanganui, comprising the whole of the City of Wanganui, the boundaries whereof are defined in the *New Zealand Gazette* of the 12th day of August, 1926, Number 53, at pages 2,500 and 2,501, and that such special rate shall be an annual-recurring rate during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 15th day of April and the 15th day of October in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period expiring on the 15th day of October, 1943, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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HOPE GIBBONS, Mayor.
G. MURCH, Town Clerk.

RANGITIKEI 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 Rangitikei County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest, sinking fund, and other charges on the Rangitikei County Bridge Loan of £1,000, 1927, authorized to be raised by the Rangitikei County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of providing the Council's share of the cost of constructing a new bridge over the Tutaenui Stream at Curis, together with approaches thereto, the said Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of one-four hundred and eightieth (1/480th) of a penny in the pound sterling on the rateable value (on the basis of the capital value) of all rateable property in the whole of the County of Rangitikei, 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 May 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.

A. G. SIMPSON, Chairman.
381 HAROLD H. RICHARDSON, Clerk.

INVERCARGILL BOROUGH COUNCIL.

RESOLUTIONS MAKING SPECIAL RATES.

Oreti Bridge and Road to Beach Loan of £11,300.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £11,300, authorized to be raised by the Invercargill Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for a two-way bridge across the Oreti River near Dunn's Road, also for construction of road to beach, including material, labour, and plant, the said Invercargill Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of decimal one four seven of a penny (0.147d.) in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Borough of Invercargill, comprising the whole of the Borough of Invercargill, and that such special rate shall be an annual-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 as prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council, or until the loan is fully paid off.

House and other Improvements at Pilot Station Loan of £1,500.

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £1,500, authorized to be raised by the Invercargill Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, for erecting a house and other improvements at Pilot Station, New River Heads, including labour and materials, the said

Invercargill Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of decimal nought two nought (0.020d.) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Borough of Invercargill, comprising the whole of the Borough of Invercargill, and that such special rate shall be an annual-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 as prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Streets Formation, Construction, and Improvements Loan of £60,000.

That, for the purpose of providing the interest and other charges on a loan of £60,000, authorized to be raised by the Invercargill Borough Council under the above-mentioned Act, as a first instalment towards a complete roading scheme and improvement of streets in the borough, not included in the £74,000 Loan, including kerbing, channelling, labour, plant, tools, and material, the said Invercargill Borough Council hereby makes and levies a special rate of decimal eight three two (0.832d.) of a penny in the pound upon the rateable value of all the rateable property of the Borough of Invercargill, comprising the whole of the Borough of Invercargill, and that such special rate shall be an annual-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 as prescribed by the Governor-General by Order in Council, or until the loan is fully paid off.

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A. BAIN, Mayor.
F. BURWELL, Town Clerk.

ELSTOW DRAINAGE BOARD.

RESOLUTION MAKING SPECIAL INTEREST RATES.

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

That, for the purpose of providing the principal, interest, and other charges on a loan of £600, authorized to be raised by the Elstow Drainage Board under the above-mentioned Act, for and in connection with the constructing, providing, and establishing electric pumping plants as additional drainage-works within the meaning of and pursuant to the Land Drainage Act, 1908, for the benefit of the Awaitei No. 2 Special-rating Area of the Board's District, the Elstow Drainage Board hereby makes and levies a special rate on a graduated scale according to the Board's classification of the rateable property within the said area, upon the rateable value (upon the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property within the Awaitei No. 2 Special-rating Area of the Elstow Drainage District upon Class "A" of three farthings in the pound, upon Class "B" of two farthings in the pound, and upon Class "C" of one farthing in the pound, such area comprising all that area in the Elstow Drainage District, being part of Awaitei Subdivision, in the County of Hauraki Plains of the Auckland Land District, commencing at the northern corner of Section 1B 1, Kaikahu; thence following the eastern boundary-line of that section and the eastern boundary-line of Section 1B 2, Kaikahu, to its eastern corner; thence following the northern boundary-line of the area marked C/L to its northern corner; thence by the eastern boundary-line of that section to the north-western boundary of Section 2c 1, Awaitei; thence by that boundary to its most northern corner; thence south-easterly to the east corner; thence south-westerly and southerly and easterly to the north corner of Section 2c 2, Awaitei; thence on by that section to the north corner of Section 2c 3B, Awaitei; thence along that section boundary-line to the northern corner of Section part 2c 3, Awaitei; thence along that section boundary-line to the western corner of Section 6, Awaitei; thence along that section boundary-line to the public road on its western side; thence along that road forming the eastern boundary of Sections 6, 2, and 11, Awaitei, to the western corner of Section Lot 3, Awaitei; thence by the boundary of that section to its easternmost corner; thence along the south-eastern boundary-line of Sections Lots 3 and 2 to the southern corner of Section Lot 2, Awaitei; thence along the eastern boundary-line of part Section 1D No. 2, Crown Lands Section, Sections 1J 2B 3, 1, 1J 2A 1, 1A No. 1, 1A 2B 2B, 1A 2B 2A, 1A 2B 1, 1A 2A 1, to the boundary-line of Section 1A 2A 3B, Awaitei; thence following a straight line across Section 1A 2A 3B to the northern corner of Section 1A 2A 2, Awaitei; thence along that section boundary-line to its eastern corner; thence along the south-eastern boundary-line of that section to its southern corner; thence on along a line forming the south boundary of Sections 1A 2A 1 and 1A 2B 1 to

the Awaiti Canal on its eastern bank; thence by that canal northerly to the western corner of Section 1B 2, Kaikahau; thence along the north-western boundary of that section to the public road, which along to the northern corner of Section 1B 1, the point of commencement: and that such graduated rates shall be annual-recurring rates during the currency of such loan, and be payable half-yearly on the 1st day of March and the 1st day of September in each and every year during the currency of such loan, being a period of thirty-six and one-half years, or until the loan is fully paid off.

Dated at Waihou, this 25th day of March, 1927.

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W. J. ANDREWS, Chairman.

WAITEMATA COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND FOR ROADS.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, and its amendments thereto, by the Waitemata County Council, to execute certain public works—viz., construction of a road through part of the north-eastern portion of Lot 90 of the Parish of Waikomiti; and for the purpose of such public works the land described in the Schedule hereto is required to be taken:

And notice is further given that the plan of the said road and of the land required to be taken is deposited for public inspection at the office of the Waitemata County Council, corner of Shortland and Princes Streets, Auckland:

And notice is also hereby given that all persons affected by the execution of such public works or by the taking of such lands shall, if they have any well-grounded objection to the execution of the said public works or to the taking of such land, set forth the same in writing, within forty days from the first publication of this notice, to the County Council's Office, Auckland.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate area of the land to be taken: 4 acres 2 roods 19 perches, being portion of the north-eastern part of Lot 90 of the Parish of Waikomiti; coloured on plan, pink.

Plan number in Survey Office: 24125.

Situated in the Parish of Waikomiti, in the County of Waitemata, in the Land District of North Auckland.

By Order in Council, County Office, Auckland, 4th April, 1927

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G. O'HALLORAN, Chairman.

WAIMARINO COUNTY COUNCIL.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO TAKE LAND, BEING PART SECTION 8, PART OHUTU NO. 8, BLOCK IX, KARIOI SURVEY DISTRICT, FOR THE PURPOSE OF ERECTION OF WORKERS' DWELLINGS.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is proposed, under the provisions of the Public Works Act, 1908, and of the Counties Act, 1920, to take the land described in the Schedule hereto for the purpose of the erection of workers' dwellings thereon: And notice is hereby further given that the plan of the land so required to be taken is deposited in the office of the Waimarino County Council, at Raetihi, and is there open for inspection, and that all persons affected by the taking of the said land should, if they have any well-grounded objection to the taking of the said land, set forth the same in writing, and send such writing within forty days from the first publication of this notice to the Chairman of the Waimarino County Council at Raetihi.

SCHEDULE.

Approximate area of piece of land required to be taken: 14 acres 3 roods. Being part of Section 8, part Ohutu No. 8, Block IX, Karioi Survey District, in the Wellington Land District; as the same is more particularly delineated on the plan dated January, 1927, and numbered 2177, deposited in the office of the Waimarino County Council, at Raetihi, and thereon bordered red.

As witness my hand at Raetihi, this 4th day of April, 1927.

A. B. HARRIS,

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Chairman of the Waimarino County Council.

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF NAME.

I, EDWARD FRANK CHAPMAN, of Te Puke, in the Provincial District of Auckland and Dominion of New Zealand, Cashier, lately called and known by the name of "FRANK PILE," hereby give public notice that on the 11th day of March, 1927, I formally and absolutely renounced, relinquished, and abandoned the use of my said surname of

PILE, and then assumed and adopted and determined thenceforth, on all occasions whatsoever, to use and subscribe the surname of CHAPMAN instead of the said surname of PILE, and further assumed and adopted as aforesaid the additional first or Christian name of EDWARD.

And I give further notice that such change of surname, and the taking of such additional first or Christian name is evidenced by a certain deed dated the 11th day of March, 1927, duly executed and attested and enrolled in the office of the Supreme Court of New Zealand at Auckland.

Dated the 11th day of March, 1927.

EDWARD FRANK CHAPMAN,
(Formerly FRANK PILE.)

Witnesses—

Ernest E. Chapman, Retired Farmer, Opotiki.

Ernest A. Bunkall, Barrister and Solicitor, Opotiki.

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INTERNATIONAL TRADE DEVELOPER, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above company ceased to carry on business in the Dominion of New Zealand as from the 31st December, 1926.

P. FRASER HODGSON,

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Late New Zealand Representative.

ARMSTRONG, MORGAN, LIMITED.

WE, the undersigned, being at least three-fourths of the members of ARMSTRONG, MORGAN, LIMITED, hold at least three-fourths of the shares in the capital of the company, pursuant to and with the powers conferred by subsection (6) of section 168 of the Companies Act, 1908, and so that this resolution shall take effect as a special resolution, hereby resolve that the company be wound up voluntarily, and that WILLIAM SMITH MACGIBBON, of Christchurch, Public Accountant, be appointed Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1927.

	Shares.
Alice J. Morgan	401
G. A. Morgan	4,000
James Sangster	300
Harold F. Robbins	125
Newman Hall	250
H. J. Armstrong	4,574
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In the matter of the Companies Act, 1908, and the in the matter of HAWKESWOOD LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that at an extraordinary general meeting of the members of the above company duly convened and held on the 31st day of March, 1927, the following extraordinary resolution was duly passed:—

"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the company cannot, by reason of its liabilities, continue its business, and it is advisable to wind up the same, and accordingly that the company be wound up voluntarily."

And that at the same meeting a resolution was duly passed appointing WILLIAM HENRY MCPHAIL to be the Liquidator for the purpose of such winding-up.

Dated this 5th day of April, 1927.

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WILLIAM H. MCPHAIL, Liquidator.

RESOLUTION.

THE following regulations were laid before the members of the Cambridge Trotting Club at a meeting held on the 4th day of April, 1927, at Cambridge, with a recommendation by the Chairman of such club, Mr. Richard Hannon, that the same be passed at once, with a view to their approval by His Excellency the Governor-General, in pursuance of the Gaming Act, 1908, section 33.

Mr. Richard Hannon, the Chairman of such club and the meeting moved, and Mr. Norman Banks seconded, and it was resolved that such regulations should be adopted, and that the Chairman and Secretary be authorized to sign the same in authentication thereof.

The following are the regulations referred to:—

CAMBRIDGE TROTTING CLUB.

REGULATIONS.

(Under the Gaming Act, 1908.)

In pursuance and exercise of the powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of

all other powers in that behalf contained in section 33 of the Gaming Act, 1908, and of all other powers and authorities it enabling in that behalf, the Cambridge Trotting Club, a trotting club within the meaning of the said Act (hereinafter referred to as "the said club"), doth hereby revoke the regulations dated the 11th day of June, 1923, and in lieu thereof doth hereby make the following regulations controlling the admission of persons to that part of the Cambridge Trotting Club's course, situated in the district of Cambridge, and known as the Cambridge Trotting Club's Racecourse, while the said racecourse is used or occupied by the said club for race meetings.

1. These regulations shall come into force on the date of the same being published in the *New Zealand Gazette*.

2. In these regulations the words "bookmaker," "trotting club," and "race meeting" shall have the meanings ascribed to those terms respectively by section 2 of the Gaming Act, 1908.

3. The following persons shall be and are hereby excluded from the racecourse above described while the same is used or occupied by the said club for a race meeting, namely:—

- (a) Bookmakers.
- (b) Bookmakers' clerks, bookmakers' assistants, and bookmakers' agents.
- (c) All persons under disqualification inflicted by any racing or trotting club in the Dominion of New Zealand, the Commonwealth of Australia, or elsewhere, if affiliated to the New Zealand Racing Conference, the New Zealand Trotting Conference, or the New Zealand Trotting Association.
- (d) Common prostitutes, and persons who habitually consort with thieves or persons who have no lawful visible means of support.
- (e) Professional tipsters, persons convicted of house-breaking or pocket-picking, forgery, uttering or possessing counterfeit coin, theft, false pretences, receiving stolen goods, mischief, assault, or any offence or crime of any kind under the Crimes Act, 1908, and also idle and disorderly persons, rogues, and vagabonds, and incorrigible rogues convicted under the Police Offences Act, 1908, and persons convicted of an offence under the Gaming Act, 1908.

Provided always that the Stipendiary Stewards' Committee appointed by the New Zealand Trotting Conference, upon being satisfied by evidence as to character and otherwise that any person who, by reason of any conviction, comes within the scope of this regulation, should have relief from the effect thereof, may grant exemption to any such person, and may at any time revoke any such exemption without notice to such person, and without assigning any reason for such revocation.

The foregoing regulations of the Cambridge Trotting Club were made and passed by such club on the 4th day of April, 1927, and signed by the Chairman and Secretary.

RICHARD HANNON, Chairman.
WALTER STOPFORD, Secretary.

The foregoing regulations of the Cambridge Trotting Club are hereby approved, this 7th day of April, 1927.

390 CHARLES FERGUSSON, Governor-General.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED) proposes to commence to carry on business at 145 Palmerston Street, Westport, and at Granity, in the Provincial District of Nelson.

Dated at Wellington, New Zealand, this 12th day of April, 1927.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK OF AUSTRALIA (LIMITED).

By its Attorney—E. P. YALDWYN.

Witness—R. W. Armit, J.P.

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RE PRIME BOURGEOIS, LTD.

IN LIQUIDATION.

PLEASE take notice that the affairs of the above company having been fully wound up, a general meeting of shareholders in the company will be held at the office of Messrs. Sainsbury, Logan, and Williams, Solicitors, Tennyson Street, Napier, on Thursday, the 28th instant, at 2.30 p.m., for the purpose of laying the final statement and accounts before the meeting and reporting on the liquidation.

SAINSBURY, LOGAN, AND WILLIAMS,
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WAITOMO COUNTY COUNCIL.

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 Waitomo County Council hereby resolves as follows:—

That, for the purpose of providing for the payment of interest and other charges on the Pukerimu Loan of £300, authorized to be raised by the Waitomo County Council under the above-mentioned Act for the purpose of forming, widening, culverting, and metalling with rhyolite a portion of the Pukerimu Road, the said Council, pursuant to section 23 of the Local Bodies' Loans Act, 1926, hereby increases to eleven-sixteenths of a penny in the pound sterling the special rate of nine-sixteenths of a penny in the pound sterling made and levied by resolution passed by the said Council on the 13th day of February, 1925 (and gazetted on page 127 of the *New Zealand Gazette* of 13th January, 1927), on the rateable value (on the basis of the unimproved value) of all rateable property in the Pukerimu Special-rating Area, such rate of nine-sixteenths of a penny 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 July 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.

ROBT. WERE, Chairman.

F. CHAS. PERRY, County Clerk.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Scandinavian Water-race Company (Limited).

When formed and date of registration: 10th December, 1907 (date of construction).

Whether in active operation or not: In active operation.

Where business is conducted and name of Secretary: Dunedin; J. T. Hamann, Fire Brigade Buildings, Cumberland Street.

Nominal capital: £18,000.

Amount of capital subscribed: £7.

Amount of capital actually paid in cash: £7.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and the amount of cash received for the same: Nil.

Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £9,750 issued to shareholders of the Scandinavian Water-race Company (Registered).

Number of shares into which capital is divided: 18,000.

Number of shares allotted: 9,757.

Amount paid up per share: £1.

Amount called up per share: Nil, except on 7 (shares subscribed for in memorandum of association).

Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.

Number of shares forfeited: 501.

Number of forfeited shares sold, and the money received for same: 501; realized £149 3s. 9d.

Number of shareholders at the time of registration of company: 18.

Present number of shareholders: 20.

Number of men employed by company: 7.

Quantity and value of gold produced during preceding year: 466 oz. 14 dwt. 14 gr.; £1,857 ls. 9d.

Total quantity and value of gold produced since registration: 11,107 oz. 8 dwt. 4 gr.; £43,870 8s. 6d.

Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £2,436 7s. 11d.

Total expenditure since registration: £47,360 2s.

Total amount of dividends declared: Nil.

Total amount of dividends paid: Nil.

Amount of unclaimed dividends: Nil.

Amount of cash in bank: £69 13s. 9d.

Amount of cash in hand: Nil.

Amount of debts directly due to company: £1,000.

Amount of debts considered good: £1,000.

Amount of debts owing by company: £1,624 2s. 8d.

I, John Thomas Hamann, of Dunedin, Secretary of the Scandinavian Water-race Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at 31st December, 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. T. HAMANN.

Declared at Dunedin this 6th day of April, 1927, before me—
John Wilson, J.P.

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STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF A COMPANY.

Name of company: Colossus Gold-mining Development Company (Limited).
 When formed, and date of registration: 28th August, 1914.
 Whether in active operation or not: Property being maintained.
 Where business is conducted, and name of Secretary: Registered office, Tribune Buildings, Hastings; Laurence A. Denton, Secretary.
 Nominal capital: £26,000.
 Amount of capital subscribed: £30,473.
 Amount of capital actually paid up in cash: £12,473.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders, and amount in cash received for same: £30,073; £12,473.
 Paid-up value of scrip given to shareholders on which no cash has been paid: £18,000.
 Number of shares into which the capital is divided: 36,000.
 Number of shares allotted: 30,473, of which 400 are forfeited.
 Amount paid per share: £1.
 Amount called up per share: £1.
 Number and amount of calls in arrear: Nil.
 Number of shares forfeited: 400.
 Number of forfeited shares sold, and money received for same: Nil.
 Number of shareholders at time of registration of company: 7.
 Present number of shareholders: 65.
 Number of men employed by company: 1.
 Quantity and value of gold or silver produced since last statement: Nil.
 Total quantity and value produced since registration: Nil.
 Amount expended in connection with carrying on operations since last statement: £689 2s. 6d.
 Total expenditure since registration: £34,772 19s. 10d. (including purchase of properties).
 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: £4,649 19s. 10d.

I, Laurence Ackworth Denton, the Secretary of the Colossus Gold-mining and Development Company (Limited), do solemnly and sincerely declare that this is a true and complete statement of the affairs of the said company at the present date; and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the Justices of the Peace Act, 1908.

LAURENCE A. DENTON.

Declared at Hastings this 6th day of April, 1927, before me—A. A. George, J.P. 377

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